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OTHER VISITS

[A number of mandatory [non-challenge] visits to facilities in States Parties could be conducted to help strengthen confidence in the accuracy of declarations and to deter non-compliance.]

[Such visits could convey information to States Parties about other relevant matters and could therefore have a role to play in implementing Article V and Article X.]

[Such visits could be focussed on key declared facilities eg. those involved in bio-defence programmes.]

[Such visits could take place at random.]

[Such visits could take place at short notice.]

[Such visits could be subject to a quota system to govern their distribution.]

[In the event that a State Party [or future Organisation] wished to seek clarification of an ambiguity or concern related to any other State Party's implementation of the arrangements under the future regime, but which would not warrant an investigation into a non-compliance concern, the State Party [or Organisation] could consult with the other State Party to seek to resolve the ambiguity or concern, and could, if necessary, request [or initiate] a visit for confirmation.]

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