

**International Centre for Settlement of Investment Disputes  
Washington D.C.**

**Fireman's Fund Insurance Company**

**Claimant**

**v.**

**The United Mexican States**

**Respondent**

**ICSID Case No. ARB(AF)02/01**

**PROCEDURAL ORDER No. 1**

1. On August 22, 2002, the Claimant submitted its Request for the Production of Documents in the above-mentioned matter.
2. On August 23, 2002, the Respondent informed the Tribunal that it did not require the production of any documents at this stage of the proceedings, but that it reserves its right to submit a request for the Production of Documents in a subsequent stage of the proceedings.
3. On September 4, 2002, the Respondent filed its objections to Claimant's Request for the Production of Documents of August 22, 2002.
4. On September 9, 2002, the Claimant filed its response to the Respondent's objections of September 4, 2002 to Claimant's Request for the Production of Documents of August 22, 2002.
5. On September 13, 2002, the Respondent submitted a communication informing the Tribunal of its intention to comment on the Claimant's Response of September 9, 2002, asking the Tribunal to wait for such communication before rendering its decision on the matter.
6. On September 18, 2002, the Respondent filed its response to the Claimant's response of September 9, 2002.

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The Tribunal, having taken note of Claimant's request for production and Respondent's objections thereto, resolves that:

The Request is denied for lack of specificity at this stage of the proceedings. Furthermore, Claimant has not shown whether, and if so to what extent, its Request comes within the purview of Article 32 of the Vienna Convention, including "the preparatory work of the treaty and the circumstances of its conclusions." Claimant may renew its request within 15 days after the filing of the Statement of Defense.



**Professor Albert Jan van den Berg  
President, on behalf of the Tribunal  
September 19, 2002**