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Identical letters dated 14 May 2012 from the Permanent Representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

Upon instructions from my Government, and following my letters dated 16-20 and 23-25 April and 7, 11 and 14 May 2012, I have the honour to attach herewith a detailed list of violations of the plan for cessation of violence committed by armed groups in Syria on 9 May 2012 (see annex).

It would be highly appreciated if the present letter and its annex could be circulated as a document of the Security Council.

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Wednesday, 9 May 2012

Rif Dimashq governorate

- 1. At 0330 hours, an armed terrorist group attempted to block the Damascus-Homs road and carry out abductions. The road was reopened. The armed men had an Al-Qaida flag in their possession.
- 2. At 0740 hours, an armed terrorist group detonated an explosive device as a law enforcement patrol was passing along the Dumir airport road, injuring Lieutenant Muhammad Saqr.
- 3. At 0900 hours, an armed terrorist group in Qatana detonated an explosive device in a Suzuki vehicle, licence plate No. 770016, killing Warrant Officer Ihsan Shahin Madi, who had been driving the vehicle through the Darushah area.
- 4. At 1000 hours, an armed terrorist group attempted to assassinate an officer on patrol on the Fransis-Shahraya road, injuring the driver.
- 5. At 1200 hours, an armed terrorist group in a Saba model taxi abducted a young girl in Khirbat al-Ward.
- 6. At 1300 hours, an armed terrorist group ambushed a law enforcement patrol between Zamalka and Hamuriyah, near the Farzat warehouses, beyond the Kamil fuel station, killing Conscript Zakariya Habush and injuring two other law enforcement officers.
- 7. At 1550 hours, an armed terrorist group detonated an explosive device near a law enforcement forces building in Ghutah.
- 8. At 2100 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on the law enforcement checkpoint in Duma.
- 9. At 2200 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on the law enforcement checkpoint at the intersection of Sarkhah and Ma'aloula.
- 10. An armed terrorist group in Kafr Batna seized a Sham Government vehicle allocated to the cement corporation from Mari Diyani, its driver.
- 11. An armed terrorist group in Yabrud opened fire on army vehicles near the Dillat al-Khair rest stop.
- 12. An armed terrorist group in the town of Malihah seized an Opel Omega police vehicle, a Government-issued pistol with ammunition and 13 bullets belonging to Major Dr. Isam Amin al-Zahili, head of the clinic for police families in Mu'addamiyah. The armed men were driving a white Suzuki vehicle belonging to the public postal institution, having seized it from its driver on 30 April 2012.

Damascus governorate

- 13. At 0000 hours, an armed terrorist group abducted Khalid Mahmah in Masakin Barzah -Basatin al-Nuzha, next to the College of Agriculture. He was found dead near Kafr Batna.
- 14. At 1500 hours, an armed terrorist group planted a 5-kg explosive device near the Wadi Safirah schools in Rukn al-Din. The device was defused.
- 15. At 1700 hours, an armed terrorist group abducted Muhiuddin Ahmad Awd, a Palestinian national working as a cleaner, in the Dahadil area. He was released after being beaten.
- 16. At 1933 hours, an armed terrorist group abducted Brigadier Dr. Yusuf Zaghyur and seized his Mitsubishi vehicle, licence plate No. 140414. They also abducted two of the colleagues who had been on patrol with him on the road that leads from the Tishrin military hospital to the town of Barzah.
- 17. At 0130 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on the border exit point in Dar'a.
- 18. At 0130 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on law enforcement personnel in Inkhil.
- 19. At 0130 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on the law enforcement checkpoint on the Majbal-Kashif road in Khirbat Ghazalah, wounding an officer.
- 20. At 0500 hours, an armed terrorist group closed side roads in the Kashaf quarter with rocks and rubber tyres, using physical force to compel the residents to revolt.
- 21. At 0515 hours, an armed terrorist group abducted and killed a teacher, Abdulrazzaq Abdullah al-Ta`ani, when he returned from his school in Saham al-Jawlan.
- 22. At 0700 hours, an armed terrorist group stopped and stole a Peugeot ambulance, licence plate No. 89816 (Damascus), and beat the driver and the nurse.
- 23. At 0730 hours, an armed terrorist group terrorized the residents of Karak, Musayfirah and Mu'riyah and prevented students from going to school in those towns.
- 24. At 0800 hours, an armed terrorist group deployed in the streets of Muzayrib, fired at random, forced shop keepers to close their shops and blocked the road to Dar'a at the Ash'ari junction.
- 25. At 1100 hours, an armed terrorist group abducted police officer Khalid Nayif al-Muhammad in Da`il.
- 26. At 1100 hours, an armed terrorist group detonated an explosive device in the city of Dar'a as a law enforcement forces patrol was doing its rounds in vehicle No. 398146, killing officer Abdul-Rahman Ahmad al-Khalf and wounding five others.
- 27. At 1200 hours an armed terrorist group abducted Warrant Officer Rami Ismail in front of his house in Shaykh Miskin.
- 28. At 2005 hours, with a view to terrifying residents, an armed terrorist group blocked roads in Dar`a town centre with rocks and rubber tyres and launched noise bombs.

