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The Permanent Mission of Nigeria presents its compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and, with reference to the latter's notes PO 230 SOAF (2-2-4) and PO 230 SOAF (2-2-5) respectively, has the honour to communicate the following:

As a matter of principle, the Federal Republic of Nigeria since its independence in 1960 has never had any relations with the racist régime in South Africa. The Government of Nigeria believes in total isolation of the obnoxious régime in South Africa in all areas.

The Permanent Mission of Nigeria to the United Nations will continue to co-operate with the Security Council Committee Established by Resolution 421 (1977) in all its efforts to bring the South African régime to its knees.
