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Letter dated 8 June 1982 from the Permanent Representative of the
German Democratic Republic to the United Nations addressed to the
Secretary-General

I would be grateful if you would arrange for the circulation of the statement of the Central Committee of the Socialist Unity Party of Germany, the Council of State and the Council of Ministers of the German Democratic Republic concerning the Aggression of Israel against Lebanon, which His Excellency Mr. Oskar Fischer, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the German Democratic Republic, handed to you on 8 June 1982, as an official document of the General Assembly, under items 31 and 34 of the preliminary list, and of the Security Council.

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Statement of the Central Committee of the Socialist Unity Party
of Germany, the Council of State and the Council of Ministers
of the German Democratic Republic concerning the Aggression of
Israel against Lebanon

The Central Committee of the Socialist Unity Party of Germany, the Council of State and the Council of Ministers of the German Democratic Republic condemn Israel's aggression against Lebanon, declaring that this renewed aggression is all the more detestable since Israel is invading Lebanon at a time when the Soviet Union, the German Democratic Republic and other socialist countries as well as Governments of the western hemisphere are insisting on having the Middle East problem solved by way of negotiation. The measures taken by the Lebanese and Palestine side to ward off the Israeli aggression have the full solidarity of the German Democratic Republic.
