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APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE AGENCY

Recommendation by the Board of Governors

1. On 20 September 1993 the following text of an application for membership of the Agency was communicated to the Board:

"Republic of Macedonia Ministry of Foreign Relations

Skopje, September 16, 1993

Director General, Mr. Hans Blix

On behalf of the Government of the Republic of Macedonia I have the honour to submit an application for membership in the International Atomic Energy Agency.

I wish to assure you, on behalf of my Government, that the Republic of Macedonia is willing to carry out the obligations of membership in the Agency and to act in accordance with the purpose and principles of the Charter of the United Nations.

Stevo Crvenkovski Minister " 2. On 21 September 1993 the Board considered this application for membership of the Agency in the light of Article IV.B of the Statute, and determined that the State whose application is contained in para. 1 of this document was able and willing to carry out the obligations of membership of the Agency and to act in accordance with the purposes and principles of the Charter of the United Nations. The Board recommends the Conference to approve the State referred to in this document for membership of the Agency. Following the precedent of the United Nations which dealt with an application by the same State earlier this year, the Board further recommends that this State will provisionally be referred to for all purposes within the Agency as "the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia" pending settlement of the difference that has arisen over the name of the State. The Board submits the draft resolution overleaf for the consideration of the Conference.

APPLICATION BY THE STATE WHOSE APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP IS CONTAINED IN DOCUMENT GC(XXXVII)/1083

The General Conference,

- (a) <u>Having received</u> the recommendation of the Board of Governors that the State whose application is contained in document GC(XXXVII)/1083 should be approved for membership of the Agency, */ and
- (b) <u>Having considered</u> the application of that State for membership in the light of Article IV.B of the Statute,
- 1. <u>Approves</u> the State whose application is contained in document GC(XXXVII)/1083 for membership of the Agency, that State being provisionally referred to for all purposes within the Agency as "the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia" pending settlement of the difference that has arisen over the name of the State;
- 2. <u>Determines</u>, pursuant to Financial Regulations 6.08 **/, that in the event of this State becoming a Member of the Agency during the remainder of 1993 or in 1994 it shall be assessed as appropriate:
- (a) For an advance or advances to the Working Capital Fund, in accordance with Financial Regulation 7.03 *** /; and
- (b) For a contribution or contributions towards the Agency's administrative expenses, in accordance with the revised arrangements for the assessment of Members for such contributions **** /

^{*/} GC(XXXVII)/1083, para 2.

^{**/} INFCIRC/8/Rev.1.

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^{****/} Resolutions GC(III)/RES/50, GC(XXI)/RES/351, GC(XXVII)/RES/416, GC(XXXIII)/RES/512 and GC(XXXVI/RES/589.