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## SECRETARY-GENERAL EXPRESSES HOPE THAT SERBS WILL COMPLY WITH GORAZDE WITHDRAWAL REQUIREMENT

(Received from the Office of the Spokesman for the Secretary-General.)

The following is an excerpt of a statement by Secretary-General Boutros Boutros-Ghali during a press conference today in Bridgetown, Barbados:

I am hoping that the Serbs will comply with the different resolutions which have been adopted by the United Nations (and NATO) and that they will withdraw from Gorazde to a perimeter of 20 kilometres, and that we will not be compelled to use air strikes tonight at 8 o'clock New York time. But if they will not withdraw ... then we will use air strikes against them without any hesitation.

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