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authoritative pronouncements of international case-law, including the ICJ's decisions in the Corfu Channel case, South West Africa case and the case concerning the Military and Paramilitary Activities in and against Nicaragua. They are also consistent with the prevailing doctrines on this subject matter.

Mr. Chairman,

State responsibility is the backbone of international law and a cornerstone of the rule of international law in international relations. The rules of state responsibility should be clear and known to all subjects of international