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Agenda item 9

REVIEW OF THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS AND DECISIONS ADOPTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ITS TENTH SPECIAL SESSION

Letter dated 15 June 1982 from the First Deputy Foreign Minister and Permanent Representative of Bulgaria to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

On instructions from my Government, I have the honour to transmit to you the text of the message, which the participants in the 28th reunion of the national committees for UNICEF in Europe, held at Sofia, Bulgaria, from 8 to 10 June 1982, addressed to the second special session of the General Assembly of the United Nations devoted to disarmament.

May I request you to have the text of this message, which is herewith attached, distributed as a document of the twelfth special session of the General Assembly under agenda item 9.

(Signed) Boris TSVETKOV
Ambassador
First Deputy Foreign Minister
Permanent Representative to the United Nations
ANNEX

Message of 10 June 1982 from the reunion of National Committees for UNICEF in Europe to the second special session of the General Assembly devoted to disarmament

The participants in the 28th reunion of national committees for UNICEF in Europe, held in Sofia, address the second special session of the United Nations General Assembly on disarmament with a sense of deep concern about the unprecedented build-up of nuclear and conventional armaments and increasing threat of a nuclear world war, which is a particularly serious preoccupation for us, Europeans.

Our main task is to contribute in all possible ways to the achievement of UNICEF's goals - protection of the lives and health of young generations, improvement of children's welfare, creation of the conditions required for their growth and intellectual development.

We therefore welcome and support the 1982 UNICEF Executive Board's message to the second special session of the General Assembly on disarmament and address the participants of the session with the appeal to take urgent measures in order to stop the nuclear arms race and to embark on real disarmament.

The 28th reunion of European national committees for UNICEF expresses to the second special session of the General Assembly on disarmament its best wishes for a successful completion of the noble tasks for which it has come together.

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