



XVI Regular Session of the General Conference
Lima, Peru, 30 November and 1 December 1999.

RESOLUTION CG/Res.384
CONTROL SYSTEM
APPLICATION OF ARTICLES 13 AND 14

The General Conference,

Bearing in mind the contents of Article 13 of the Treaty of Tlatelolco relative to the Safeguards of the International Atomic Energy Agency;

Considering that it is extremely important to apply the provisions of the aforementioned Article, which in addition to the obligation it imposes on the Member States to reach bilateral or multilateral safeguards agreements with the IAEA covering their nuclear activities, constitutes one of the requirements for the Treaty's entry into force for the Treaty's Parties that have signed and ratified it;

Bearing in mind that, as has been expressed on reiterated occasions, the functioning of the Control System established by the Treaty for the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons in Latin America and the Caribbean is an inseparable whole and that the provisions contained in Article 14 of the Treaty must, therefore, be adhered to by the Member States so that the aforementioned Control System may function with due efficiency;

Recalling its previous Resolutions, especially 247 (XI) of 27 April 1989, 276 (XII) of 10 May 1991, 296 (XIII) of 27 May 1993, 328 (XIV) of 29 March 1995, and 355 (XV) of 10 July 1997,

Resolves:

1. **To take note with satisfaction** that to date, of a total of 32 full Parties of the Treaty of Tlatelolco, 31 Member States have signed Safeguards Agreements with the International Atomic Energy Agency and one is now in the final stages of the process, thereby adhering to Article 13 of the Treaty of Tlatelolco.
2. **To ask** the governments of the Member States that have fallen behind in the meeting of the obligation established by Article 14, to make their semiannual declarations in a timely manner as required by the Control System, an obligation stemming from the Treaty itself and whose incompleteness is addressed in Article 20, paragraph 1 of the Treaty.
3. **To respectfully reiterate** to the Government of France that it should inform in a timely manner on the results of its negotiations with the European Community for Atomic Energy (ECAE) on the signing of the Safeguards Agreement established by Article 1 of the Additional Protocol of the Treaty of Tlatelolco.
4. **To request** that the Secretary General keep the Council and the XVII Regular Session of the General Conference of OPANAL informed regarding the results of these efforts.
5. **To ask** the Secretary General to keep the Council and the XVII Regular Session of the General Conference of OPANAL informed regarding the results of these efforts.

(Adopted at the 89th Session
held on 30 November 1999)