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STATEMENT ON UNITED NATIONS SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 757 OF 30 MAY 1992

The European Community and its member States welcome the United Nations Security Council Resolution 757 of 30 May 1992. They will, without delay, take the legal measures needed to ensure the immediate enforcement of the measures adopted on that resolution.

The European Community and its member States express the view that those measures should be considered in the light of their untiring efforts to achieve a lasting and peaceful solution for the problems of the former Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, namely through the Conference on Yugoslavia and through the talks of the three communities of Bosnia and Hercegovina on constitutional arrangements. The adopted measures, therefore, should remain in force until decisive steps by those directly responsible have been taken in the direction of peace.

The European Community and its member States urge all parties to Yugoslav crisis, and in particular Serbia and Montenegro, to comply with all relevant EC Declarations and Security Council resolutions and recall the special obligation which falls upon them in the search for a peaceful and negotiated solution for those outstanding problems.

The European Community and its member States remain deeply concerned with the situation in the Republic of Bosnia and Hercegovina. While recalling their Declaration of 11 May 1992, they urge again all parties involved in the conflict to engage constructively in the constitutional talks under the aegis of the EC Peace Conference as the only political framework which may enable a peaceful solution for the conflict in that republic.

The European Community and its member States will continue to follow closely developments in the territory of the former Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia and will be ready to take further measures if and whenever deemed appropriate.