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Letter dated 17 January 2002 from the Permanent Representative of Romania to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

I would like to inform you that, pursuant to Security Council resolution 1386 (2001), the Parliament of Romania has approved a decision authorizing the participation of 48 military personnel and one C-130 Hercules carrier aircraft, including 25 military police, 20 air force military personnel and three liaison officers, in the International Security Assistance Force deployed in Afghanistan under the leadership of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

The Romanian military personnel is ready to be deployed since 10 January and will be deployed within 24 hours after the decision of the Force Commander is issued.

I would appreciate it if the present letter could be circulated as a Security Council document.

(Signed) Alexandru Niculescu
Ambassador
Permanent Representative

