

UNITED NATIONS
SECURITY
COUNCIL



Distr.
GENERAL

S/14722
13 October 1981

ORIGINAL: ENGLISH

LETTER DATED 13 OCTOBER 1981 FROM THE CHARGE D'AFFAIRES A.I. OF
THE PERMANENT MISSION OF THE LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA TO THE UNITED
NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

I have the honour to enclose herewith the text of a letter addressed to
Your Excellency from the People's Committee of the People's Bureau for Foreign
Liaison in the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya.

I would be grateful, Excellency, if the aforementioned letter could be
circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Avad S. BURWIN
Minister Plenipotentiary
Chargé d' Affaires a.i.

Annex

Letter from the People's Committee of the People's Bureau for
Foreign Liaison addressed to the President of the Security
Council

With reference to the letter of the Sudanese delegate to the United Nations, circulated as document S/14693 and dated 16 September 1981, the Socialist People's Libyan Arab Jamahiriya has previously drawn the kind attention of the Security Council to the aggressive intentions and provocative actions hatched by the ruling régime of the Sudan against the Libyan Arab people, with the intention of undermining its security and stability.

It has become evident now that the intentions of that régime have surpassed the stage of contemplation and planning to the actual initiation of those acts of aggression in a desperate attempt to cover up the internal and real problems in which the brotherly people of the Sudan now languishes.

Among the aggressive measures which the Sudanese régime has started to adopt are:

1. The escalation of the mobilization of Sudanese and Egyptian troops on their common borders with the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya;
2. The visit paid by the Egyptian chief of staff, in the company of a group of Sudanese staff officers, to the border region;
3. The establishment of an airlift between Egypt and the Sudan for the transportation of troops and military equipment to the border region with the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, as a means to implement the planned military aggression against the Libyan Arab people and its leadership;
4. The misleading publicity assault accompanying such aggressive actions in which senior Sudanese officials have actively participated, alleging that the Libyan Arab forces are provoking Sudanese forces and raiding Sudanese villages.

Both these allegations and the aggressive measures accompanying them are nothing but an attempt at covering up the direct intervention by foreign Powers in Chad, via the Sudan, with the purpose of supporting the Chadian insurgents. Indeed, the Sudanese régime has frankly confirmed that its forces actually participated in the fight on the side of the Chadian insurgents and has made it clear that all plans, actions and publicity assaults exerted by the Sudanese régime and its allies are nothing but an introduction to future armed actions against the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya.

/...

S/14722
English
Annex
Page 2

Once again, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya would like to draw Your Excellency's kind attention to these acts of aggression and to their ensuing dangerous consequences for the peace and security of the region, and, at the same time, to state that the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya reserves the right to take all measures necessary for its own self-defence, as provided for by the Charter of the United Nations and other international covenants.

It would be much appreciated if Your Excellency would kindly circulate this letter as a document of the Security Council.
