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THE SITUATION IN KAMPUCHEA

CHEMICAL AND BACTERIOLOGICAL (BIOLOGICAL) WEAPONS

Letter dated 9 March 1981 from the Permanent Representative of
Democratic Kampuchea to the United Nations addressed to the
Secretary-General

Further to my letter of 26 January 1981 (A/36/81), I have the honour to transmit to you the additional information annexed hereto on the use of toxic chemical weapons by the Vietnamese aggressors to massacre the population of Kampuchea.

I should be grateful if you would transmit this information to the Group of Experts to Investigate Reports on the Alleged Use of Chemical Weapons and have it circulated as an official document of the General Assembly under items 22 and 42 of the preliminary list.

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* A/36/50.

ANNEX

THE VIETNAMESE AGGRESSORS CONTINUE TO USE CHEMICAL WEAPONS TO
MASSACRE THE PEOPLE OF KAMPUCHEA

1. On 15 February, in Leach district, Pursat province (North-West region), the Vietnamese aggressors again spread toxic chemical substances to the villages of Angkrong and Sala, causing 22 casualties, including 2 persons seriously wounded.
2. Furthermore, on Mount Phnom Prey Choeung, in Kirivong district, Takeo province (South-West region), the Vietnamese aggressors added toxic substances to the water of wells, ponds and springs.

On 15 February, 11 inhabitants were affected by the water so poisoned, and one inhabitant died from it.
