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LETTER DATED 19 MARCH 1968 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF BOTSWANA  
ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Upon instruction from my Government I have the honour to request Your Excellency to bring to the attention of the Security Council the fact that although my Government is in agreement with the general sentiment of the letter dated 12 March 1968 addressed to the President of the Security Council on the question of Southern Rhodesia by a number of African delegations including my own, the Government of Botswana wishes to make its position clear that it does not advocate the use of force.

I request that this letter be circulated as a document of the Security Council.

I have the honour to be, etc.

(Signed) P.P. MAKERE  
for Ambassador and Permanent  
Representative

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