The Permanent Mission of the Philippines to the United Nations presents its compliments to the United Nations Secretary General (Attention: International Seabed Authority) and has the honor to forward, pursuant to Article 76, paragraph 8 and Article 84, paragraph 1 of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, one(1) plastic tube containing three copies of Philippine Chart No. 4726A "Outer Limits of the Continental Shelf in the Benham Rise Region."

Likewise attached is a Note prepared by the National Mapping and Resource Information Authority submitting three copies of Chart 4726A containing geodetic data and other relevant information permanently describing the outer limits of the continental shelf beyond 200 nautical miles from which the breadth of the territorial sea is measured in the Benham Rise Region.

The Permanent Mission of the Philippines to the United Nations avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the United Nations Secretary General (Attention: International Seabed Authority) the assurances of its highest consideration.

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