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OF DENMARK ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

I have the honour to transmit the following information on Denmark's policy with regard to Southern Rhodesia:

In accordance with Security Council resolution 217 (1965) of 20 November 1965, Denmark does not recognize the illegal regime in Southern Rhodesia. The head of the Danish Consulate General in Salisbury has been withdrawn, and Denmark does not recognize passports issued by the illegal regime. The existing embargo on supplies of arms and other military equipment to Southern Rhodesia will be maintained. On 23 November 1965, the Danish Government stopped the importation of tobacco from Southern Rhodesia with the exception of consignments contracted prior to 11 November 1965. The Danish Government has further decided, with effect from 7 December 1965, (1) to prohibit exportation of all goods from Denmark to Southern Rhodesia, direct as well as via third countries, and (2) to prohibit importation into Denmark of all goods of Rhodesian origin. Excepted from this embargo are, however, consignments which have already been contracted and will be shipped in the immediate future.

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

(Signed) H. TABOR  
Ambassador

Permanent Representative of Denmark  
to the United Nations

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