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LETTER DATED 13 OCTOBER 1965 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF PAKISTAN
ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

I have been instructed by my Government to inform you of the following
violations of the cease-fire by Indian forces:

DCHEL SECTOR

- (1) Approximately 100 Indian soldiers were observed constructing bunkers at point 772401 between 0700 hours and 1600 hours on 4 October 1965.
- (2) Indian troops fired six shells from 3-inch mortars and 700 rounds from machine guns at our positions 9320/9821 between 1130 hours and 1150 hours on 6 October 1965.
- (3) Indian forces resumed firing with heavy mortars on our position 9321 from 1500 hours on 6 October 1965.
- (4) Indian troops launched an attack with two companies preceded by artillery firing on our position in area 9161 at 0900 hours on 6 October 1965.
- (5) Indian troops supported by heavy weapons, attacked our troops in area 8359 at 2200 hours on 7 October 1965.
- (6) Approximately two companies of Indian troops supported by artillery, mortars and machine-guns attacked our position at point 9020 (9060) at 0735 hours on 7 October 1965.
- (7) Indian troops attacked our position 952607 with approximately one company supported by artillery, mortars and machine guns at 1140 hours on 7 October 1965.
- (8) Indian troops fired with machine-guns on one of our mule convoys in area 749406 between 1100 hours and 1200 hours on 7 October 1965.
- (9) Indian troops opened fire with 3-inch heavy mortars and machine-guns towards our position 9320 from 0800 hours to 1400 hours on 8 October 1965.

DCMEL SECTOR (continued)

- (10) Indian troops shelled heavily with artillery and heavy mortars our position 9317 from 0900 hours to 1200 hours on 8 October 1965.
- (11) Indian troops launched an attack in battalion strength supported by artillery and mortars on our position 8667 at 0945 hours on 8 October 1965.
- (12) Indian troops fired with machine-guns on our position 8656 at 1115 hours on 8 October 1965.
- (13) Indian artillery fired towards areas Jura 8457 and 8557 between 1200 hours and 1700 hours on 8 October 1965.
- (14) Indian troops attempted an assault with approximately two companies on our positions 8659 and 8759 between 2230 hours on 7 October and 0100 hours on 8 October 1965.
- (15) An Indian patrol fired at one of our patrols in area 783443 between 2200 hours and 2220 hours on 8 October 1965.
- (16) Indian troops continued firing with artillery, mortars and machine-guns towards our positions 8659 and 8553 between 2300 hours on 8 October and 0400 hours on 9 October 1965.

RAJAURI-KOTLI SECTOR

- (17) Indian troops fired three bombs from 3-inch mortars intermittently from medium machine-guns on our post in Square 1151 from 1808 hours on 8 October 1965.
- (18) Indian troops fired intermittently with artillery, mortars and medium machine-guns towards our positions 1212, 1912 and 1611 between 2130 hours on 7 October and 0430 hours on 8 October 1965.
- (19) Indian troops fired intermitterly with 3.7-inch howitzers, 3-inch mortars, medium machine-guns and recoilless rifles on our positions in Squares 1052 and 1152 from 1000 hours to 1600 hours on 9 October 1965.
- (20) Indian troops started shelling with 4.2-inch heavy mortars on our position in Squares 2012 and 2013 at 1645 hours on 9 October 1965.
- (21) Indian troops fired over 100 7.2-inch shells towards Square 1211 at 0700 hours on 9 October 1965.

RAJAURI-KOTLI SECTOR (continued)

- (22) Indian troops fired twelve rounds from 4.2-inch mortars towards Square 2112 at 10:40 hours on 9 October 1965.
- (23) Indian troops fired 10 x 25-pounder bombs towards area 1611 between 1800 and 1815 hours on 9 October 1965.
- (24) About one platoon of Indian soldiers was observed digging trenches at GR 140067 at 1000 hours on 9 October 1965.
- (25) Indian troops fired 5 x 4.2-inch heavy mortar shells in Square 1912 on 9 October 1965.
- (26) Enemy machine-guns kept on firing towards Jura bridge throughout the 9th/10th night.
- (27) Indian troops fired 6 x 4.2-inch mortar shells in Square 1911 at 0445 hours on 10 October 1965.
- (28) Indian troops fired 11 x 7.2-inch shells in Square 1911 at 0519 hours on 10 October 1965.
- (29) Indian troops fired forty-five rounds from 4.2-inch heavy mortars and twenty-five-pounder guns from Squares 1510 and 2100 respectively from 1025 hours to 1055 hours on 10 October 1965.
- (30) Indian troops fired intermittently with machine-guns towards our position at point 1152 from 1100 to 1400 hours on 10 October 1965.
- (31) Indian troops again fired with machine-guns on our position at point 1152 at 1700 hours on 10 October 1965.
- (32) Indian troops fired approximately 500 x 25-pounder and 4.2-inch heavy mortar shells towards Square 1611 from 1040 hours to 1130 hours on 10 October 1965.
- (33) One Indian army battalion was reported in front of Muhl 1055 at 1600 hours on 10 October 1965.
- (34) Indian troops fired eight rounds from 4.2-inch mortars on our positions in areas 2112 and 2113 at 2240 hours on 10 October 1965.
- (35) Indian forces again fired four rounds from 4.2-inch mortars on our positions in areas 2112 and 2113 at 0050 hours on 11 October 1965.

TITHVAL SECTOR

- (36) Indian troops fired with machine-guns and recoilless rifles towards Shahkot bridge between 1200 hours and 1300 hours on 7 October 1965.
 - (37) Indian troops fired intermittently with machine-guns and light machine-guns towards our area 9320 from 09⁴⁵ hours on 7 October 1965.
 - (38) An Indian patrol fired on our patrol in area 783443 between 2200 hours and 2220 hours on 8 October 1965.
 - (39) The Indians launched an attack on our position at point 8667 (3760) with one battalion supported by artillery and mortars at 0830 hours on 8 October, 1965.
 - (40) Indian army attacked our positions 3659 and 3759 with one battalion supported by artillery and mortars at 1600 hours on 9 October 1965.
 - (41) Indian troops fired with mortars towards Shahkot bridge between 0400 hours and 0500 hours on 9 October 1965.
 - (42) Indian troops fired with machine-guns on one of our mule convoys in area 7440 at 0900 hours on 9 October 1965.
 - (43) Indian troops attempted an assault with two companies on our positions 3659 and 3759 between 2230 hours on 8 October and 0700 hours on 9 October 1965.
 - (44) Indians continued to fire with artillery, mortars and machine-guns towards our positions at 3659 and 3558 between 2300 hours on 8 October and 0400 hours on 9 October 1965.
 - (45) Indian soldiers fired with mortars towards Shahkot bridge between 0400 and 0500 hours on 9 October 1965.
 - (46) Indian artillery fired intermittently towards our area 3558 between 1200 hours and 1700 hours on 10 October 1965.
2. UNMCGIP has been informed of the above violations.
3. I wish to draw your Excellency's attention to the serious situation developing in the Tithval Sector as a result of persistent Indian attempts to destroy the Shahkot bridge and to occupy the east bank of the Kishan Ganga river. It is clear from the repeated attacks that they have made on our positions in this area that they are determined to ignore the cease-fire and force a military decision. Even the presence of United Nations Observers has not deterred the

Indians from following this aggressive course of action. I have, therefore, been instructed to inform you that, in case the Indians persist in their aggression, our forces will be constrained to take all appropriate measures in self-defence.

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

5. Please accept, etc.

(Signed) Syed Amjad ALI
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Permanent Representative of Pakistan to the
United Nations

