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**NOTE BY THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL**

**EXPLANATORY MEMORANDA REGARDING ITEMS THREE AND FOUR OF  
THE PROVISIONAL AGENDA OF THE FIRST SPECIAL SESSION  
OF THE CONFERENCE OF THE STATES PARTIES  
SUBMITTED BY THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

The Director-General is hereby circulating letters from the Alternate Permanent Representative of the United States of America to the Organisation for the Prohibition of Chemical Weapons containing explanatory memoranda regarding items three and four of the provisional agenda of the Special Session of the Conference of the States Parties (hereinafter the "Conference"). These explanatory memoranda were submitted in accordance with Rule 21 of the Rules of Procedure of the Conference.

Annex:

Letters, dated 18 and 19 April 2002, from the Alternate Permanent Representative of the United States of America, attaching explanatory memoranda regarding items three and four of the provisional agenda of the Special Session of the Conference of the States Parties

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