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TO: Permanent Representatives
FROM: Secretary General

Disarmament - Fourth Telegram from the
Secretary General

I attach hereto the text of the telegram which I have today sent to the representatives of the Governments of Canada, France, the United Kingdom and the United States on the United Nations Sub-Committee on Disarmament.

(Signed) P.-H. SPAAK

27th June, 1957

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Fourth Telegram

from the Secretary General of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization to the Representatives of the Governments of Canada, France, the United Kingdom and the United States on the United Nations Subcommittee on Disarmament

The Council today considered the question of possible zones of inspection in Europe on the basis of reports received from the Standing Group and from SACEUR (C-M(57)99). They agreed that these reports should be communicated to you for your information.

2. The Council's preliminary view is that the conclusion to be drawn from these two reports is that the answer to the question of principle as to whether or not there might be a zone of inspection in Europe depends in large measure on the size and geographical limits of any such zone. In this connection the Council is anxious to receive your views on a European inspection zone, as requested in my telegram of 7th June.

3. The Council has asked the Standing Group to comment on SACEUR's paper and will discuss the problem of a possible zone of inspection in Europe with the Standing Group at their meeting with them on 11th July.

(Signed) P.-H. SPAAK

26th June, 1957