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NOTE VERBALE DATED 14 JANUARY 1991 FROM THE PERMANENT MISSION OF RWANDA TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

The Permanent Mission of Rwanda to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Secretary-General and, with reference to his notes SCPC/7/90 (1) and SCPC/7/90 (1-2), has the honour to enclose the text of the message received from the Government of Rwanda regarding the measures it has taken in implementation of Security Council resolution 661 (1990) of 6 August 1990.

Annex

In reply to your notes SCPC/7/90 (1) and SCPC/7/90 (1-2) concerning the implementation of Security Council resolution 661 (1990), I have the honour to inform you as follows.

The Government of Rwanda has since the outbreak of the Gulf crisis respected and scrupulously implemented all the provisions of the resolutions adopted by the Security Council designed to put an end to Iraq's aggression and its annexation and illegal occupation of Kuwait, particularly the provisions of resolution 661 (1990) concerning economic, trade and financial sanctions against Iraq and occupied Kuwait.

No trade or financial relations of any kind whatsoever exists between Rwanda and these two countries, and Rwandese airspace is closed to aircraft registered in or chartered by Iraq and occupied Kuwait or flying to or from these two countries.

I wish to reaffirm the firm resolve of the Government of Rwanda to respect and implement the decisions of the United Nations on this subject and to reiterate to you the great appreciation of the Government of Rwanda for the efforts you are making, in the face of this difficult situation, to restore and ensure respect for law and the primacy of the international legal order.

(Signed) Casimir BIZIMUNGU
Minister for Foreign Affairs
and International Co-operation