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LETTER DATED 25 MAY 1976 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 24 May 1976, addressed to you by Mr. Nail Atalay, representative of the Turkish Federated State of Cyprus.

I should be grateful if this letter were circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Ilder TÜRKMEN
Ambassador
Permanent Representative

Annex

Letter dated 24 May 1976 from Mr. Nail Atalay addressed
to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to enclose herewith the "Resolution on the Cyprus Question and the Cause of the Turkish Moslem Community of Cyprus" adopted unanimously by the Seventh Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers in Istanbul on 15 May 1976.

I should be grateful if this letter and the resolution annexed herewith were circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Nail ATALAY
Representative of the
Turkish Federated State of Cyprus

Attachment

Resolution on the Cyprus Question and the Cause of the
Turkish Moslem Community of Cyprus

The Seventh Islamic Conference of Foreign Ministers, having listened with sympathy and great interest to the statement of His Excellency Rauf Denktas, Leader of the Turkish Moslem Community of Cyprus, who has voiced the struggle of his oppressed people for justice, dignity and legitimate rights:

1. Notes with satisfaction the interest of the fraternal people of the Turkish Moslem Cypriot Community to participate in the Islamic solidarity;
2. Supports the equality in rights of the Turkish Moslem Community of Cyprus as co-partners with the Greek Cypriot Community within the framework of independence, sovereignty, territorial integrity, and non-alignment of the Republic of Cyprus free from military bases;
3. Endorses the efforts of the Turkish Moslem Community of Cyprus in search for a peaceful political settlement, through the intercommunal talks, based on a federal constitution, within the framework of which the two communities will be able to live in peace and coexist with each other, side by side;
4. Decides to support, until the Cyprus problem is solved, the rightful claim of the Turkish Moslem Community of Cyprus for the right to be heard in all international forums where the Cyprus problem comes up for discussion, on the basis of equality with the Greek Cypriot representatives;
5. Agrees that the representatives of the Turkish Moslem Community of Cyprus be invited to attend the future meetings of the Islamic Conference.
