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LETTER DATED 10 APRIL 1982 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE
OF LEBANON TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT
OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

I am instructed by my Government to draw the attention of the Security Council to the massive Israeli troop concentrations on the Lebanese-Israeli borders, in violation of the General Armistice Agreement of 1949 and of resolution 425 (1978) and subsequent resolutions of the Security Council.

Massing of troops which has been taking place during the past few days, widely publicized, had been preceded and is now accompanied by official Israeli threats against the territorial integrity of Lebanon, in total violation of the United Nations Charter and the most elementary principles of international law.

While alerting the Security Council to the situation which endangers international peace and security in the Middle East, my Government reserves its right to call for an urgent meeting of the Security Council should the escalation continue or the situation deteriorate.

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

(Signed) Ghassan TUENI
Ambassador
Permanent Representative