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LETTER DATED 9 NOVEMBER 1982 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE  
OF NIGER TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF  
THE SECURITY COUNCIL

The announcement of the establishment by the Israeli authorities of new settlements in the occupied territories is a matter of keen concern to the Organization of the Islamic Conference, which views this new gesture as simply a continuation of the policy of defiance, colonization and domination being pursued by Israel in spite of the disapproval of the international community and of the relevant resolutions of the Security Council.

The Organization of the Islamic Conference therefore feels that this action can neither be tolerated nor be the subject simply of verbal disapproval, which, moreover, will be ignored by the Tel Aviv authorities. It therefore demands the full attention of your Council, which must respond to this new act of defiance with prompt and energetic action.

I therefore request you, on behalf of the States members of the Organization of the Islamic Conference and jointly with the Arab group that has already brought this matter to your attention, to convene the Security Council as a matter of urgency to discuss this important matter.

(Signed) Ide OUMAROU  
Chairman of the group of States members of  
the Organization of the Islamic Conference  
Permanent Representative of Niger to  
the United Nations

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