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LETTER DATED 7 JULY 1986 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF
THE ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED
TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

With reference to the letter dated 17 May 1986 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq, contained in document S/18066, in which he asserted:

"... we are prepared, as of this moment, to withdraw from the town of Mehran on either of two conditions: Iran's acceptance of the principle of total, comprehensive and unconditional withdrawal of the two parties to internationally recognized frontiers, as part of acceptance of a comprehensive state of peace between Iraq and Iran and non-intervention in internal affairs; or Iran's withdrawal from the Al-Faw triangle in return for Iraq's withdrawal from the town of Mehran."

I have the honour to inform the international body that the city of Mehran has been completely liberated by the forces of Islam. The Iraqi authorities should, therefore, come up with a better alternative than the one contained in the above-mentioned document.

It would be highly appreciated if this letter were circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Said RAJAIE-KHORASSANI
Ambassador
Permanent Representative

