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LETTER DATED 17 FEBRUARY 1964 FROM THE ACTING PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE
OF TURKEY ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

I have the honour to submit enclosed the text of a cable addressed to Your Excellency by Dr. Fazıl Küçük, Vice-President of the Republic of Cyprus. Due to the difficulties encountered by Dr. Küçük in transmitting the message through normal channels, he was obliged to send it through the Turkish Embassy in Cyprus, to be forwarded to its destination.

I request that this communication be brought to the notice of the members of the Security Council.

Please accept, etc.

(Signed) Vahap ASIROGLU
Acting Permanent Representative
of Turkey to the United Nations

PRESIDENT
SECURITY COUNCIL OF THE UNITED NATIONS
NEW YORK

FURTHER MY PREVIOUS COMMUNICATIONS TO YOU AND SECRETARY GENERAL AND
ROLZ MENNETT'S REPLY FIND MYSELF UNDER OBLIGATION CABLE YOU AGAIN AND INVITE
ATTENTION FOLLOWING. FIRST APART FROM QUESTION VALIDITY ROSSIDES CREDENTIALS
WOULD RETERRATE THAT UNDER CYPRUS CONSTITUTION UNILATERAL REPRESENTATION
CANNOT BE MADE TO UNITED NATIONS WITHOUT TURKISH CYPRIOTE SIDE PARTICIPATING IN
SUCH REPRESENTATION. ANY REPRESENTATION MADE BY GREEK CYPRIOTE SIDE SHOULD
NOT BE ACCEPTED AS HAVING BEEN MADE BY TWO COMPOSITE PARTS OF CYPRUS GOVERNMENT
BECAUSE UNDER CONSTITUTION MY ASSENT IMPERATIVE TO BIND CYPRUS REPUBLIC AS
A WHOLE. IF COUNCIL DECIDE TO HEAR GREEK CYPRIOTE REPRESENTATION THEN I REQUEST
TURKISH CYPRIOTES SHOULD ALSO BE GIVEN HEARING ON GROUNDS NATURAL JUSTICE.
SECONDLY ANGLO-AMERICAN PEACE-KEEPING PROPOSALS REJECTED BY GREEKS WITH SINISTER
OBJECT GAINING TIME IN ORDER LAUNCH FRESH ONSLAUGHTS AGAINST CYPRIOTE TURKS OR
SUBDUE THEM BY FORCE. GRATEFUL IF COUNCIL REJECT GREEK CYPRIOTE REPRESENTATION
BOTH ON CONSTITUTIONAL PROCEDURE GROUNDS AND ON MERITS. CYPRIOTE GREEKS SHOULD
BE COUNSELLED ACCEPT FORTHWITH INTERNATIONAL PEACE FORCE AS PROPOSED BY BRITAIN
AND U.S.A.

DR. KUÇUK
VICE-PRESIDENT OF CYPRUS
