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LETTER DATED 6 SEPTEMBER 1988 FROM THE CHARGE D'AFFAIRES A.I. OF
THE PERMANENT MISSION OF THE ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN TO THE
UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Upon instructions from my Government, and pursuant to my letter dated 2 September 1988 (S/20171), annexing a list of violations of the cease-fire by the Iraqi forces, I have the honour to inform you of further violations of the cease-fire by Iraqi forces. These violations and all other future violations will be numerated in accordance with the numerical sequence in previous letters, in this case document S/20171.

83. Between 10:30 and 12:00 hours, on 27 August 1988, Iraqi forces used a bulldozer to extend a road from Kalleh-Ghandi at the geographic co-ordinates of 89600-34900 to Sang-e-Madan at the geographic co-ordinates of 89550-35000.

84. On 30 August 1988, Iraqi forces raised an Iraqi flag on the Kalleh-Ghandi Height at the geographic co-ordinates of 36900-89600.

85. On 30 August 1988, seven Iraqi military personnel entered the village of Hassanabad in the Marivan area and moved the already raised Iraqi flag to higher grounds to attain greater visibility.

86. At 8:10, 8:40 and 9:20 hours, on 31 August 1988, as well as at 8:30 hours, on 1 September 1988, four Iraqi helicopters were seen flying in the Jangvey area.

87. At 01:00 hours, on 31 August 1988, Iraqi forces in the vicinity of the geographic co-ordinates of 51-76 on map 13, started to install barbed wire and create mine-fields and then moved their position forward by 1 kilometre.

88. At 16:00 hours, on 31 August 1988, Iraqi forces installed 500 metres of barbed wire at the geographic co-ordinates of 61-36 on the map of Sumar.

89. At 11:00 hours, on 1 September 1988, Iraqi forces at the geographic co-ordinates of 50-61 on the map of Sumar advanced by 200 metres and moved their trenches and watch-tower location.

90. On 1 September 1988, Iraqi forces in the Apeh Takhteh area beneath Dopaza at the geographic co-ordinate of 293047 installed three rows of circular barbed wire.
91. At 14:30 hours, on 1 September 1988, an Iraqi IFA vehicle discharged ordnance at the geographic co-ordinates of 502-548 on the map of Sumar.
92. At 15:30 hours, on 1 September 1988, Iraqi forces added barbed wire to already existing wire at the geographic co-ordinates of 57-45.
93. At 16:30 and 18:30 hours, on 1 September 1988, 10 to 15 Iraqi tanks and armoured vehicles carried out military manoeuvres between Mostajeran at the geographic co-ordinate of 2500 and the area gens d'armerie along the Doyraj River.
94. At 21:30 hours, on 1 September 1988, Iraqi forces fired 20 flare ammunitions in Band-e-Pirali at the geographic co-ordinates of 47-56.
95. On the night of 1 September 1988, Iraqi forces at the geographic co-ordinates of 50-55 on the map of Sumar planted mines.
96. On 2 September 1988, several Iraqi personnel in the Dopaza area started to dig a canal towards Bolfat-e-Koochak.
97. On 2 September 1988, 15 Iraqi military trucks were seen building a road in the general Haj Omran area.
98. On 2 September 1988, a company of Iraqi infantry were seen reinforcing their positions on the western side of the Ching Heights in Iraq.
99. At 16:40 and 18:15 hours, on 2 September 1988, Iraqi PC7 aircraft fired rockets at an Iranian military border station at the geographic co-ordinates of 83-15 on 1:50,000 map of Diraj. Rockets also hit a location 4 kilometres into Iranian territory in the Visajeh area in Oshnaviyeh at the geographic co-ordinate of 83015.
100. At 16:45 hours, on 2 September 1988, 4 Iraqi MIG aircraft were seen flying towards Iranian territory from an altitude of 2,100 ft. at an angle of 270 degrees, 10 miles from the north-western region of the Islamic Republic of Iran.
101. At 8:10 hours, on 3 September 1988, two Iraqi PC7 aircraft fired three rockets, subsequent to crossing Iranian borders and penetrating 3 kilometres into Iranian territory in the vicinity of the Darsheikh-Zivas at the geographic co-ordinates of 94-92 on the map of Kosepyar.
102. On 3 September 1988, Iraqi forces raised an Iraqi flag at the geographic co-ordinates of 50300-96500 on the map of Marivan in Iranian territory.

103. On 3 September 1988, Iraqi forces fired 15 artillery shells at the Nazdarrehdagh area.

104. On 3 September 1988, Iraqi forces started to build a new road in Bolfat-e-Koochak and new trenches in 1873 Heights.

It would be highly appreciated if this letter were circulated as a document of the Security Council.

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