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I have the honour to inform you that, having completed the usual consultations, it is my intention to appoint Dieter Boden (Germany) as my Special Representative for Georgia and Head of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia (UNOMIG).

Mr. Boden, who will take up his responsibilities shortly, will succeed Liviu Bota in these functions. I wish to take this opportunity to place on record my deep appreciation of Mr. Bota's dedication in carrying out his duties in Georgia over the past four years.

I should be grateful if you would bring this matter to the attention of the members of the Security Council.

(<u>Signed</u>) Kofi A. ANNAN
