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In the light of the continuing dangerous situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina and other ex-republics of the former Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, I have been instructed by my Government to request an urgent formal meeting of the Security Council with a view to imposing economic, trade and oil sanctions against the authorities in Belgrade and to consider steps that would allow United Nations-escorted relief convoys to reach civilians in Bosnia and Herzegovina and to open Sarajevo airport for humanitarian reasons.

I would be grateful if you would arrange for this letter to be circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(<u>Signed</u>) Louise FRECHETTE

Ambassador and

Permanent Representative

