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To : Permanent Representatives  
From: Secretary General

DISARMAMENT - TWELFTH TELEGRAM FROM THE  
SECRETARY GENERAL

I attach hereto the text of the telegram which I have today sent to the Representatives of the Four Western members of the United Nations Disarmament Sub-Committee.

(Signed) P.-H. SPAAK

28th August, 1957

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TWELFTH TELEGRAM

from the Secretary General of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization to the Canadian, French, United Kingdom and United States Representatives on the United Nations Sub-Committee on Disarmament

The Council have considered the Tenth message from the Four Western Delegations to the United Nations Sub-Committee on Disarmament.

2. The Council agree with the proposed amendments and wish to express their appreciation of the efforts made by the Four Delegations to meet the observations which they made concerning paragraph I of the working paper.

3. The Italian Delegation, while noting the assurances given, do not consider the last telegram from the Four to be an explicit reply to the fifth paragraph of the Eleventh telegram from the Secretary General and reaffirm their express wish that the Italian Government be invited to become a member of the Sub-Committee referred to in paragraph VII B and of the Control Office referred to in paragraph VIII B. The Italian Delegation emphasise that their Government are at present unable to commit themselves in respect of paragraph VIII B since they cannot assess the exact implications of this proposal. They are not, however, opposed to submission of the document as a whole.

28th August, 1957