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LETTER DATED 29 AUGUST 1990 FROM THE CHARGE D'AFFAIRES A.I.
OF THE PERMANENT MISSION OF NICARAGUA TO THE UNITED NATIONS
ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

I have the honour to transmit to you herewith the text of a communiqué dated 28 August 1990, issued by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Nicaragua regarding the increased tension in the Persian Gulf.

I should be grateful if you would have this note and its annex circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(<u>Signed</u>) William Vigil BLACK Chargé d'affaires a.i.

Annex

Communiqué dated 28 August 1990 by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Nicaragus

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Nicaragua, in view of the increased tension in the Persian Gulf as a result of the invasion of the State of Kuwait by Iraqi troops, makes known to the people of Nicaragua and to the international community that:

- 1. It reaffirms the position expressed in the communiqué issued by the Government of Nicaragua on 3 August 1990, condemning the violation of the sovereignty and territorial integrity of the State of Kuwait by Iraqi military forces.
- 2. It expresses its total support for United Nations Security Council resolutions 660, 661, 662, 664 and 665 (1990), and holds to the spirit of those resolutions. Consequently, the Government of the Republic of Nicaragua will take the necessary steps to ensure their effective implementation, in order to bring about the withdrawal by Iraq of all its troops from Kuwait.
- 3. Nicaragua advocates the immediate departure of any nationals of third countries who are currently in Iraq and Kuwait and who wish to leave, and it urges the Government of Iraq to guarantee their protection and security.
- 4. The Government of the Republic of Nicaragua, desiring to contribute to the process of international reconciliation, makes a fervent appeal to the Government of Iraq to direct its efforts towards finding a peaceful way out of the conflict through dialogue and negotiation, within the framework of a regional agreement that will guarantee the peace and security of Arab States.

