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Letter dated 19 February 1982 from the Chargé d'Affaires a.i. of the  
Permanent Mission of Cuba to the United Nations addressed to the  
Secretary-General

In my capacity as Chairman of the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries, and on behalf of the Co-ordinating Bureau, I wish to draw your attention to the serious situation resulting from Israel's intense campaign attempting to justify beforehand military actions by Israel against the Palestinian people who have taken refuge in Lebanon and against their representative, the Palestine Liberation Organization.

We have noted with utmost concern that Israel is concentrating powerful war resources and numerous troops on the border with Lebanon with the apparent intention of launching a new act of aggression.

It will be recalled that the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries has considered the Israeli aggression as tantamount to genocide of the Palestinian refugees.

In reiterating our concern, we wish to reconfirm the support of the Movement of Non-Aligned Countries for Lebanon's sovereignty, territorial integrity, unity and political independence.

We call on the President of the Security Council and the Secretary-General of the United Nations to exert their efforts to bring an end to these Israeli actions and to prevent another Israeli act of aggression.

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I have the honour to request that the text of this letter be circulated as an official document of the General Assembly, under item 34 of the preliminary list, and of the Security Council.

(Signed) Rolando LOPEZ DEL AMO  
Ambassador  
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of Cuba to the United Nations

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