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LETTER DATED 5 JUNE 1982 FROM THE CHARGE D'AFFAIRES A.I. OF THE  
PERMANENT MISSION 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 the following communiqués issued by the Joint General Staff of the Argentine Armed Forces:

Communiqué No. 126 of 4 June 1982:

"The Joint General Staff announces that today, 4 June 1982, ground actions have been continued in the Malvinas area; there were isolated patrol actions and Argentine artillery fire directed at Mount Kent, Mount Challenger and positions on the west side of Two Sisters Ridge.

Argentine anti-aircraft artillery repulsed an enemy air incursion over Puerto Argentino.

Enemy activity shows a decreasing trend, especially with regard to air operations."

Communiqué No. 127 of 4 June 1982:

"The Joint General Staff announces that today, 4 June 1982, intensive bombing raids were carried out over the area of Mount Kent by aircraft of the Argentine Air Force, which penetrated the enemy lines, dropping bombs and conducting scouting and reconnaissance missions. It should be stated that there was no opposition or air activity by the enemy during the day."

The above-described military actions of the Argentine Armed Forces were carried out by the Argentine people and Government in exercise of the right of self-defence provided for in Article 51 of the Charter of the United Nations.

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

(Signed) Arnaldo M. LISTRE  
Ambassador

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