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NOTE VERBALE DATED 17 APRIL 1978 FROM THE PERMANENT  
REPRESENTATIVE OF SINGAPORE TO THE UNITED NATIONS  
ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

The Permanent Representative of the Republic of Singapore to the United Nations presents his compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and has the honour to refer to the latter's Note No. PO 230 SOAF of 10 November 1977, referring to resolution 418 (1977) adopted by the Security Council on 4 November 1977 on "The Question of South Africa" and requesting, in furtherance of paragraph 6 of that resolution, information on the measures taken by the Singapore Government in accordance with the provisions of the resolution.

The Permanent Representative has the honour to inform the Secretary-General that the Government of the Republic of Singapore has consistently condemned the apartheid policies of the Government of South Africa. The Government of the Republic of Singapore categorically states that consistent with this stand, it has never supplied arms and related material to the Government of South Africa, nor has it entered into any contractual or licensing arrangements with the Government of South Africa for the manufacture of all types of weapons, military equipment and supplies. The Government of the Republic of Singapore fully supports all initiatives taken to ensure strict compliance with the provisions of Security Council resolution 418 (1977).

The Permanent Representative of the Republic of Singapore has the honour to request that this Note be circulated as a document of the Security Council.

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