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SUMMARY STATEMENT BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL ON MATTERS OF WHICH THE SECURITY COUNCIL IS SEIZED AND ON THE STAGE REACHED IN THEIR CONSIDERATION

Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in document S/16270 of 11 January 1984, S/16270/Add.4 of 7 February 1984 and S/16270/Add.12 of 4 April 1984.

During the week ending 26 May 1984, the Security Council took action on the following items:

The situation in the Middle East (see S/7913, S/7923, S/7976, S/8000, S/8048, S/8066, S/8215, S/8242, S/8252, S/8269, S/8502, S/8525, S/8534, S/8564, S/8575, S/8584, S/8595, S/8747, S/8753, S/8807, S/8815, S/8828, S/8836, S/8885, S/8896, S/8960, S/9123, S/9135, S/9319, S/9382, S/9395, S/9406, S/9427 and Corr.1, S/9449, S/9452, S/9805, S/9812, S/9930, S/10327, S/10341, S/10554, S/10557, S/10703, S/10721, S/10729, S/10743, S/10770/Add.4, S/10855/Add.15, S/10855/Add.16, S/10855/Add.23, S/10855/Add.24, S/10855/Add.29, S/10855/Add.30, S/10855/Add.33, S/10855/Add.41, S/10855/Add.43, S/10855/Add.44, S/11185/Add.14, S/11185/Add.15, S/11185/Add.16, S/11185/Add.21, S/11185/Add.42/Rev.1, S/11185/Add.47, S/11593/Add.15, S/11593/Add.21, S/11593/Add.29, S/11593/Add.42, S/11593/Add.49, S/11935/Add.21, S/11935/Add.42, S/11935/Add.48, S/12269/Add.12, S/12269/Add.13, S/12269/Add.21, S/12269/Add.42, S/12269/Add.48, S/12520/Add.10, S/12520/Add.11, S/12520/Add.17, S/12520/Add.21, S/12520/Add.37, S/12520/Add.39, S/12520/Add.42, S/12520/Add.47, S/12520/Add.48, S/13033/Add.2, S/13033/Add.16, S/13033/Add.19, S/13033/Add.21, S/13033/Add.23, S/13033/Add.34, S/13033/Add.47, S/13033/Add.50, S/13737/Add.15, S/13737/Add.16, S/13737/Add.21, S/13737/Add.24, S/13737/Add.25, S/13737/Add.26, S/13737/Add.33, S/13737/Add.47, S/13737/Add.50, S/14326/Add.10, S/14326/Add.11, S/14326/Add.20, S/14326/Add.24, S/14326/Add.28, S/14326/Add.29, S/14326/Add.47, S/14326/Add.50, S/14840/Add.8, S/14840/Add.21, S/14840/Add.22, S/14840/Add.23, S/14840/Add.24, S/14840/Add.25, S/14840/Add.27, S/14840/Add.30, S/14840/Add.31, S/14840/Add.32, S/14840/Add.33, S/14840/Add.37, S/14840/Add.42,

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S/14840/Add.48, S/15560/Add.3, S/15560/Add.21, S/15560/Add.29, S/15560/Add.37, S/15560/Add.42, S/15560/Add.45, S/15560/Add.47, S/15560/Add.48, S/16270/Add.6, S/16270/Add.7, S/16270/Add.8 and S/16270/Add.15)

In a letter dated 17 May 1984 addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/16569), the representative of Kuwait, in his capacity as Chairman of the Arab Group for the month of May 1984, requested that an urgent meeting of the Security Council be convened to consider the most recent act of aggression committed by Israel against the refugee camp of Palestinians at Ein El-Helweh in south Lebanon.

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 2540th meeting, held on 21 May 1984, on the basis of the request from Kuwait.

The President drew attention to the request contained in the letter dated 17 May 1984 from the representative of Egypt (S/16571) that the representative of the Palestine Liberation Organization be invited to participate in the debate. He said that the proposal was not formulated under rule 37 or rule 39 of the Security Council's provisional rules of procedure but that if it was adopted by the Council, the invitation would confer on the Palestine Liberation Organization the same rights of participation as were conferred on Member States invited pursuant to rule 37.

Following discussion, the Security Council adopted the proposal by 11 votes in favour to 1 against (United States of America), with 3 abstentions (France, Netherlands, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland).

In the course of the meeting, the President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Israel, Kuwait and Lebanon, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote. In accordance with his request dated 21 May 1984, the Security Council extended an invitation under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure to the Chairman of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People. In accordance with the request from Kuwait, dated 21 May 1984 (S/16575), the Security Council extended an invitation under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Clovis Maksoud.

Letter dated 21 May 1984 from the representatives of Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates addressed to the President of the Security Council

In a letter dated 21 May 1984 addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/16574), the representatives of Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, and the United Arab Emirates requested that an urgent meeting of the Security Council be convened to consider the Iranian aggressions on the freedom of navigation to and from the ports of their countries.

The Security Council met to consider the item at its 2541st and 2542nd meetings, held on 25 May 1984. In the course of the meetings, the

President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Bahrain, Ecuador, Jordan, Kuwait, Oman, Panama, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, the Sudan, the United Arab Emirates and Yemen, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote. In accordance with the request dated 24 May 1984 from Kuwait (S/16582), the Security Council extended an invitation under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Chedli Klibi.