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LETTER DATED 13 JUNE 1983 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF  
PAKISTAN TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF  
THE SECURITY COUNCIL

I have the honour to forward herewith the text of a statement issued by the Government of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan at the execution of death sentences on three members of African National Congress. I would be grateful if you could kindly have this letter and the text of the statement circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) S. Shah NAWAZ  
Ambassador and Permanent Representative

Annex

Statement issued on 11 June 1983 by the Government of the Islamic  
Republic of Pakistan at the execution of death sentences on three  
members of the African National Congress

The Government and people of Pakistan express their deep anguish and outrage at the execution of the death sentence by the illegal minority régime of Pretoria on Mr. Thelle Simon Mogoerane, Mr. Jerry Semano Mosololi and Mr. Marcus Thabo Motaung. Despite appeals for clemency by the international community, the Security Council and the United Nations Secretary-General, the racist régime of Pretoria proceeded to carry out the death sentences, demonstrating, yet again, the barbarous and inhuman nature of its policies.

The Government of Pakistan vehemently condemns this act of inhumanity by the Pretoria régime and expresses its total solidarity with the brave people of South Africa in their heroic struggle to attain their basic human rights of equality, self-determination and majority rule. The Government of Pakistan considers that the sacrifice of these three freedom fighters for their just cause will not have been made in vain.

The Government of Pakistan expresses its condolences to the bereaved families of the valiant freedom fighters who lost their lives in the noble cause of freedom from racist minority rule and calls on the international community to renew its support for the brave freedom struggle of the people of South Africa.

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