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Dear Ambassador Djani

On behalf of the Zangger Committee, I would like to thank you for your letter dated 12 March, 2019 regarding the 1540 Committee's assistance mechanism.

The Zangger Committee contributes to the interpretation of article III, paragraph 2, of the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty (NPT) and thereby offers guidance to all parties to the Treaty in the field of nuclear export controls.

As noted in the letter from the then Chair of the Zangger Committee dated 5 November 2004, the Zangger Committee has welcomed the adoption of Security Council resolution 1540.

I can confirm that Members of the Zangger Committee stand ready to respond positively to the resolution and to provide any assistance required within the mandate of the committee.

More information on the Zangger Committee, including outreach possibilities, is available on the Committee's website, zanggercommittee.org. The website also includes the most recent version of the Zangger Committee Understandings as contained in the IAEA document INFCIRC/209/Rev.4. The Understandings are regularly updated and harmonized with the trigger list of the Nuclear Suppliers Group.

I would suggest that the 1540 Committee's website include a link to the Zangger Committee's website. You may also wish to make reference to the present letter.

Finally, I would suggest that the 1540 Committee continue to address any requests for assistance to me. These will be shared with all Members of the Zangger Committee.

Sincerely yours,

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