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PERMANENT MISSION OF THE ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN TO THE UNITED  
NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Upon instructions from my Government and pursuant to my numerous letters concerning Iraqi violations of the cease-fire, I have the honour to submit a list of further violations of the cease-fire by Iraqi forces. The numerical sequences of these violations follows sequence of those previously reported.

1647. At 0300 hours and from 1300 to 1750 hours on 4 May 1989, a number of Iraqi forces were digging canals in the vicinity of the geographic co-ordinates of NE 65-84, NE 63-79 and NE 61-75 on the map of Baneh.

1648. At 1500 and 1750 hours on 4 May 1989, an IFA vehicle and a truck were unloading ammunition in the vicinity of the geographic co-ordinates of QB 016-208 on the map of Dehloran.

1649. On 4 May 1989, Iraqi forces, using heavy machinery, constructed new fortresses and fortifications in the regions of Kuh Mahak, Dasht-e-Leek and Halaleh.

1650. At 1800 hours on 5 May 1989, 12 Iraqis were leveling the ground with two bulldozers in the vicinity of the geographic co-ordinates of NC 50-56 on the map of Sumar.

1651. At 1820 hours on 5 May 1989, two IFA vehicles were unloading ammunition in the vicinity of the geographic co-ordinates of QB 016-215 on the map of Dehloran.

1652. At 1300 hours on 6 May 1989, six IFA vehicles were carrying military personnel from the geographic co-ordinates of ND 228-648 towards ND 235-674 on the map of Ghasr-e-Shirin.

1653. On 6 May 1989, new canals were dug and new barricades were constructed at the geographic co-ordinates of NE 822-492 on the map of Gharinab.

1654. On 6 May 1989, a new observation post was constructed in the vicinity of the geographic co-ordinates of PB 658-060 on the map of Mehran.

1655. On 6 May 1989, a 500-metre barbed wire was installed during the night from the geographic co-ordinates of ND 250-681 to ND 255-685 on the map of Ghasr-e-Shirin.

1656. On 6 May 1989, a significant increase in traffic was noticed at the geographic co-ordinates of NF 05-26 on the map of Sardasht. Daily convoys of 4 vehicles increased up to 16 vehicles each, which also included commanders' vehicles.

1657. At 1600 hours on 7 May 1989, four Iraqis were constructing rest barricades in the vicinity of the geographic co-ordinates of NC 38-60 on the map of Sumar.

1658. From 1615 to 1700 hours on 7 May 1989, six Iraqis were constructing offensive barricades in the vicinity of the geographic co-ordinates of NC 494-553 on the map of Sumar.

1659. On 7 May 1989, the Iraqis constructed an observation post during the night in the vicinity of the geographic co-ordinates of PB 575-135 on the map of Mehran.

1660. On 7 May 1989, a new interconnecting canal was dug at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 488-566 on the map of Sumar.

1661. On 7 May 1989, a new rest barricade was constructed and a heavy machine gun was stationed at the geographic co-ordinates of NE 479-920 on the map of Marivan.

1662. On 7 May 1989, new underground barricades were dug at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 497-553 on the map of Sumar.

1663. On 7 May 1989, a new barricade was built at the geographic co-ordinates of NE 489-914 on the map of Marivan.

1664. From 0800 to 1000 hours on 8 May 1989, three Iraqi loaders and bulldozers were operating around Height 402 at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 507-506 on the map of Sumar.

1665. At 0900 hours on 8 May 1989, new canals were dug at the geographic co-ordinates of QB 016-185 on the map of Dehloran.

1666. At 1025 hours on 8 May 1989, new barricades were constructed at the geographic co-ordinates of QB 008-238 on the map of Dehloran.

1667. At 1730 hours on 8 May 1989, an IFA vehicle was unloading ammunitions at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 93-54 on the map of Kharrat-ha.

