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A/55/87 — Letter dated 15 June 2000 from the Permanent Representatives of the Russian Federation and the United States of America to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

A/55/93 — Letter dated 26 June 2000 from the Permanent Representative of the Russian Federation to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

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A/55/323 — Illicit traffic in small arms — report of the Secretary-General

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A/55/129 — Observance of environmental norms in the drafting and implementation of agreements on disarmament and arms control — report of the Secretary-General

### (u) Relationship between disarmament and development

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