- 29. At 2100 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on law enforcement personnel in the Busra al-Sham citadel.
- 30. At 2130 hours, an armed terrorist group broke into and vandalized Musaykah school, wreaking havoc and destruction and stealing some equipment.
- 31. At 2145 hours, an armed terrorist group stormed into Shahid Ghazali school in Qarfa and destroyed everything inside.
- 32. At 2200 hours, an armed terrorist group abducted Conscript Abdulkarim Hasan Muhammad as he was on his way from his village in Saham al-Jawlan to his work in Adra in Rif Dimashq governorate. The armed men called his relatives to inform them that they were going to take him to Jordan.
- 33. At 2230 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on the Mahjah fuel depositories.
- 34. At 2300 hours, an armed terrorist group stormed and destroyed the municipal government building in Nasib, vandalizing everything inside.

Homs governorate

- 35. At 0000 hours, an armed terrorist group launched an attack from the direction of Khalidiyah, opening fire on law enforcement personnel near the citadel.
- 36. At 0105 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on law enforcement personnel in Sultaniyah.
- 37. At 0125 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on law enforcement personnel in the Qarabis quarter, injuring one officer.
- 38. At 0130 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on law enforcement personnel near the Tadmur roundabout.
- 39. At 0955 hours, an armed terrorist group launched an attack from the direction of Qarabis, opening fire on a civilian vehicle as it crossed Nizar Qabbani street.
- 40. At 1120 hours, an armed terrorist group launched an attack from the direction of Bab al-Siba', opening fire on law enforcement personnel near the Farabi school.
- 41. At 1130 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on law enforcement personnel in Qusayr, injuring two officers.
- 42. At 1145 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on law enforcement personnel near Madabi', injuring two officers.
- 43. At 1440 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on law enforcement personnel in the city centre, killing officer Ramiz Ahmad Jabir.
- 44. At 1500 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire from the direction of Bab al-Turkuman on law enforcement personnel near the citadel.
- 45. At 1540 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on checkpoint No. 4 in Homs. Conscript Abdulfatah al-Umar died of his wounds in hospital.
- 46. At 1600 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on a law enforcement patrol as it was doing its rounds in Talbisah, killing Staff Sergeant Ahmad Shaykh Bani and injuring four other officers.

- 47. At 1600 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on and launched rocket-propelled grenades at law enforcement personnel in the industrial zone in Rastan.
- 48. At 1645 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on and launched rocket-propelled grenades at law enforcement personnel, destroying two vehicles and a pickup truck in Talbisah. Lieutenant Ayham Ibrahim Abdullah was killed, and another officer was injured.
- 49. At 1700 hours, an armed terrorist group abducted Sergeant Usama Satam Zughayr in Dab'ah, Qusayr, as he was on his way to work.
- 50. At 1800 hours, an armed terrorist group seized a military vehicle and a pickup truck, licence plate No. 63336, belonging to Lieutenant Colonel Talal Ahmad Fawaz in front of his house in the Yarte quarter of Rastan.
- 51. At 2010 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on law enforcement personnel near the military hospital in the Wa'r quarter.
- 52. At 2115 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on law enforcement personnel in the town of Qusayr.
- 53. At 2225 hours, an armed terrorist group launched an attack from the direction of Khalidiyah, firing on the Khariji police station.
- 54. At 2235 hours, an armed terrorist group launched an attack from the direction of Abil village, opening fire on law enforcement forces near the transit centre.
- 55. At 2310 hours, an armed terrorist group launched an attack from the direction of Bab Siba', opening fire on law enforcement forces near the Farabi school.
- 56. At 2330 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on law enforcement personnel north of the Barr hospital in the Wa'r quarter.

Hama governorate

- 57. At 0100 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire from the direction of the Khayrat mosque on law enforcement personnel near the Sibahi roundabout.
- 58. At 0130 hours, two armed men opened fire on the office of a civilian, Safwan Ali al-Jar'atli, located on the Homs side road in the town of Salmiyah.
- 59. At 0830 hours, an armed terrorist group abducted six persons travelling on the Salmiyah-Tulul al-Humr road. Four persons were released, and two remain in the custody of the armed men.
- 60. At 0800 hours, an armed terrorist group stopped a civilian, Ahmad Ali al-Hamza, who was driving his private vehicle, licence plate No. 16-49868 (Jordan). The group seized the vehicle and some of the civilian's personal identity documents.
- 61. At 0830 hours, an armed terrorist group detonated an explosive device near Safa mosque in the Arba`in quarter.
- 62. At 1000 hours, an armed terrorist group planted two explosive devices near Abdulrahman bin Awf mosque in the Qusayr quarter. The devices were defused.
- 63. At 1100 hours, two armed men seized a Kia Rio vehicle, licence plate No. 031778, from its driver, Ahmad Shantut, a civilian, near the Mu`ardis junction.

