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REFERENCE C.N.107.1981.TREATIES-2 (Depositary Notification)

AGREEMENT GOVERNING THE ACTIVITIES OF STATES ON THE MOON
AND OTHER CELESTIAL BODIES

ADOPTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS
ON 5 DECEMBER 1979

TRANSMISSION OF A PROCES-VERBAL OF RECTIFICATION OF THE ENGLISH
ORIGINAL OF THE AGREEMENT AND OF THE CERTIFIED TRUE COPIES OF
THE AGREEMENT ESTABLISHED ON 8 JULY 1980.

The Secretary-General of the United Nations, acting in his capacity as depositary, and referring to letter C.N.373.1980. TREATIES-9 of 19 January 1981 concerning the proposed correction in respect of the English original of the Agreement governing the Activities of States on the Moon and Other Celestial Bodies, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 5 December 1979, communicates the following:

Within a period of 90 days from the date of the above-mentioned letter no objection to the proposed correction had been notified by any of the signatory States. Consequently, the Secretary-General has caused the appropriate correction to be effected in the English original of the Agreement. A copy of the corresponding Procès-verbal of rectification, which is also applicable to the certified true copies of the Agreement established on 8 July 1980 (letter C.N.195. 1980.TREATIES-6 of 24 July 1980), is enclosed herewith.

27 May 1981



Attention: Treaty Services of Ministries of Foreign Affairs and of international organizations concerned

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PROCES-VERBAL OF RECTIFICATION OF THE
ENGLISH ORIGINAL OF THE AGREEMENT

THE SECRETARY-GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS, acting in his capacity as depositary of the Agreement governing the Activities of States on the Moon and Other Celestial Bodies, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 5 December 1979,

WHEREAS it appears that the English authentic text of the above-mentioned Agreement contains a typographical error in article 5, paragraph 1, line 9, where the phrase "a mission lasting more than thirty days ..." should read "a mission lasting more than sixty days ...",

WHEREAS the necessary correction was proposed by letter C.N.373.1980. TREATIES-9 of 19 January 1981,

WHEREAS within ninety days from the date of the said letter no objection to the proposed correction had been notified by any Signatory State;

HAS CAUSED the original English text of the said Agreement to be corrected accordingly.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, Erik Suy, Under-Secretary-General, the Legal Counsel, have signed this Procès-Verbal, which also applies to the certified true copies of the Agreement established on 8 July 1980, at the Headquarters of the United Nations, New York, on 14 May 1981.

Erik Suy

ACCORD REGISSANT LES ACTIVITES
DES ETATS SUR LA LUNE
ET LES AUTRES CORPS CELESTES
ADOpte PAR L'ASSEMBLEE GENERALE
DES NATIONS UNIES
LE 5 DECEMBRE 1979

PROCES-VERBAL DE RECTIFICATION DE L'ORIGINAL
ANGLAIS DE L'ACCORD

LE SECRETAIRE GENERAL DE L'ORGANISATION DES NATIONS UNIES, agissant en sa qualité de dépositaire de l'Accord régissant les activités des Etats sur la Lune et les autres corps célestes, adopté par l'Assemblée générale des Nations Unies le 5 décembre 1979,

CONSIDERANT qu'il apparaît que le texte authentique anglais de l'Accord susmentionné contient une erreur typographique à l'article paragraphe 1, ligne 9, où le groupe de mots "a mission lasting more than thirty days ..." devrait se lire "a mission lasting more than sixty days ...",

CONSIDERANT que la rectification requise a fait l'objet d'une proposition diffusée par lettre C.N.373.1980.TREATIES-9 du 19 janvier 1981,

CONSIDERANT que dans le délai de quatre-vingt-dix jours à compter de la date de ladite lettre la proposition de rectification n'avait donné lieu à aucune objection de la part des Etats signataires,

A FAIT procéder à la rectification correspondante dans le texte original anglais dudit Accord.

EN FOI DE QUOI, Nous, Erik Suy, Secrétaire général adjoint, Conseiller juridique, avons signé le présent procès-verbal, qui s'applique également aux exemplaires certifiés de l'Accord établis le 8 juillet 1980, au Siège de l'Organisation des Nations Unies, à New York, le 14 mai 1981.

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SEPTEMBER 1980

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