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M. Philippe Gautier Registrar International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea Am Internationalen Seegerichtshof 1 22609 Hamburg Germany

Sir,

THE MOX PLANT CASE

In accordance with article 75, paragraph 2, of the Rules of the Tribunal, I hereby transmit the submissions of the United Kingdom.

The United Kingdom requests the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea to:

(1) reject Ireland's request for provisional measures;

(2) order Ireland to bear the United Kingdom's costs in these proceedings.

A copy of this letter is being transmitted to the Agent of Ireland.

Yours sincerely,

M.C. Lood

M C Wood (Agent of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland)