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LETTER DATED 16 NOVEMBER 1976 FROM THE SECRETARY-GENERAL  
ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

I have the honour to transmit herewith the text of resolutions A/RES/31/6 A-K\* on the policies of apartheid of the Government of South Africa, which were adopted by the General Assembly on 26 October and 9 November 1976. I wish to draw your particular attention to the provisions of paragraphs 1 and 2 of resolution A/RES/31/6 D which read as follows:

"The General Assembly,

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"1. Requests once again the Security Council to take urgent action, under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations, to ensure the complete cessation by all States of the supply of arms, ammunition, military vehicles, spare parts thereof, and any other military equipment to South Africa, as well as any co-operation to enable the building-up of military and police forces in South Africa;

"2. Further requests the Security Council to call upon all Governments, in particular:

"(a) To implement fully the arms embargo against South Africa, without any exceptions as to the type of weapons, and to prohibit any violations of the arms embargo by companies and individuals within their jurisdiction;

"(b) To refrain from importing any military supplies manufactured by, or in collaboration with South Africa;

"(c) To terminate any existing military arrangements with the racist régime of South Africa and to refrain from entering into or planning any such arrangements;

"(d) To prohibit any institutions, agencies or companies, within their national jurisdiction, from delivering to South Africa or placing at its

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disposal any equipment or fissionable material or technology that will enable the racist régime of South Africa to acquire nuclear-weapon capability."

I would like further to draw your attention to the provision of the part of resolution A/RES/31/6 K which reads as follows:

"The General Assembly,

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"Urges the Security Council, when studying the problem of the continued struggle against the apartheid policies of South Africa, to consider steps to achieve the cessation of further foreign investments in South Africa."

(Signed) Kurt WALDHEIM  
Secretary-General

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