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LETTER DATED 8 AUGUST 1964 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF TURKEY ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

I have the honour to submit enclosed the text of a telegram, addressed to Your Excellency, by Dr. Fazil Kutcuk, Vice-President of Cyprus.

I will be obliged to Your Excellency if you will be kind enough to have the text of this telegram circulated as a document of the Security Council.

I avail myself, etc.

(Signed) Orhan ERALP
Ambassador
Permanent Representative of
Turkey to the United Nations

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Water supply for the Turkish quarter of Ktime town has been cut off by the Greeks as from the morning of 5 August. In this way about 2,500 Turks including old people, women and children are being condemned to death in the most brutal and uncivilized manner.

Bringing to Your Excellency's knowledge this disgraceful and inhuman action of Greeks, which will no doubt be condemned by the entire civilized world, I appeal urgently for effective measures to be taken by Your Excellency and by the Security Council.