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I refer to document GC(XXXI)/811 concerning a request by Syria for the inclusion in the agenda for the thirty-first regular session of the Agency's General Conference of an item entitled "Israeli nuclear threat".

With regard to the inclusion of this item in the agenda and to points made in the explanatory memorandum, permit me to make the following comments:

- 1. Syria has requested, in its explanatory memorandum reproduced in document GC(XXXI)/811, the inclusion of an item entitled "Israeli nuclear threat" in the provisional agenda for the thirty-first regular session of the General Conference.
- Israel cannot but reflect on the disregard Syria shows for the Agency by requesting it to deal with a political subject which is in the province of the United Nations and is treated there extensively.
- 3. On 27 August 1987, Israel asked for the circulation of its comments on document GC(XXXI)/808 containing an explanatory memorandum submitted by Iraq. These comments apply to the Syrian explanatory memorandum of this year and of last year as well (GC(XXX)/778 of 30 June 1986).

^{*)}See document GC (XXXI)/812.