

**Security Council**

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Letter dated 3 October 2002 from the President of the Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General

In accordance with the provisions of Security Council resolution 689 (1991) and in the light of your report of 18 September 2002 (S/2002/1039), the members of the Security Council have reviewed the question of whether to terminate or continue the United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission (UNIKOM) and its operational modalities.

I have the honour to inform you that the members of the Security Council concur with your recommendation that UNIKOM be maintained. In accordance with resolution 689 (1991), they have decided to review the question once again by 6 April 2003.

(Signed) Martin **Belinga-Eboutou**
President of the Security Council
