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FINAL ACT OF THE UNITED NATIONS PLEDGING CONFERENCE OF CONTRIBUTIONS OF MEMBER STATES FOR THE WORLD DISARMAMENT CAMPAIGN

1. Pursuant to paragraph 4 of General Assembly resolution 37/100 I of 13 December 1982, by which the Assembly decided that at its thirty-eighth session there should be a pledging conference of contributions of Member States for the World Disarmament Campaign, and recalling paragraph 3 of the same resolution by which the Assembly reiterated "its invitation to all Member States that have not yet done so to supplement available United Nations resources with voluntary contributions", the Secretary-General, by a note verbale dated 15 August 1983, informed Member States that he intended to convene on 27 October 1983 at United Nations Headquarters, a Pledging Conference of contributions of Member States for the World Disarmament Campaign.

2. The Conference met at United Nations Headquarters on 27 October 1983. It was attended by the representatives of the Governments of the following States: Algeria, Australia, Austria, Bahamas, Bangladesh, Belgium, Bhutan, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burma, Burundi, Byelorussian Soviet Socialist Republic, Canada, China, Colombia, Cuba, Czechoslovakia, Denmark, Egypt, Ethiopia, Finland, France, German Democratic Republic, Germany, Federal Republic of, Greece, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Ireland, Israel, Italy, Japan, Jordan, Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Malaysia, Malta, Mexico, Mongolia, Morocco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Pakistan, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Romania, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Sweden, Syrian Arab Republic, Thailand, Tunisia, Uganda, Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic, Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Venezuela, Viet Nam, Yugoslavia.

3. The Conference heard the announcement of pledges by a number of Governments contributing to the World Disarmament Campaign as well as other statements regarding pledging. The statements are recorded in the summary record of the Conference (A/CONF.123/SR.1).

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4. In accordance with rule 21 of the rules of procedure of the Conference, the Secretary-General shall maintain, until 31 March 1984, a list of pledges made or announced at the Conference on which States invited to the Conference may enter pledges in addition to those made or announced at the Conference. At the end of that period, the Secretary-General shall issue that list as part of the records of the Conference (A/CONF.123/2).

5. In Witness thereof, the President of the Conference and the Secretary-General of the United Nations signed the Final Act.

Done at the United Nations, New York, this twenty-seventh day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eighty-three, in a single copy in the Arabic, Chinese, English, French, Russian and Spanish languages, the six texts being equally authentic. The original text shall be deposited with the Secretary-General.
