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LETTER DATED 29 MAY 1987 FROM THE CHARGE D'AFFAIRES, A.I. OF
THE PERMANENT MISSION OF THE ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN TO THE
UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Upon instructions from my Government and pursuant to our many previous letters regarding the persistence of the Iraqi régime in attacking purely civilian quarters inside the Islamic Republic of Iran, I have the honour to inform that the Iraqi forces kept the cities of Abadan and Khorramshahr under continuous heavy artillery from 9 to 15 May 1987. As a result of these attacks, several residential and commercial units were destroyed and a hospital in the city of Abadan was set ablaze.

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

(Signed) Mohammad Javad ZARIF
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