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LETTER DATED 30 MAY 1979 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF KUWAIT TO
THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

I would like to refer to the resolution of the Security Council on the extension of the mandate of UNDOF (S/RES/449 (1979)). I informed Your Excellency that the delegation of Kuwait was willing to accede to the general sentiment of the Council in renewing the mandate of UNDOF without explanations of vote.

However, the delegation of Kuwait would like to reaffirm the views of the Government of Kuwait on UNDOF as expressed during the meeting of the Security Council on 30 November 1978.

The Government of Kuwait would like to reiterate that it accepts the extension of the mandate of UNDOF solely because of the acceptance by the Government of Syria of this extension.

I request Your Excellency to circulate this letter as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Abdalla Y. BISHARA
Ambassador
Permanent Representative of the
State of Kuwait to the
United Nations