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Letter dated 14 January 1985 from the Permanent Representative of Afghanistan to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to inform you that the Chargé d'Affaires of the Pakistan Embassy in Kabul was summoned to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Democratic Republic of Afghanistan at 1'30 a.m. on 13 January 1985 and the In-Charge of the First Political Department conveyed to him the following:

"In continuation of previous accusations, the Pakistani authorities have once again charged that at 1145 a.m. on 6 January 1985, four Afghan aircraft allegedly entered the airspace of Pakistan and dropped two bombs and fired several rockets on the Arando area which caused no damage.

"According to the information of pertinent authorities of the Democratic Republic of Afghanistan, no over flight or violation of airspace by the armed forces of the Democratic Republic of Afghanistan took place on that day or at that place and this Pakistani claim is considered as totally malicious and void of any truth.

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"The Democratic Republic of Afghanistan, while rejecting this baseless allegation of Pakistani authorities, declares once again that the Democratic Republic of Afghanistan is a peace-loving country and has no intention of attacking other countries. It is the Pakistan military régime that always tries to give ever-extended dimension to its interference in the internal affairs of the Democratic Republic of Afghanistan and to increase tension in the situation along the frontier areas between the countries."

I have further the honour to request Your Excellency to arrange for the circulation of this letter as a document of the General Assembly, under the items entitled "Review of the implementation of the Declaration on the Strengthening of International Security", "Implementation of the collective security provisions of the Charter of the United Nations for the maintenance of international peace and security", "Development and strengthening of good-neighbourliness between States", "Peaceful settlement of disputes between States" and "Report of the Ad Hoc Committee on the Drafting of an International Convention against the Recruitment, Use, Financing and Training of Mercenaries", and of the Security Council.

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