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Letter dated 4 August 1983 from the Permanent Representative
of Afghanistan to the United Nations addressed to the
Secretary-General

I have the honour to bring to your attention the unofficial translation of a
statement which was made in response to Pakistan's allegations that the Armed

* A/38/150.

Forces of the Democratic Republic of Afghanistan has violated Pakistan territory and airspace (A/38/317-S/15892):

"A source of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Democratic Republic of Afghanistan, while categorically rejecting such fabrications of Pakistani militarist authorities, stated that no violation of Pakistan territory or airspace by the Armed Forces of the Democratic Republic of Afghanistan has ever occurred and these allegations of Pakistan authorities are totally false and far away from reality.

"The source added that the Government of Pakistan, with those baseless charges, intends to cover up its acts of aggression and armed interference against the Democratic Republic of Afghanistan. It is obvious to everybody that, in fact, it is the reactionary and militarist Government of Pakistan which, through the arming and training of Afghan counter-revolutionaries and their illegal export into Afghanistan for conducting sabotage and other criminal activities against the toiling and peaceful people of Afghanistan, is shamelessly interfering in our internal affairs. Furthermore, it is no secret to anybody that the territory of Pakistan has been and is being continuously and constantly used as a base for aggression and interference against revolutionary Afghanistan by world imperialism, under the leadership of the world-devouring imperialism of the United States of America, in collaboration with Chinese hegemonists.

"The Government of Pakistan cannot escape the heavy responsibility for its repeated and irrefutable aggression and armed interference against the Democratic Republic of Afghanistan through spreading of malicious lies and resorting to political machinations."

It would be much appreciated if Your Excellency could arrange that this letter be circulated as a document of the General Assembly, under items 64, 66, 67, 124, 125, 127 and 130 of the provisional agenda, and of the Security Council.

(Signed) M. Farid ZARIF
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