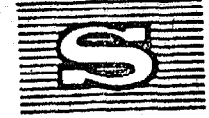


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LETTER DATED 10 DECEMBER 1970 FROM THE KING OF BHUTAN
ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL*

- I have the honour, on behalf of the Government of Bhutan, to make application for Bhutan to be admitted to the United Nations Organization.
2. I should be grateful if you would arrange for this application to be placed before the Security Council and the General Assembly.
 3. My Government endorses the purposes and principles stated in the United Nations Charter and declares that it accepts the obligations incumbent upon Members of the Organization and solemnly undertakes to fulfil them.
 4. The Government and people of Bhutan are acutely aware of the proven value of the United Nations Organization to small and developing nations of the world and consequently attach great importance to membership.
 5. Please accept, etc.

(Signed) Jigme Dorji WANGCHUK
The King of Bhutan

* Received by the Secretary-General on 21 December 1970.