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Letter dated 3 October 1978 from the Permanent Representative of
Turkey to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to enclose herewith a letter dated 3 October 1978 addressed to you by Mr. Nail Atalay, the representative of the Turkish Federated State of Cyprus.

I should be grateful if this letter were circulated as a document of the General Assembly, under agenda item 28, and of the Security Council.

(Signed) Orhan ERALP
Ambassador
Permanent Representative

ANNEX

Letter dated 3 October 1978 from Mr. Nail Atalay to the
Secretary-General

I have the honour to enclose herewith the resolution of the Legislative Assembly of the Turkish Federated State of Cyprus, dated 2 October 1978, in connexion with the representation of the Republic of Cyprus at the United Nations and the policy of the Turkish Cypriot community for the settlement of the Cyprus problem.

I should be grateful if this letter and the resolution annexed herewith were circulated as a document of the General Assembly, under agenda item 28, and of the Security Council.

(Signed) Nail ATALAY
Representative

APPENDIX

Resolution, dated 2 October 1978, of the Legislative Assembly
of the Turkish Federated State of Cyprus

The Legislative Assembly of the Turkish Federated State of Cyprus:

Reiterates its unanimously adopted resolution No. 1 of 5 November 1976 that there was no legal and constitutional head of State in Cyprus to reflect the bicomunal nature of the State and that the head of the Greek Cypriot Administration could not represent the Republic or the Turkish community of Cyprus;

Unanimously resolves that Mr. Kyprianou, the present head of the Greek Cypriot Administration, cannot represent the Republic or the Turkish community of Cyprus; and,

Reminding the world public opinion that the organs and persons who could represent the Turkish Cypriots were freely determined by the general elections held in June 1976 in accordance with the Constitution of the Turkish Federated State of Cyprus;

Reiterates the fact that, in order that the new Federal Republic of Cyprus may be established, it would be necessary for the Cyprus problem to be solved in accordance with the results achieved by the intercommunal talks held in Vienna and within the framework of the agreement reached in principle between Mr. Denktas and the late Archbishop Makarios on 12 February, 1977; and,

Stresses from this point of view the necessity for the commencement of the intercommunal talks as soon as possible;

Having regard to the aforesaid considerations unanimously:

(a) Calls upon the United Nations organization and its distinguished Secretary-General to take the necessary steps towards the commencement of intercommunal talks;

(b) Declares that the problem cannot be solved by unilateral actions; and

(c) Denounces such unilateral actions.
