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Letter dated 17 June 1985 from the Permanent Representative of
Democratic Kampuchea to the United Nations addressed to the
Secretary-General

I have the honour to transmit to you herewith the text of the statement dated 14 June 1985 issued by the spokesman of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Coalition Government of Democratic Kampuchea concerning the decision of the South African authorities to establish a so-called "interim government" in Namibia.

I should be grateful if you would have the text of this declaration circulated as an official document of the General Assembly, under item 34 of the preliminary list, and of the Security Council.

(Signed) THIOUNN Prasith
Ambassador
Permanent Representative of
Democratic Kampuchea

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Statement dated 14 June 1985 issued by the spokesman of the Ministry of
Foreign Affairs of the Coalition Government of Democratic Kampuchea

The Coalition Government of Kampuchea wishes to express its indignation at South Africa's decision to set up a so-called "interim government" which is to be officially installed in Namibia on 17 June 1985. This fraudulent measure is aimed at perpetuating the illegal occupation of Namibia.

This is yet another serious challenge hurled at the international community. The Coalition Government of Democratic Kampuchea vigorously condemns and regards as null and void this action of Pretoria, which is in violation of the resolutions of the United Nations General Assembly and the United Nations Security Council on the question of Namibia, particularly, Security Council resolution 435 (1978).

The Coalition Government of Kampuchea fully endorses the statement made by the President of the Security Council on 3 May 1985 and takes this opportunity to reaffirm its strong support for and its fraternal solidarity with the struggle of the Namibian people, under the leadership of SWAPO, until the complete independence of Namibia is attained.

