Attention: Treaty Services of Ministries of Foreign Affairs and of international organizations concerned. Depositary notifications are made available to the Permanent Missions to the United Nations at the following e-mail address: missions@un.int.

Reference: C.N.1312.2002.TREATIES-49 (Depositary Notification)

OPTIONAL PROTOCOL TO THE CONVENTION ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD ON THE SALE OF CHILDREN, CHILD PROSTITUTION AND CHILD PORNOGRAPHY

NEW YORK, 25 MAY 2000

RECTIFICATION OF THE ORIGINAL OF THE PROTOCOL (CHINESE AUTHENTIC TEXT) AND TRANSMISSION OF THE RELEVANT PROCÈS-VERBAL

The Secretary-General of the United Nations, acting in his capacity as depositary, communicates the following:

By 16 December 2002, the date on which the 90-day period specified for the notification of objections to the proposed corrections expired, no objection had been notified to the Secretary-General.

Consequently, the Secretary-General has effected the required corrections in the original of the Protocol (Chinese authentic text) as well as in the certified true copies. The corresponding procès-verbal of rectification is transmitted herewith. (The Procès-verbal is transmitted in hard copy format only).

16 December 2002

1. See depositary notification C.N.1008.2002.TREATIES-42 of 17 September 2002 (Proposal of Corrections to the original Chinese text of the Protocol and the certified true copies)