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**New Zealand's Request for an Examination of the Situation in
accordance with Paragraph 63 of the Court's 1974 Judgment in
the case concerning Nuclear Tests (New Zealand v. France)**

Court to give its decision on Friday 22 September 1995

On Friday 22 September 1995, at 11.30 a.m., the International Court of Justice will hold a public sitting for the purpose of announcing its decision on New Zealand's Request for an Examination of the Situation in accordance with Paragraph 63 of the Court's 1974 Judgment in the case concerning *Nuclear Tests (New Zealand v. France)*.

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NOTE FOR THE PRESS

1. The public sitting will be held in the Great Hall of Justice of the Peace Palace, The Hague, The Netherlands. Members of the Press will be entitled to attend on presentation of an admission card, which may be obtained upon application. The tables reserved for them are situated on the far left of the public entrance of the courtroom.
2. Photographs may be taken at the opening, during the first five minutes of the sitting; and also for a few minutes towards its end. Filming for television purposes is authorized; advance notice to be given as per paragraph 5 below.
3. In the Press Room, located on the ground floor of the Peace Palace (Room 5), the reading of the Court's decision will be relayed through a loudspeaker.
4. After the close of the sitting, a Press Communiqué will be distributed in the Press Room (Room No. 5).
5. Members of the Press who wish to make telephone calls may use the public telephones in the Post Office in the basement of the Palace.
6. Mr. Arthur Witteveen, Secretary in charge of information matters (tel. No. 31-70-3022336), or, in his absence, Mrs. N. C. El-Erian, Information Officer (tel. No. 31-70-3022337), will be available to deal with any requests for information by members of the Press or for making arrangements for television coverage.