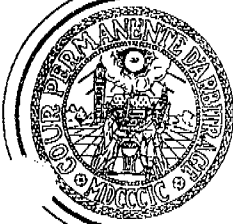


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Dear Mr. Peyton,

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I have received a letter dated February 21, 2003, from Mr. Antonio Parra, Acting Secretary-General of ICSID, indicating that certain documents required for the consideration of your request have not yet been submitted. I understand that you have received a copy of this letter.

In relation to your request that a replacement appointing authority be designated, the Secretary-General of the Permanent Court of Arbitration considers that ICSID's document request should be complied with prior to commenting further on this matter.

Yours sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Brooks W. Daly in black ink.

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