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LETTER DATED 16 MARCH 1988 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF IRAQ TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

On instructions from my Government and further to the letter dated 14 March 1988 addressed to you by Mr. Tariq Aziz, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Iraq, I have the honour to inform you that on the morning of 16 March 1988 the aggressive, expansionist Iranian régime launched two ground-to-ground missiles against the city of Baghdad at 0115 and 0155 hours (local time).

The two missiles fell on residential neighbourhoods in the city of Baghdad, causing the death and wounding of a number of citizens, including a number of women and children, and damage to a number of houses and to civilian property.

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

(<u>Signed</u>) Ismat KITTANI
Permanent Representative