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LETTER DATED 21 FEBRUARY 1958 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF
FRANCE TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

With reference to the letter addressed to you by the Permanent Representative of Tunisia on 20 February 1958, which was circulated as document S/3962, I have the honour to inform you of the following:

Late in the afternoon of 19 February a French military jeep proceeding over the Remada airfield in the extreme south of Tunisia was blown up by a mine; one officer and one soldier were wounded. The field is a military airfield for whose security the French armed forces are responsible under the agreement reached between France and Tunisia on 17 October 1956.

I should be grateful if you would circulate this letter in the same way as that of the Tunisian Representative, who made no mention whatever of the serious outrage that gave rise to the incident to which his letter refers.

I have the honour to be, etc.

(Signed) G. Georges-Picot
Ambassador and Permanent
Representative

