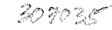


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The Permanent Mission of the Socialist Republic of Romania to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and, upon the instructions of its Government, has the honour to state the followings with reference to his note No. PO 230/SORH/1, of 17 December 1966, addressed to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs:

"The Government of the Socialist Republic of Romania took knowledge of the provisions of resolution S/RES/232 (1966) adopted by the Security Council on 16 December 1966 on the question concerning the situation of Southern Rhodesia.

"The Socialist Republic of Romania, consistently declaring itself for the implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples, supports the right of the Zimbabwe people to freedom and independence and condemns the actions undertaken by the illegal authorities in Southern Rhodesia against these people.

"The Government of Romania reaffirms its consistent policy of non-recognition of the racist illegal government in Southern Rhodesia and states that it does not maintain any economic, commercial or other relations with the illegal authorities in Salisbury."

The Permanent Mission would be most grateful if the Secretary-General could arrange to have the text of this letter circulated as an official document of the Security Council.

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The Permanent Mission of the Socialist Republic of Romania to the United Nations avails itself etc.

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