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United States Mission to the OSCE U.S. Statement for the Forum for Security Co-operation: Any Other Business

As delivered by Chief Arms Control Delegate Spencer Fields
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Thank you, Madam Chair,

During the June 11 meeting of the Forum for Security Cooperation, the Russian Delegation accused the United States of submitting two late notifications, specifically CBM/US/24/0028/F45/O and CBM/US/24/0030/F47/O.

That accusation is false, as confirmed by receipt notifications from many participating States, including Russia itself. Russia received and opened the F45 on November 14, 2024, and the F47 on November 27, 2024, both before their respective due dates.

The Russian delegation needs to improve its own adherence to the Vienna Document, rather than making baseless accusations in this Forum.

Thank you, Madam Chair.