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STATUS OF ANNUAL DECLARATIONS REGARDING ANTICIPATED ACTIVITIES AT SCHEDULE 2 AND 3 PLANT SITES IN 2009

- 1. Paragraph 8 of Article VI of the Chemical Weapons Convention (hereinafter "the Convention") states that each State Party "shall make annual declarations regarding the relevant chemicals and facilities" in accordance with the Verification Annex to the Convention (hereinafter "the Verification Annex").
- 2. Part VII of the Verification Annex covers the regime for Schedule 2 chemicals and facilities related to them. According to subparagraph 4(c) of that Part, each State Party shall submit annual declarations on anticipated activities "not later than 60 days before the beginning of the following calendar year".
- 3. Subparagraph 4(c) of Part VIII of the Verification Annex requires the same of each State Party for plant sites producing Schedule 3 chemicals.
- 4. The deadline for the submission of these declarations for 2009 was thus 1 November 2008. The States Parties listed below met that deadline.

STATES PARTIES THAT MET THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF THEIR ANNUAL DECLARATIONS REGARDING ANTICIPATED ACTIVITIES AT SCHEDULE 2 AND SCHEDULE 3 PLANT SITES IN 2009

State Party	
1.	Australia
2.	Austria
3.	Belarus
4.	Belgium
5.	Bulgaria
6.	Canada
7.	China
8.	Cuba*
9.	Czech Republic
10.	Finland
11.	France
12.	Germany
13.	Hungary
14.	India
15.	Iran (Islamic Republic of)
16.	Ireland
17.	Italy
18.	Japan
19.	Malaysia
20.	Mexico
21.	Netherlands
22.	New Zealand
23.	Norway
24.	Poland
25.	Republic of Korea
26.	Romania
27.	Russian Federation
28.	Singapore
29.	Slovenia
30.	South Africa
31.	Spain
32.	Sweden
33.	Switzerland
34.	Turkey
35.	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland
36.	United States of America
37.	Uzbekistan

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^{*} An asterisk denotes the submission of a nil declaration.