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LETTER DATED 25 APRIL 1989 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF PANAMA TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

I have the honour to write to request that you convene a meeting of the United Nations Security Council for the purpose of considering the grave situation which my country is facing as a result of the flagrant intervention in its internal affairs by the United States, the policy of destabilization and coercion pursued by the United States and the permanent threat of the use of force against my country.

There has been a serious worsening in the situation created by United States activities, both overt and covert, direct and indirect, against the sovereignty, political independence, economic security and territorial integrity of the Republic of Panama, in open violation of the Charter of the United Nations and of the principles of international law, as a result of a further escalation of acts of aggression and subversion constituting a threat to international peace and security. Accordingly, this situation should be considered as a matter of urgency by the Security Council under your distinguished presidency.

(<u>Signed</u>) Leonardo A. KAM Ambassador Permanent Representative

