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Letter dated 22 August 1979 from the Chargé d'Affaires a.i. of the  
Permanent Mission of Lebanon to the United Nations addressed to the  
Secretary-General

On instructions from my Government, and pursuant to our letter dated 6 August 1979 (A/34/401-S/13488, annex), I have the honour to draw your attention to the continuing Israeli acts of aggression against Lebanon as follows:

1. On 19 August:

At 800 hours, the villages of Ar-Rihan, al-Jurmuk, al-Aishiyah, Khallit Khazim and surrounding areas were shelled by Israeli gunners.

At 1100 hours, the village of al-Bireh and the road connecting Shweya and Sheba'a were shelled for half an hour.

At 1150 hours, an Israeli force raided the village of Sheba'a, but was intercepted by troops of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (UNIFIL) and was compelled to withdraw within two hours.

At 1610 hours, Israeli aircraft overflew, at low altitude, the city of Tyre.

At 1630 hours, the area around the village of al-Mualliyah was shelled.

At 1800 hours, the villages of Arnoun, Kfar Tibnit, Kfar Rumman, Habboush and Jarjou' were continuously shelled for three hours.

2. On 21 August:

At 845 hours, the city of Tyre was subjected to a barrage of heavy artillery fire for half an hour.

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3. On 22 August:

At 830 hours, the village of Suhmor came under concentrated artillery fire.

At 850 hours, concentrated shelling against Tyre was directed indiscriminately at all neighbourhoods within the city.

These unwarranted attacks against Lebanon violate the Lebanese-Israeli Armistice Agreement of 1949, international law and the Charter of the United Nations. But above all they constitute a defiance of the Security Council and a blatant attempt to obstruct the implementation of its resolutions 425 (1978) and 450 (1979).

I would appreciate your having this letter circulated as an official document of the General Assembly, under item 25 of the provisional agenda, and of the Security Council.

(Signed) Fakhri SAGHIYYAH  
Chargé d'Affaires a.i.