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LETTER DATED 13 AUGUST 1991 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF  
IRAQ TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

On instructions from my Government, I have the honour to inform you that United States aircraft continue to violate Iraqi airspace, as follows:

1. United States air activity inside Iraqi airspace on 11/12 August 1991 amounted to 24 sorties flown by 10 two-aircraft formations and four single aircraft at speeds of 600 to 900 kilometres per hour and at altitudes ranging from 500 to 6,000 metres.

2. Flights were centred over Mosul, Arbil, Dohuk, Tall'afar, Amadiyah and Rawanduz, for the purpose of observation and provocation.

I should be grateful if you would have this letter circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Abdul Amir A. AL-ANBARI  
Ambassador  
Permanent Representative

