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Agenda item 97 (z)
General and complete disarmament: the illicit trade in
small arms and light weapons in all its aspects

Mexico: amendments to draft resolution A/C.1/65/L.32

The illicit trade in small arms and light weapons in all its aspects

1. Replace operative paragraph 16 with the following text:

   “16. Recognizes the urgent need to prevent, combat and eradicate the illicit trade in small arms and light weapons across borders because of the harmful effects of those activities on the security of each State, subregion and region and of the world as a whole, endangering not only the well-being of peoples, but also their social and economic development;”

2. Replace operative paragraph 20 with the following text:

   “20. Recommends that the 2012 review conference assess and, as necessary, strengthen the follow-up mechanism of the Programme of Action;”