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## INTERNATIONAL COVENANTS ON HUMAN RIGHTS

Letter dated 22 December 1989 from the Permanent Representative of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics to the United Nations addressed to the Socretary-General

I enclose the text of the message to the people of Romania adopted by the Second Congress of People's Deputies of the USSR on 22 December 1989.

I request you to have this text circulated as an official document of the General Assembly under the item entitled "International Covenants on Human Rights".

(Signed) A. BELONOGOV

## ANNEX

## MESSAGE FROM THE CONGRESS OF PEOPLE'S DEPUTIES OF THE USSR TO THE PEOPLE OF ROMANIA

(Adopted on 22 December 1989)

At this decisive moment for the fate of Romania, the Second Congress of People's Deputies of the USSR proclaims its firm support for the just cause of the Romanian people. We assure the citizens of Romania of our traditional feelings of friendship and good-neighbourliness, and confirm our sincere desire for close co-operation in the interests of socialism and peace.

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