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LETTER DATED 4 APRIL 1988 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF IRAQ
TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

On instructions from my Government, and with reference to the letter sent to you on 14 March 1988 by Mr. Tariq Aziz, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Iraq, as well as my earlier letters dated 16 and 21 March 1988, I have the honour to inform you that the aggressive and expansionist Iranian régime fired a ground-to-ground missile at the city of Kirkuk at 0145 hours local time on 1 April 1988.

The missile fell on one of the most heavily populated districts of the city, causing a number of deaths and injuries among civilians, including women and children, and destroying or damaging dwellings, businesses and private property.

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

(Signed) Ismat KJTTANI
Permanent Representative

