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The Permanent Mission of the Arab Republic of Egypt to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Office of the Secretary-General of the United Nations, and with reference to the Secretary-General's note no. M.Z.N.LOS.2010.77 regarding the deposited geographical coordinates of points submitted by the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia as indicated in the Royal Decree No. M/9 dated 12 January 2010, has the pleasure to submit herewith the declaration of the Arab Republic of Egypt pertaining to the abovementioned submission of Saudi Arabia.

The Permanent Mission of the Arab Republic of Egypt to the United Nations avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Office of the Secretary-General of the United Nations the assurances of its highest consideration.



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Office of the Secretary-General of the United Nations
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Egypt
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Declaration

Reference is made to United Nations Secretariat note verbale M.Z.N.LOS.2010.77 dated 25 March 2010, concerning the establishment by Saudi Arabia of the baselines for the Kingdom's maritime zones in the Red Sea, the Gulf of Aqaba and the Arabian Gulf, as set forth in Council of Ministers Resolution No. 15 of 11 January 2010 and Royal Decree No. M/4 of 12 January 2010.

The Arab Republic of Egypt declares that, with respect to the baselines set forth in table No. 1 annexed to Royal Decree No. M/4 of 12 January 2010 concerning the boundary line in the Red Sea opposite the Egyptian coast, north of latitude 22, which represents the southern border of Egypt, it will operate in a manner that does not impact on its position in the current negotiations with Saudi Arabia over the determination of the maritime borders between the two countries.
