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Note by the Secretary-General

The Secretary-General informs the Executive Council on the actions taken regarding this matter following the decision taken at the last session of the Council.
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1. Pursuant to decision 17(LXXIV) adopted at the seventy-fourth session of the Executive Council, the Legal Adviser carried out consultations with the United Nations, UNESCO and the International Committee of the Red Cross.

2. As not all the organizations concerned have sent in their comments yet, the Legal Adviser intends to verbally brief the Council on the different reactions regarding this subject that may have been received by the date of the session.

3. It is recalled that if all three responses are favourable, the Secretary-General will request the Legal Adviser to prepare a draft additional Protocol, which would be submitted to the Executive Council.

4. The preliminary note prepared by the Legal Adviser for the seventy-third session, and his supplementary note submitted at the last session of the Council, are at the disposal of delegations that might require them.