Addendum

Finland

1. The obligations set out in Articles I-III have been complied with.

2. The legislation of Finland is in harmony with the obligations set out in Article IV.

3. Consultations pursuant to Article V have not been undertaken; neither has the Government of Finland been in contact with other States Parties to this effect.

4. Finland has, in accordance with Article X facilitated and participated in the exchange of scientific material and information on the use of bacteriological agents and toxins for peaceful purposes. This exchange has also included work done for the prevention of diseases.

New Zealand

New Zealand has complied with all provisions of the Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons. New Zealand does not possess any weapons or delivery systems prescribed in Article I of the Convention. The New Zealand Government is satisfied that none of the activities prohibited by the Convention is being conducted in New Zealand and existing legislation contains the necessary measures to control these activities as required under Article 4. To strengthen further New Zealand's compliance, the New Zealand
Nuclear Free Zone, Disarmament and Arms Control legislation, which is currently before the New Zealand Parliament, will prohibit the manufacture, stationing, acquisition or possession of any biological weapon as defined by the Convention.

With reference to the request of the First Review Conference for information on the implementation of Article X of the Convention, the ability of New Zealand research and health workers to communicate with and exchange materials with colleagues overseas is not inhibited and is encouraged. Co-operation for peaceful purposes in New Zealand takes place with Government research institutions, semi-government institutions, universities and the private sector primarily in the fields of medicine and public health, animal research and food technology. Results of all research are published in international and national scientific journals and at local and international conferences. Reference laboratory services are available to researchers and health workers in other countries, and materials are regularly exchanged with other countries particularly in the South Pacific, and materials are prepared for proficiency testing in the programme organized by the Pan Pacific Paramedical Training Unit in Wellington.

Turkey

In full compliance of the Convention on the Prohibition and Stockpiling of Bacteriological (Biological) and Toxin Weapons and on Their Destruction, Turkey has never disposed of, produced, developed or stockpiled any biological or toxin weapons, nor has she ever transferred any such weapons to a third party. She has consistently abstained from providing assistance for the production thereof and all research in micro-organisms and toxins that are conducted in the country are solely directed towards problems related to medicotherapy and disease prevention.