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Bearing in mind the very grave situation and the reports of mass killings and wanton destruction in East Timor, as well as the imminent evacuation of the remaining UNAMET staff and other personnel, I have the honour, under instructions from my Government in its capacity as administering Power of the Non-Self-Governing Territory of East Timor, to request an urgent meeting of the Security Council on the situation in East Timor, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the United Nations Charter and the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council.

(<u>Signed</u>) António MONTEIRO

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