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LETTER DATED 13 CCTOBER 1965 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF INDIA
ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL.

I have the honour to bring to your attention the following further violations of the cease-fire agreement by Pakistan:

Jammu and Kashmir

Tithwal Sector

- (i) Fakistani troops directed 81 mm mortar fire towards our troops in an area seven miles north and six miles north-east of Tangdhar respectively on 10 October 1965.
- (ii) Fakistani troops supported by artillery twice attacked our position in an area seven miles north of Tangdhar on 11 October 1965. Further details are awaited.
- (iii) Pakistani troops, a battalion plus a company strong, attacked our post in an area six miles north north-west of Tangdhar at 0545 hours on 11 October 1965. The attack was supported by artillery, mortars and medium machine gun fire.

Punch Sector

(iv) Pakistani troops were seen constructing new positions in an area eight miles north north-west of Punch on the night of 9/10 October 1965.

Mendhar Sector

- (v) Fakistani troops directed 4.2 inch mortar, 91 mm mortar and medium machine-gun fire towards our posts in areas seven miles west, four and a half miles north-west, seven and a half miles north-west of Mendhar and eight miles west of Rajauri, respectively, on 10 October 1965.
- (vi) Fakistani troops fired field guns and mortars towards our post in an area six miles west of Mendhar on the night of 11/12 October 1965.

Naushahra Sector

- (vii) Fakistani troops directed artillery and 81 mm mortar fire towards our troops in areas four miles east south-east and four miles south of Jhangar, respectively, on 10 October 1965.
- (viii) Pakistani troops fired field guns and mortars towards our post in an area six miles north-east of Jhangar on the night of 11/12 October 1965.

Akhnur Sector

- (ix) Approximately thirty Pakistani troops in Mazri were seen approaching an area four miles scuth-west of Palwinder bridge on 10 October 1965.
- (x) Pakistani troops fired towards our area thirty rifle shots from an area four miles east north-east of Jaurian on the night of 10/11 October 1965.
- (xi) Fakistani troops were seen laying wire obstacles and mines and occupying new defence positions in an area six and three quarter miles west north-west of Akhnur on 12 October 1965.

Pun,jab

Lahore Sector

- (xii) Fakistani troops fired intermittently with machine-guns for ten minutes from an area three miles east of Khem Karan on 10 October 1965.
- (xiii) Fakistani troops were seen digging some more trenches along the east bank of Ichhogil Canal in an area three and a half miles west of Hudiar during the night of 10/11 October 1965. Laying of mines and knife rests in the area along Hudiara drain were also seen.
- (xiv) Fakistani troops laid wire on the east bank of Ichhogil Canal in an area two and a half miles south south-east of Jallo during the night of 10/11 October 1965.
- (xv) Pakistani troops opened fire with artillery, tanks and medium machine-guns towards Syphon area, two and a half miles south of Barki, at 1705 hours on 12 October 1965. United Nations Observers have proceeded to the area for investigation.
- (xvi) A Fakistani Air Observation post aircraft flew over Burj area, six miles west of Khalra, under our occupation at 1210 hours on 12 October 1965.

Fazilka Sector

- (xvii) Fakistani troops opened fire with small arms on our police posts in an area six miles north-west of Jalalahad on 10 October 1965.
- (xviii) Fakistani troops set on fire jhuggies (huts) in village Churianwala, six miles scuth-west of Fazilka on 10 Cctober 1965. A huge column of smoke was seen coming from the village.
- (xix) Fakistani troops engaged our troops with light machine-gun fire in areas two miles north-east and east of Chananwala, respectively, on 11 Cotober 1965.

Rajasthan

(xx) Fakistani troops fired sporadically from Rodge, four miles west of Kelnor, towards Kacebe-ke-Pani, approximately six miles north of Kelnor, from 1600 hours to 1700 hours on 10 October 1965.

Cease-fire violation complaints have been or are being lodged in respect of all these violations.

I shall be grateful if this communication is circulated as a Security Council document.

Please accept, etc.

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to the United Nations