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## LETTER DATED 12 MAY 1982 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF ARGENTINA TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

On express instructions from my Government, I have the honour to inform you of communiqué No. 41 of the Joint General Staff of the Argentine Armed Forces, which was issued today, 12 May 1982, and which reads as follows:

"The Joint General Staff announces that a Puma helicopter belonging to the Argentine Army, while carrying out search and rescue operations in connexion with the fishing vessel <u>Narval</u>, was attacked and shot down by British aircraft.

"Search operations to locate the helicopter and rescue the survivors are in progress."

I request you to have this letter circulated, as a matter of urgency, as a Security Council document.

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(<u>Signed</u>) Eduardo A. ROCA Ambassador Permanent Representative

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