1668. At 2240 hours on 8 May 1989, some Iraqi forces, crossing the buffer zone and penetrating the Iranian cease-fire line, approached the Jaber bridge at the geographic co-ordinates of ND 26-73 on the map of Ghal'eh and opened fire at the Iranian forces.

1669. On 8 May 1989, an ambush barricade was built on Hill 380 at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 252-759 on the map of Sumar.

1670. On 8 May 1989, a new tank platform was built on Height 402 at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 507-505 on the map of Sumar.

1671. On 8 May 1989, a new canal approximately 100 m in length was dug at the geographic co-ordinates of PB 890-0490 on the map of Salehabad.

1672. At 0700 hours on 9 May 1989, eight loaders and bulldozers were operating in the vicinity of Height 402 at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 507-505 on the map of Sumar.

1673. At 0850 hours on 9 May 1989, a truck was unloading barbed wire at the geographic co-ordinates of TQ 32-17 on the map of Hoseinieh.

1674. At 0900 hours on 9 May 1989, new interconnecting canals were dug in the general area of Dehloran at the geographic co-ordinates of QA 981-084 on the map of Kuh Tappeh and Meimeh River.

1675. At 1500 hours on 9 May 1989, a loader was operating in the vicinity of Height 402 at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 508-505 on the map of Sumar.

1676. At 1700 hours on 9 May 1989, 13 Iraqis were constructing new observation posts at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 760-530 on map No. 13.

1677. At 2100 hours on 9 May 1989, a transport aircraft was flying south-north in the general area of Talul-at-Hadiat in the vicinity of the geographic co-ordinates of QV 24-80 and QV 24-70 on the map of Hadadieh.

1678. On 9 May 1989, a 106 mm cannon was stationed at the geographic co-ordinates of NF 045-284 on the map of Sardasht.

1679. On 9 May 1989, four new weapons positions were constructed at the geographic co-ordinates of NE 390-919 and NE 495-918 on the map of Marivan.

1680. From 0700 to 1730 hours on 10 May 1989, a new tank platform was built on Height 402 at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 507-505 on the map of Sumar.

1681. From 0800 to 1800 hours on 10 May 1989, two bulldozers were building up trenches in the vicinity at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 693-484 on map No. 13.

1682. At 0830 hours on 10 May 1989, some 10 to 15 Iraqis were digging new canals at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 702-494 on map No. 13.

1683. At 0845 hours on 10 May 1989, 20 Iraqis were stationed at the geographic co-ordinates of TQ 32-16 on the map of Hoseinieh in the vicinity of south Kushk.

1684. At 0900 hours on 10 May 1989, six Iraqis were digging new canals at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 486-545 on the map of Sumar.

1685. At 1900 hours on 10 May 1989, two Iraqis were constructing new barricades at the geographic co-ordinates of 790-540 on map No. 13.

1686. On 10 May 1989, two new positions were built at the geographic co-ordinates of ND 835-839 and ND 839-840 on the map of Halabcheh.

1687. On 10 May 1989, a new barricade was built at the geographic co-ordinates of ND 774-839 on the map of Halabcheh.

1688. On 10 May 1989, a new barricade was constructed at the geographic co-ordinates of PD 966-065 on the map of Nowsud.

1689. On 10 May 1989, two new observation posts were constructed at the geographic co-ordinates of PB 793-144 and PB 792-141 on the map of Mehran.

1690. On 10 May 1989, new canals were dug in the general area of Kani Salar at the geographic co-ordinates of ND 821-822 on the map of Halabcheh.

1691. At 0800 hours on 11 May 1989, a bulldozer was leveling the ground at the geographic co-ordinates of 506-504 in the general area of Height 402.

1692. On 11 May 1989, new interconnecting canals were dug from the geographic co-ordinates of ND 788-817 to ND 788-824 in the general area of Bizel.

1693. At 0800 and 0830 hours on 12 May 1989, 30 Iraqis were digging canals at the geographic co-ordinates of QA 085-185 and QA 01-18 on the map of Dehloran.

