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Director (Disarmament & International Security Affairs), Ministry of External

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First Secretary/Counsellor (Political), High

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First Secretary (Political), Embassy of India,

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Under Secretary (United Nations) & Under Secretary (Disarmament & International Security), Ministry of External Affairs, New

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Third Secretary, Permanent Mission of India to the UN, Geneva and delegate to the Conference on Disarmament,

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