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LETTER DATED 15 FEBRUARY 1978 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE
OF THE LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO
THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

I have the honour to transmit herewith the text of a letter sent by cable addressed to Your Excellency from Dr. Ali Abdussalam Al-Treiki, Secretary for Foreign Affairs of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, in his capacity as Chairman of the Thirtieth Session of the Co-ordinating Committee for the Liberation of Africa.

In accordance with the request contained in the above-mentioned letter, I have the honour further to request that this letter and its enclosure be circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Mansur R. KIKHIA
Permanent Representative

Annex

Letter dated 14 February 1978 from Dr. Ali Abdussalam Al-Treiki, Secretary for Foreign Affairs of the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Chairman, Thirtieth Session of the Co-ordinating Committee for the Liberation of Africa, addressed to the Secretary-General

The Co-ordinating Committee for the Liberation of Africa, which is now convened in its thirtieth session at Tripoli, the Socialist People's Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, has decided to draw your attention to the announcement by the racist Vorster régime on Monday, 13 February 1978, of its decision to give the racist Zionist entity a loan in the amount of \$2 billion. In exchange, the racist Zionist entity proposed to the racist régime of South Africa an arrangement under which the latter would undertake the production of certain goods in occupied Palestine for export to the countries of the European Common Market and to the United States, thus obtaining a tariff advantage. The Zionist Minister of Finance also discussed in South Africa the question of permission for the Zionist entity to engage in fishing in South African territorial waters and the question of expansion in the field of air transport between the two racist entities.

The Co-ordinating Committee for the Liberation of Africa believes that this co-operation constitutes a blatant violation of the resolutions of the Security Council and the General Assembly. It also constitutes an act of defiance against the international community, which has condemned the racist régime of South Africa for its inhuman racist policy directed against the African people of South Africa. This unholy alliance between these two racist entities highlights the consolidation of the racist occupation of Palestine with a view to depriving the Palestinian people of its right to return to its country and achieve self-determination.

In my capacity as Chairman of the thirtieth session of the Co-ordinating Committee for the Liberation of Africa, I have the honour to inform you, Sir, of this decision by the Committee on a subject which it considers extremely important. I have the further honour to request that the members of the Security Council and the Members of the United Nations should be informed of the contents of this letter.