- 64. At 1200 hours, two armed men seized a Hyundai lorry, licence plate No. 813176, belonging to Ahmad Mahmud al-Ahmad al-Ibrahim, a civilian, while he was working on his farmland in Murak.
- 65. At 1200 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on the law enforcement checkpoint near Mazarib bridge.
- 66. At 1630 hours, an armed terrorist group stopped a civilian, Fawzi Bawab, near the Tall Sakin junction, beat him and left him in his car. The group stole the sum of 9,000 Syrian pounds.
- 67. At 1800 hours, an armed terrorist group planted an explosive device near Bilal mosque in Hama. The device was defused.
- 68. At 1800 hours, an armed terrorist group planted an explosive device near the old police station. The device was defused.
- 69. At 1945 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on a bus carrying employees of the Kaljun company as they were passing the Suwaydah junction on the Homs-Hama road. Faysal Ahmad, the civilian driver of the bus, and one worker, Omar Abdu al-Husayb, were killed, and two others were injured.
- 70. At 2005 hours, an armed terrorist group abducted Husamaldin abu Alu in front of his home in the Junub al-Mal`ab quarter.
- 71. At 2100 hours, an armed terrorist group seized lorries carrying wheat near the Saqr junction on the Raqqah-Salmiyah highway. The cargo was unloaded, and both drivers were left in the vehicles.
- 72. At 2130 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on a law enforcement checkpoint near the Awqaf building in the Hamidiyah quarter.
- 73. At 2240 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on law enforcement personnel in the Tariq Halab quarter, near the Arba`in roundabout. Shots were also fired at Abraj Hamza in the Hamidiyah quarter.
- 74. At 2240 hours, an armed terrorist group hurled two bombs at a law enforcement checkpoint near Na'isah school.
- 75. At 2345 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on law enforcement personnel in the Suran district.

Aleppo governorate

- 76. At 0100 hours, an armed terrorist group detonated a noise bomb in the Bab region. No damage was done.
- 77. At 0600 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on Sami Urfili while he was exercising in Tariq bin Ziyad park.
- 78. At 0600 hours, an armed terrorist group planted an explosive device in the Ashrafiyah quarter in Aleppo. The device was defused.
- 79. At 0630 hours, an armed terrorist group planted an explosive device in Tariq bin Ziyad park in Aleppo. The device was defused.
- 80. At 1530 hours, an armed terrorist group detonated an explosive device in a law enforcement forces provisions vehicle as it was passing the Kiffin junction.

- 81. At 1900 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on the law enforcement checkpoint in the town of Atarib.
- 82. At 1930 hours, an armed terrorist group launched an attack from the direction of Basatin, Dayr Jamal and Tall Rif at, opening fire on a law enforcement checkpoint near the Tall Rif at junction.
- 83. At 1700 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on law enforcement personnel in the Dayr Jamal region.
- 84. At 2115 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on officers guarding the military barracks in the Shaqif region.

Idlib governorate

- 85. At 0100 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on the law enforcement checkpoint near the Ariha bridge.
- 86. At 0100 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on the law enforcement checkpoint near the road into Ariha.
- 87. At 0100 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on the law enforcement checkpoint near the Kafr Ziba junction.
- 88. At 0100 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on the law enforcement checkpoint near the Bzabur junction.
- 89. At 0100 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on the law enforcement checkpoint near Jabal Arba`in.
- 90. At 0630 hours, an armed terrorist group fired a Metis-M rocket at the law enforcement checkpoint at the access road into Ahsim.
- 91. At 0700 hours, an armed terrorist group detonated two explosive devices near the law enforcement checkpoint at the Nahlaya junction on the Idlib-Ariha road.
- 92. At 1030 hours, an armed terrorist group planted an explosive device one kilometre north of Saraqib on the Aleppo-Saraqib road. The device was defused.
- 93. At 1030 hours, an armed terrorist group planted six explosive devices at the Kafr Mit and Ayn al-Hamra junctions on the Jisr al-Shughur-Ariha road. The devices were defused.
- 94. At 1200 hours, an armed terrorist group abducted two police officers, Ibrahim Bakru and Ra'ad al-Jasim as they were passing the Al-Dana junction.
- 95. At 1300 hours, an armed terrorist group detonated an explosive device that hit a law enforcement patrol as it was travelling on the Ariha-Jisr al-Shughur highway. The patrol vehicle was destroyed.
- 96. At 1400 hours, an armed terrorist group in the town of Sarmada abducted police officer Ibrahim Fayyad al-Ali.
- 97. At 1400 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on law enforcement personnel in Idlib, killing officer Muhammad Adnan al-Ashqar.
- 98. At 1500 hours, an armed terrorist group detonated an explosive device north of Mastumah on the Ariha-Idlib road.