1694. At 1000 and 1030 hours on 12 May 1989, six Iraqis were installing barbed wire at the geographic co-ordinates of TQ 21-17 on the map of Hoseinieh.

1695. On 12 May 1989, a new barricade was constructed and a 40 m wall was built at the geographic co-ordinates of NE 685-680 on the map of Baneh.

1696. At 0850 hours on 13 May 1989, 25 Iraqis were digging new canals at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 696-490 on map No. 13.

1697. At 1130 hours on 13 May 1989, two new barricades were constructed at the geographic co-ordinates of ND 232-624 and ND 232-622 on the map of Ghasr-e-Shirin.

1698. At 1700 hours on 13 May 1989, 15 Iraqis were digging canals at the geographic co-ordinates of ND 217-689 on the map of Ghasr-e-Shirin.

1699. At 1730 hours on 13 May 1989, 30 Iraqis were constructing observation barricades at the geographic co-ordinates of QA 97-20 on the map of Nahr-e-Anbar.

1700. On 13 May 1989, a new observation post was built at the geographic co-ordinates of NB 78-02 on the map of Salehabad.

1701. On 13 May 1989, an observation post was constructed at the geographic co-ordinates of PB 80-13 on the map of Mehran and a rest barricade at the geographic co-ordinates of PB 80-10 on the map of Salehabad.

1702. On 13 May 1989, a new offensive barricade was constructed at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 384-607 on the map of Sumar and a new rest barricade at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 397-602 on the same map.

1703. At 0830 hours on 14 May 1989, 18 Iraqis were digging a 10 m canal and constructing a new offensive position at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 517-545 on the map of Sumar.

1704. At 1630 hours on 14 May 1989, 10 Iraqis were digging new canals in the vicinity of the geographic co-ordinates of NC 591-512 on the map of Sumar.

1705. On 14 May 1989, a new rest barricade was built at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 100-950 on the map of Sar-e-Ney.

1706. At 0830 hours on 15 May 1989, some 15 to 20 Iraqis were constructing barricades in the vicinity at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 682-489 on map No. 13.

1707. At 0900 hours on 15 May 1989, 20 Iraqis were digging new canals in the vicinity of the geographic co-ordinates of NC 769-515 on map No. 13.

1708. At 0930 hours on 15 May 1989, four Iraqis were constructing offensive barricades at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 282-604 on the map of Kani Sheikh.

1709. At 0945 hours on 15 May 1989, a loader was making a tank platform at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 505-565 on the map of Sumar.

1710. At 1000 hours on 15 May 1989, six Iraqis were defusing mines and removing 105 m of barbed wire to open a passage at the foot of Height 654 at the geographic co-ordinates of ND 215-684 on the map of Ghasr-e-Shirin.

1711. At 1500 hours on 15 May 1989, 60 Iraqi personnel in full gear were moving from the geographic co-ordinates of ND 223-682 towards ND 243-638 on the map of Ghasr-e-Shirin.

1712. On 15 May 1989, the Iraqis occupied a new position, stationing five personnel therein, at the geographic co-ordinates of MF 904-873 on the map of Seeparz.

1713. On 15 May 1989, three group barricades were constructed at the geographic co-ordinates of MF 880-885 on the map of Seeparz.

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1714. On 15 May 1989, the Iraqis, at the geographic co-ordinates of MF 897-873, increased their forces from 200 to 300 and the number of their barricades from 2 to 20.

1715. On 15 May 1989, the Iraqis dug, during the night, a 90 m canal at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 470-578 on the map of Sumar, a 70 m canal at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 475-574 on the same map, an approximately 10 m canal at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 478-565 on the same map and a 25 m canal at the geographic co-ordinates of NC 486-569 on the same map.

It would be highly appreciated if this letter were circulated as a document of the Security Council.

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