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Note by the Secretary-General

In accordance with rule 135 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and rule 59 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General has the honour to circulate herewith the application of the People's Republic of Angola for admission to membership in the United Nations, contained in a letter dated 22 April 1976 from the President of the People's Republic of Angola to the Secretary-General.

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ANNEX

Letter dated 22 April 1976 from the President of the
People's Republic of Angola to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to inform Your Excellency that, after the proclamation of independence at zero hours on 11 November 1975, Angola became a member of the international community as a sovereign and independent State - the People's Republic of Angola.

I have the honour, on behalf of the Angolan Government and nation, to submit herewith the application of the People's Republic of Angola for membership in the United Nations in accordance with Article 4 of the Charter of the United Nations. In fulfilment of the provisions of Article 4, I attach herewith a declaration of acceptance of the obligations contained in the Charter.

(Signed) Agostinho NETO
President of the
People's Republic of Angola

Declaration

In connexion with the application of the People's Republic of Angola for membership in the United Nations, I have the honour on behalf of the People's Republic of Angola, in my capacity as President of the People's Republic of Angola, to declare that the Government of the People's Republic of Angola accepts all the obligations contained in the Charter of the United Nations and solemnly undertakes to fulfil them.

(Signed) Agostinho NETO
President of the
People's Republic of Angola
