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Letter dated 22 May 1986 from the Permanent Representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

Upon instructions from my Government, I have the honour to transmit herewith the text of a report by IRNA dated 20 May 1986 from Orumiyeh, West Azarbaijan Province, concerning the seven Iraqi refugees who arrived in the border region of Iran and sought asylum.

It would be highly appreciated if this letter and its annex were circulated as a document of the General Assembly, under item 78 of the preliminary list, and of the Security Council.

(<u>Signed</u>) Said RAJAIE-KHORASSANI Ambassador Permanent Representative

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ANNEX

Report by IRNA dated 20 May 1986

Seven more Iragis seek asylum

Seven more Muslim Iraqis sought asylum in Iran over the past two days.

The refugees crossed the western borders of Iran fleeing Ba'athist tyranny in their homeland. They are from Karbala, Baghdad, Kirkuk and Kut. Among them is an eye specialist, a few college students, one soldier, one baker and a blacksmith.

On 18 May, an Iraqi woman from Sulaimaniyeh Province of Iraq took refuge in the Islamic Republic of Iran along with her three children.

