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Excellencies, Distinguished Colleagues

On behalf of the President-designate of the First Review Conference of States Parties to the Convention on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-personnel Mines and on Their Destruction, Ambassador Wolfgang Petritsch from Austria, I kindly invite you to participate in the Second Preparatory Meeting in advance of the Review Conference. This Second Preparatory Meeting will be held in the Palais des Nations, Room XX, Geneva on 28-29 June 2004 starting at 10.00 a.m. on 28 June.

Delegations of States Parties, States not parties, international organisations and non-governmental organisations are requested to provide an official consolidated list of their respective participants, eventually accompanied by the attached security forms by **21 June 2004**.

The security registration form (attached) is only necessary for delegates who will need a specific security badge to access the Palais des Nations for this event. Badges can be collected as from Friday, 25 June at 3.00 p.m. at the Safety and Security Section, Villa les Feuillantines, 13 Avenue de la Paix.

The official consolidated lists of participants, security registration forms and other related correspondence should be addressed to:

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To the Permanent Representatives of States Parties  
and States not parties to the Convention on the Prohibition  
of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of  
Anti-personnel Mines and on Their Destruction

To the heads of international and non-governmental  
organisations in Geneva

Documents prepared for this Second Preparatory Meeting are being made available through the normal channels. In addition, they will be posted on the following web-address:

<http://disarmament2.un.org/rdb/apm-mbc-1RevCon.html>

As always, the Secretariat remains at your disposal for any enquiries, and we look forward to seeing you at the meeting.

Please accept, Excellencies and colleagues, the assurances of my highest consideration.

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