

1. LETTER FROM THE REPRESENTATIVE OF IRAN ON THE SECURITY COUNCIL
AND AMBASSADOR EXTRAORDINARY AND PLENIPOTENTIARY OF IRAN TO THE
SECRETARY-GENERAL DATED 18 MARCH 1946

IRANIAN EMBASSY
WASHINGTON, D.C.

March 18, 1946
No. 2993

My dear Secretary General,

In accordance with telegraphic instructions received this morning from my Government, I have today addressed, in your care, a letter to the President of the Security Council, bringing to his attention the dispute between Iran and the U.S.S.R.

I take the liberty of enclosing a copy of that communication, which was sent to New York, and I should be extremely grateful if Your Excellency would have the appeal of Iran put on the agenda of the Security Council due to meet on March 25th.

Believe me, my dear Secretary General,

Yours sincerely,

HUSSEIN ALA

Representative of Iran before
the Security Council and
Ambassador Extraordinary and
Plenipotentiary of Iran

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Sir,

Pursuant to Article 35, paragraph 1, of the Charter of the United Nations, Iran brings to the attention of the Security Council a dispute between Iran and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, the continuance of which is likely to endanger the maintenance of international peace and security. This dispute has arisen by reason of new developments since the adoption by the Security Council of the resolution of January 30, 1946, relating to the earlier dispute between the U.S.S.R. and Iran. The U.S.S.R. is maintaining Soviet troops in Iranian territory after March 2, 1946, contrary to the express provisions of Article V of the Tripartite Treaty of Alliance of January 29, 1942. Furthermore, the U.S.S.R. is continuing to interfere in the internal affairs of Iran through the medium of Soviet agents, officials and armed forces. These acts are in violation of the aforesaid treaty, and also in violation of the Declaration of Teheran and the Charter of the United Nations. The immediate and just solution of this dispute by the Security Council is of the greatest importance to the preservation of the good relations with the U.S.S.R. which Iran wishes to maintain as an independent and sovereign state, and to the survival of the purposes and principles which the members of the United Nations have solemnly undertaken to respect.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

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