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Note by the Secretariat

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I. Introduction

1. In accordance with the decision taken by the Legal Subcommittee of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space at its forty-fifth session (see A/AC.105/871, para. 95 and annex II, para. 7 (a)(ii)), the Working Group on the Definition and Delimitation of Outer Space invited Member States to submit proposals concerning criteria for analysing the replies to the questionnaire on aerospace objects.
2. The present document was prepared by the Secretariat on the basis of replies received from Member States.

II. Proposals received from Member States

Republic of Korea

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The Republic of Korea is of the view that it would not be appropriate to indicate its preferences or criteria for analyzing the replies to the questionnaire until the number of replies reaches a level sufficient to initiate work on summarizing them. Yet, the following could be considered as criteria: state practices, the interests of space-faring nations as well as non-space-faring nations, future technological development, and the national security of Member States.
