

## Annex G



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Moscow, "29" April, 1996

Your Excellency,

I have the honour to inform you that the Seminar on Principles of Security and Stability in the Asia Pacific was held in Moscow on April 23-24, 1996, in compliance with approval given by the Second ARF meeting in Brunei and in accordance with authorisation received from Indonesia - the Coordinator of the ARF intersessional activities.

After two days of intensive and constructive debate on conceptual approaches to the issues discussed, the participants of the Seminar adopted by consensus a Chairman's Report which is to be submitted to the next ARFSOM in Jogjakarta. As was decided at the Seminar, we annex this Report with the List of participants in the Moscow Seminar and a Draft Declaration "On the Principles of Security and Stability in the Asia Pacific Region", distributed by the Russian Side among the delegates as a working material for the discussion.

I hope that the forthcoming SOM will duly appreciate the work done, the consensus achieved and the perspectives laid down by the Moscow Seminar.

I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to Your Excellency the assurances of my highest consideration.

Alexander PANOV,

Deputy Minister,  
Ministry of Foreign Affairs,  
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## CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

The Seminar on Principles of Security and Stability in the Asia Pacific Region was held in Moscow on April 23-24, 1996 in accordance with the Chairman's Statement of the Second A.RF (Brunei, August 1, 1995) noting the Russian offer to host this Track Two seminar.

The participants of the Seminar had an intensive discussion on conceptual approaches to principles of security and stability in the region. This discussion was held in connection with the Russian proposals, including that of a Draft Declaration concerning the above mentioned principles. •

In view of the complexity and importance of the issues, which are considered to have global and regional dimensions, the participants found the discussion useful, particularly for better understanding of their respective visions on security and stability in the Asia Pacific. They consider it useful to continue the dialogue within Track Two of the ARF in forms which may be found appropriate by the ARF SOM.

The participants expressed their appreciation for the excellent hospitality of the Russian sponsors and for the Russian initiative to host this Track Two seminar as a contribution to the activities of the ASEAN Regional Forum.