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LETTER DATED 17 NOVEMBER 1983 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF
TURKEY TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

I have the honour to enclose herewith a letter dated 17 November 1983
addressed to you by Mr. Nail Atalay, representative of the Turkish Republic of
Northern Cyprus.

I should be grateful if this letter were circulated as a document of the
Security Council.

(Signed) A. Coşkun KIRCA
Ambassador
Permanent Representative

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Annex

Letter dated 17 November 1983 from Mr. Nail Atalay addressed
to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to enclose herewith the peace package offered by the President of the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus, H.E. Mr. Rauf R. Denktaş, to his Greek Cypriot counterpart during the press conference held today.

I should be grateful if this letter and its enclosure were circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Nail ATALAY
Representative of the
Turkish Republic of
Northern Cyprus

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Enclosure

Press release dated 17 November 1983

"PEACE PACKAGE CONTAINING SOME VERY POSITIVE AND CONSTRUCTIVE PRACTICAL AND GOODWILL MEASURES OFFERED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE TURKISH REPUBLIC OF NORTHERN CYPRUS, H.E. MR. RAUF RAIF DENKTAŞ, TO HIS GREEK CYPRIOT COUNTERPART

"In its desire to promote an atmosphere of goodwill, establish mutual confidence and thus facilitate progress towards a final comprehensive solution to the Cyprus question through intercommunal talks on the existing mutually agreed basis under the auspices of the United Nations Secretary-General, the Turkish Cypriot side declares its readiness to engage immediately in negotiations with the Greek Cypriot side within the framework of the good offices mission of the United Nations Secretary-General on the following subjects:

"A. The establishment of an interim administration in Varosha under the auspices of the United Nations, without any prejudice to the final political status of the area.

"The parties may enter into discussions promptly to plan for the development of the interim administration's structure.

"There shall be no numerical limitations for the number of Greek Cypriots to be resettled in the area.

"The area of resettlement will be the same as it was defined on the Turkish Cypriot map of 5 August 1981.

"The United Nations would provide such technical assistance as may be necessary to survey and rehabilitate the city's infrastructure and buildings, and to facilitate the process of resettlement.

"B. The reopening of Nicosia international airport for civilian traffic under an interim United Nations administration to the mutual benefit of the two sides in Cyprus."
