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TELEGRAM DATED 13 NOVEMBER 1977 FROM THE MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF COLOMBIA ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

I have read with great interest the text of resolution 418 (1977) adopted by the Security Council on 4 November, in which the Council determines that the acquisition by South Africa of arms and related matériel constitutes a threat to the maintenance of international peace and security and decides that all States shall cease any provision of arms, etc. In this connexion, I am pleased to state that the Government of Colombia has never engaged in arms trading with South Africa and will comply with the above-mentioned resolution.

I should appreciate it if this telegram could be circulated as a Security Council document.

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