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LETTER DATED 18 JULY 1967 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF DENMARK ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Further to my letter of 30 January 1967 concerning the implementation by the Danish Government of resolution S/RES/232 (1966) adopted by the Security Council on 16 December 1966 on the question of the situation in Southern Rhodesia, I have the honour to inform you that the new legislation contemplated by the Danish Government, and to which I referred in my above-mentioned letter, was passed by the Danish Parliament on 2 May 1967.

The provisions of this legislation, as contained in Act No. 156 of 10 May 1967 on Certain Measures pursuant to the United Nations Charter, authorize the Government - following negotiations with the Parliament's Foreign Affairs Committee - to take such measures as Denmark is under obligation to implement in pursuance of the United Nations Charter to carry out decisions taken by the Security Council in accordance with Article 41, cf. Article 39, of Chapter VII of the Charter.

By Royal Decree No. 195 of 31 May 1967 on Measures against Southern Rhodesia the Danish Government has laid down the necessary provisions to give effect to the above-mentioned resolution S/RES/232 (1966). In accordance with section 3 the Decree entered into force on 13 June 1967, but its provisions shall apply notwithstanding any contracts entered into or licences granted before the date of the Decree. Any persons violating the provisions of the Decree shall be liable under the Criminal Code to a fine or to simple detention or, in aggravating circumstances, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three years.

I am enclosing three copies of a translation into English of the Act of 10 May 1967 and of the Royal Decree of 31 May 1967.

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I should be grateful if this letter could be circulated as an official document of the Security Council.

Please accept, etc.

(Signed) H. TABOR
Ambassador
Permanent Representative of Denmark
to the United Nations

Act No. 156 of 10 May 1967

Act on Certain Measures pursuant to the United Nations Charter adopted by the Folketing on 2 May 1967

Section 1

<u>Subsection 1.</u> Following negotiations with the Folketing's Foreign Affairs Committee, such measures may be taken by Royal Decree as Denmark is under obligation to implement in pursuance of the United Nations Charter to carry out decisions taken by the Security Council in accordance with Article 41, cf. Article 39, of Chapter VII of the Charter.

Subsection 2. Such measures may cover Danish nationals being outside the State of Denmark.

Section 2

The Act shall enter into force on the date of its promulgation in the Lovtidende (Law Gazette).

<u>Done at</u> Christiansborg Castle, 10 May 1967. Under Our Royal Hand and Seal.

(Signed) Frederik R.

(Countersigned) J.O. Krag

ORDER ON MEASURES AGAINST SOUTHERN RHODESIA

We, Frederik the Ninth by the Grace of God King of Denmark, the Wends and the Goths, Duke of Slesvig, Holsten, Stormarn, Ditmarsken, Lauenborg and Oldenborg, make known by these presents: Pursuant to section 1 of Act No. 156 of 10 May 1967, on certain measures according to the United Nations Charter the following provisions are laid down to give effect to the resolution adopted by the Security Council of the United Nations on 16 December 1966, relating to sanctions against Southern Rhodesia:

- 1. (1) Activities such as mentioned in items (i)-(v) below, and acts designed to promote such activities, must not be performed in this country or outside the territory of the State of Denmark by Danish nationals or in any ship or vessel registered in Denmark:
 - (i) Importation into and shipment to Denmark of asbestos, iron ore, chrcme, pig-iron, sugar, tobacco, copper, meat, meat products, hides, skins and leather originating in Southern Rhodesia and exported therefrom after 16 December 1966.
 - (ii) Exportation and shipment from Southern Rhodesia of any of the commodities referred to in item (i) above, entering into contracts in respect of such commodities, and payments of any kind on the account of or for the benefit of Southern Rhodesia or of any person or undertaking in Southern Rhodesia with a view to exportation of such commodities or entering into contracts in respect thereof.
 - (iii) Sale, shipment or other supply to Southern Rhodesia of arms, ammunition, military or other motor vehicles and aircraft, and equipment and materials for the manufacture and maintenance of arms, ammunition, motor vehicles and aircraft.
 - (iv) Manufacture and assembly of aircraft and motor vehicles in Southern Rhodesia.
 - (v) Sale, shipment and other supply to Southern Rhodesia of oil and oil products.
- 1. (2) The provisions of sub-section (1) above shall apply notwithstanding any contracts entered into or licences granted before the date of this Order.

- 2. Any person violating the provisions of section 1, sub-section (1) above, shall be liable under the provisions of section 110 c of the Criminal Code to a fine or to simple detention or, in aggravating circumstances, to imprisonment for a term not exceeding three years.
 - 5. This Order shall enter into force on the date of its promulgation in the Legal Gazette.

Done at Amalienborg this 31st day of May 1967. Under Our Royal Hand and Seal

Frederik R

