

Ambassador Caroline Millar of Australia
President of the Seventh Meeting of the States Parties

Ms. Millar was appointed Australia's Ambassador for Disarmament and Ambassador and Permanent Representative to the United Nations at Geneva in May 2006.

In the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade in Canberra, Ms. Millar served as First Assistant Secretary, International Organisations and Legal Division from November 2002 until December 2005. From July 2003 she was concurrently Ambassador for People Smuggling Issues.

Her other positions in the Department in Canberra have included Assistant Secretary, Executive, Planning and Evaluation Branch (2001-02); Assistant Secretary, Trade Policy Issues and Industrials Branch (2000); Director, Non-Proliferation Policy Section (1992-95); and Executive Officer, Indochina Section (1987-88). Ms. Millar was also seconded to the Office of National Assessments as Americas Analyst (1991-92).

Overseas, Ms. Millar recently undertook a short-term assignment as Ambassador and Acting Permanent Representative to the United Nations in New York from February to April 2006. She previously served as Counsellor, Australian Mission to the United Nations in New York (1995-1998); First Secretary, Australian Embassy, Washington (1989-91); and Second Secretary, Australian Embassy, Hanoi (1985-87).