- 99. At 1800 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on the law enforcement checkpoint in Khan Shaykhun, injuring two officers.
- 100. At 2255 hours, an armed terrorist group killed Chief Warrant Officer Ahmad Ali Bakr, who had been kidnapped on 8 May 2012. His body was found at the Salqin roundabout.
- 101. At 2300 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on Nahhas hospital and the law enforcement forces checkpoint at the prison roundabout.
- 102. At 2330 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on law enforcement personnel near the municipality building and the Has and Bisaqla (Kafr Nabl) junctions.

Dayr al-Zawr governorate

- 103. At 0730 hours, an armed terrorist group erected a barricade on the Dayr al-Zawr-Mayadin road at Abu Layl, and seized a Government-owned Toyota jeep belonging to the Dayr al-Zawr Directorate of Agriculture.
- 104. At 0930 hours, an armed terrorist group erected a barricade on the public Dayr al-Zawr-Busayrah road at the railway bridge in the Khusham district and seized a Government-owned Mitsubishi double cabin pickup truck allocated to the Mazlum municipality and a private white Skoda vehicle, licence plate No. 795041 (Damascus), belonging to Ali Shuwaysh al-Jaban.
- 105. At 1027 hours, an armed terrorist group detonated an explosive device and opened fire on a Sadko vehicle allocated to the border guards at post No. 2 in Abu Kamal. The driver of the vehicle was injured, and the vehicle sustained material damage.
- 106. At 1200 hours, two armed men fired at a law enforcement forces checkpoint in the city of Abu Kamal, injuring civilians Amira Abdul-Qahar al-Hadad and Muhammad Muslim al-Zaʻaytar.
- 107. At 1630 hours, an armed terrorist group in the village of Jirdhi al-Sharqi stopped Muhammad Taha Janid, payroll officer for the Public Water Works Company, and seized a Sham Government car allocated to him by the company, together with 1,200,000 Syrian pounds in salaries and wages that were to be paid to employees of the Company's eighth sector.
- 108. At 1900 hours, an armed terrorist group attacked the Kashma gas field belonging to the Syrian Petrol Company, located near the village of Abu Hasan. Eight guards were taken captive, and their weapons were seized. Conscript Jamal Muhammad died of his wounds.
- 109. At 2200 hours, an armed terrorist group deployed at the Muhassan roundabout, armed with a variety of automatic weapons and rocket-propelled grenades.
- 110. At 2200, an armed terrorist group shot and killed civilian Radwan Abdullah, branch secretary of the Arab Socialist Ba`ath Party in the Hamidiyah quarter.

Hasakah governorate

111. At 0100 an armed terrorist group attacked law enforcement personnel in the Ghwayran locality, beating and injuring two officers.

Ladhiqiyah governorate

112. At 0215 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire on the law enforcement centre on the Ladhiqiyah-Jisr al-Shughur-Uwaynat railway line, injuring two officers.

Syrian-Lebanese border

- 113. At 0330 hours, an armed terrorist group attempted to infiltrate into Syrian territory from Lebanese territory through the Nabk region. There was a clash and the armed men fled.
- 114. At 2300 hours, an armed terrorist group opened fire from Lebanese territory on border guards stationed at a Second Brigade post in Tall Kalakh.

Syrian-Iraqi border

- 115. At 0200 hours, an armed terrorist group attempted to infiltrate from Iraqi territory into Syrian territory in the Harash sector, at post No. 232. There was a clash and the armed men fled.
- 116. At 2200 hours, an armed terrorist group attempted to infiltrate from Iraqi territory into Syrian territory in the Zarai sector, at post No. 156. There was a clash and the armed men fled.
- 117. At 2200 hours, an armed terrorist group attempted to infiltrate from Iraqi territory into Syrian territory in the Harash sector, at post No. 234 in the Tuwaymin region. The armed men were pursued and escaped.
- 118. At 2200 hours, an armed terrorist group attempted to infiltrate from Iraqi territory into Syrian territory in the Rabi' sector, at post No. 132. There was a clash and the armed men fled.

Number of attacks and violations committed by armed terrorist groups on 9 May 2012

5 Explosive devices		4 Firing of weapons by armed persons against		3 Abducted		2 Wounded		I Killed		
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