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Sir,

In accordance with Article VI, Section 18 of the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies, I have the honour to transmit to your Government a report on the composition of the Secretariat of the World Health Organization, including a list as at 30 April 1994 of the officials to whom the provisions of Articles VI and VIII of the said Convention shall apply.

In the preparation of this restricted list, due regard has been paid to resolution WHA12.41, the second paragraph of the operative part of which reads as follows:

"APPROVES the granting of the privileges and immunities referred to in Articles VI and VIII of the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the Specialized Agencies to all officials of the World Health Organization, with the exception of those who are recruited locally and are assigned to hourly rates."

The list is restricted for reasons of a practical nature. It does not include consultants and other short-term staff, even though they enjoy the privileges and immunities applicable to them under the Convention. Similarly, the list does not include officials in the general services category who, while enjoying the privileges and immunities conferred upon them by the Convention, remain attached to the office for which they were recruited. The names of officials in this latter category are only communicated to the authorities of the country in which the office to which they are attached is situated.

Please accept, Sir, the assurance of my highest consideration.

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