APPENDIX-II

EXTRACTS FROM THE TEXT OF THE TREATY ON THE NON-PROLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS

Article I. Each nuclear weapons State party to the Treaty undertakes not to transfer to any recipient whatsoever nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices or control over such weapons or explosive devices directly, or indirectly; and not in any way assist, encourage, or induce any non-nuclear weapons State to manufacture or otherwise acquire nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices, or control over such weapons or explosive devices.

Article II. Each non-nuclear-weapon State party to the Treaty undertakes not to receive the transfer from any transferor whatsoever of nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices or of control over such weapons or explosive devices directly, or indirectly; and not to manufacture or otherwise acquire nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices; and not to seek or receive any assistance in the manufacture of nuclear weapons or other nuclear devices.

Article III, 2. Each State party to the Treaty undertakes not to provide: (a) Source or special fissionable material, or (b) equipment or material especially designed or prepared for the processing, use or production of special fissionable material, to any non-nuclear-weapon State for peaceful purposes, unless the source or special fissionable material shall be subject to the safeguards required by the Article.

Article IV, 2. All the Parties to the Treaty undertake to facilitate, and have the right to participate in, the fullest possible exchange of equipment, materials and scientific and
technological information for the special uses of nuclear energy. Parties to the Treaty in a position to do so shall also cooperate in contributing alone or together with other States or international organizations to the further development of the application of nuclear energy for peaceful purposes, especially in the territories of non-nuclear-weapon States party to the Treaty, with due consideration for the needs of developing areas of the world.

**Article VI.** Each of the Parties to the Treaty undertakes to pursue negotiations in good faith on effective measures relating to cessation of the nuclear arms race at an early date to nuclear disarmament, and on a treaty on general and complete disarmament under strict and effective international control.

**Article VII.** Allows regional nuclear Weapon-Free Zones to be negotiated.

**Article VIII.** Deals with amendment procedures, and with five yearly review.

**Article IX.** Covers ratification, registration and entry into force. This Article also defines a nuclear-weapon State for the purpose of the Treaty, as "one which has manufactured exploded a nuclear weapon or other nuclear explosive device prior to January 1, 1967".

**Article X.** States the standard right of withdrawal if the supreme national interests of a country are jeopardized. This Article also specifies that the Treaty is to last for 25 years. Then a special conference will deduce on its future. This important conference is due in 1995.