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Border and Transborder Armed Actions (Nicaragua v. Honduras)

The following information is communicated to the press by the Registry of the International Court of Justice:

By a joint letter dated 13 August 1987, the Agents of Honduras and Nicaragua have transmitted to the President of the International Court of Justice the text, in the original Spanish, of an agreement signed on 7 August 1987 by the President of the Republic of Honduras and the President of the Republic of Nicaragua, in which they request the postponement of the opening of oral proceedings in the case concerning Border and Transborder Armed Actions" (Nicaragua v. Honduras) and in which is stated the following:

"... this judicial situation is to be reviewed by them on the occasion of the Meeting of Central-American Presidents to be held in one hundred and fifty days' time, according to the undertaking laid down in that plan, with a view to reaching agreement on a discontinuance of international judicial proceedings on the situation in Central America." (Translation by the Registry.)

A date for the opening of the hearings in the case will be fixed in due course.

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