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LETTER DATED 18 AUGUST 1995 FROM THE CHARGE D'AFFAIRES A.I. OF THE PERMANENT MISSION OF YUGOSLAVIA TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

Upon instructions of my Government, I am writing to inform you of the following.

On 16 August 1995, one NATO aircraft violated the airspace of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia between 3.01 p.m. and 3.07 p.m. in the area of South Adriatic. The aircraft entered 8 km deep into the airspace of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, flying at an altitude of 4,100 m and 720 km per hour heading at a course of 270 degrees and exited the Yugoslav airspace in the direction of Prevlaka.

The Government of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia hereby lodges a strong protest to the Security Council due to frequent violations of its airspace by NATO aircraft in total disregard of the warnings of the Yugoslav Government. The Government of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia wishes to warn the Security Council of serious consequences that may arise therefrom and demands that such practices be immediately halted.

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

(<u>Signed</u>) Dragomir DJOKIC Ambassador Chargé d'affaires a.i.

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