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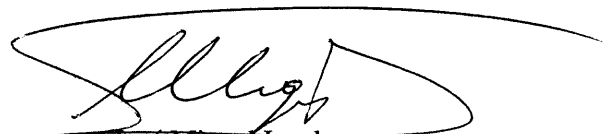
Mr. Chairman:

I have the honor to address Your Excellency with the purpose of submitting for the information of the Member States, the updated Roster of Experts on Confidence- and Security-Building Measures.

This Roster is based on the information provided by the Member States to date, pursuant to General Assembly resolution AG/RES. 2246 (XXXVI-O/06) "Cooperation on Some Matters of Security in the Hemisphere" which reiterates the mandates in AG/RES. 2113 (XXXV-O/05). "Transparency and Confidence- and Security-Building in the Americas". In operative paragraph 13 of the latter resolution, the General Assembly resolves to

".. request the Secretary General to update each year, on the basis of information submitted by Member States each year by July 15, the Roster of Experts on Confidence- and Security-Building Measures, and to circulate it to the member states each year by July 30"

I take this opportunity to renew to Your Excellency the assurances of my highest consideration and esteem.



José Miguel Insulza
Secretary General

His Excellency
Ambassador Henry L. Illes
Permanent Representative of Suriname
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