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LETTER DATED 30 SEPTEMBER 1986 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES OF
IRAQ, JORDAN, KUWAIT, MOROCCO, SAUDI ARABIA, TUNISIA AND YEMEN TO THE
UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

We have the honour to inform you that our Committee, established under the resolution adopted by the Council of the League of Arab States at the foreign ministerial level at its emergency session on 14 March 1984, has reviewed the situation arising as a result of the daily official statements by the highest officials in the Iranian Government, which threaten the launching of fresh large-scale military aggression against Iraq. The Committee has deemed it appropriate to draw your attention to the fact that these threats confirm the determination of the Iranian Government to continue the war in spite of the resolutions of the Security Council, the most recent of these being resolution 582 (1986), which calls for the termination of the conflict between Iran and Iraq by peaceful settlement in accordance with the provisions of the United Nations Charter and international law. They constitute a grave development which presents a serious threat to peace, security and stability in the region and to international peace and security, contrary to the provisions of the Charter, and they impose on the Security Council the necessity of assuming its legal responsibilities in the endeavour to establish peace.

In view of the increasing gravity that marks the situation owing to the Iranian threats and the disastrous consequences that may arise out of the anticipated Iranian armed aggression, we request you to convene an urgent meeting of the Security Council to consider the grave situation between Iran and Iraq and to adopt measures to ensure the implementation of Security Council resolution 582 (1986), which was adopted unanimously on 24 February 1986.

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