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GENERAL INTRODUCTION

The present volume constitutes the eighth supplement to the *Repertoire of the Practice of the Security Council, 1946-1951*, which was issued in 1954. It covers the proceedings of the Security Council from the 1813th meeting, on 20 February 1975, to the 2261st meeting, on 19 December 1980. Further supplements covering the proceedings of later meetings will be issued at suitable intervals.

In order to make it easier to trace the Council's practice in respect of any given topic over the entire period covered by the eight volumes, the headings under which the practices and procedures of the Council were presented in the original volume have been generally maintained unchanged in this *Supplement*. Topics that the Council did not discuss anew during this time are identified by double asterisks.

The methods employed and the principles observed in the preparation of this *Supplement* are the same as for the original volume of the *Repertoire*. They are explained in the general introduction to that volume. The *Repertoire* is an expository work, which presents the results of an empirical survey of the procedures of the Council in a way calculated to make reference easy, and constitutes essentially a guide to the proceedings of the Council.

As was observed in the original volume, the *Repertoire* is not intended as a substitute for the records of the Council, which constitute the only comprehensive and authoritative account of its deliberations. The categories employed to arrange the material are not intended to suggest the existence of procedures or practices that have not been clearly or demonstrably established by the Council itself. The Council is at all times, within the framework of the Charter of the United Nations, "master of its own procedure". The object of the *Repertoire* will have been achieved if readers, by using the descriptive titles of the headings under which the material is presented, are enabled to find relevant proceedings in order to draw conclusions for themselves concerning the practice of the Council.

Details of the decisions of the Council have been included where appropriate in the accounts of its proceedings that make up this volume. The term "decision" has again been used to mean not only those "decisions" to which specific reference was made in the text of Articles of the Charter, but all significant steps decided upon by the Council, whether by vote or otherwise, in the course of consideration of a question.

The reader should refer for full explanations of the organization and presentation of material to the explanatory matter in the original volume. An effort has been made to avoid unnecessary repetition of such explanations in this *Supplement*.

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Example:

S/11659, OR, 30th yr., Suppl. for Jan.-March 1975.

For documents printed only in the *Official Records* of meetings, reference is given to the meeting and paragraph number.

Example:

S/12958, 2106th mtg., para. 7.

References to resolutions of the Council, published in yearly volumes of *Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council*, follow the system adopted in 1964. They are identified by number, followed by the year of adoption in parentheses.

Example:

Resolution 373 (1975).

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GAOR, 32nd sess., plen. mtg., 3500th mtg., para. 3;

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Short title

Situation in Cyprus

Official title

The situation in Cyprus:

Letter dated 17 February 1975 from the Permanent Representative of Cyprus to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/11625)

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Cyprus (S/11717)

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Cyprus (S/11900 and Add.1)

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Cyprus (S/12093)

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Cyprus (S/12253 and Add.1)

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Cyprus (S/12342 and Add.1)

Letter dated 26 August 1977 from the Permanent Representative of Cyprus to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/12387)

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Cyprus (S/12463 and Add.1)

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Cyprus (S/12723 and Add.1)

Letter dated 7 November 1978 from the Permanent Representative of Cyprus to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/12918)

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Cyprus (S/12946 and Add.1)

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Cyprus (S/13369 and Add.1)

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Cyprus (S/13672 and Add.1)

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Cyprus (S/13972 and Add.1)

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Situation in Cyprus (<i>continued</i>)	Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Cyprus (S/14275 and Add.1)
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¹ The Council took up the item without including any documents in its agenda.

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Situation in the Middle East (<i>continued</i>)	<p>Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (S/13994)</p> <p>Letter dated 28 May 1980 from the Acting Permanent Representative of Pakistan to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/13966)</p> <p>Letter dated 1 August 1980 from the Acting Permanent Representative of Pakistan to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/14084)</p> <p>Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (S/14263)</p>
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	Application of Western Samoa for admission to membership in the United Nations: note by the Secretary-General (S/12245)
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²Every year the Council considers its draft report to the General Assembly in a private meeting. The draft does not carry a document symbol.

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Request by Mozambique under Article 50 of the Charter	<p>Request by Mozambique under Article 50 of the Charter of the United Nations in relation to the situation which has arisen as a result of its decision to impose sanctions against Southern Rhodesia in full implementation of the relevant decisions of the Security Council: Telegram dated 10 March 1976 from the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Mozambique addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/12009)</p>
Request by the Libyan Arab Republic* and Pakistan for consideration of the serious situation arising from recent developments in the occupied Arab territories	<p>Request by the Libyan Arab Republic and Pakistan for consideration of the serious situation arising from recent developments in the occupied Arab territories: Letter dated 19 March 1976 from the Permanent Representatives of the Libyan Arab Republic and Pakistan to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/12017)</p>
Complaint by Kenya concerning aggression by South Africa against Angola	<p>Complaint by Kenya, on behalf of the African Group of States at the United Nations, concerning the act of aggression committed by South Africa against the People's Republic of Angola: Letter dated 10 March 1976 from the Permanent Representative of Kenya to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/12007)</p>
Situation in Southern Rhodesia	<p>Question concerning the situation in Southern Rhodesia: Special report of the Security Council Committee established in pursuance of resolution 253 (1968) concerning the question of Southern Rhodesia on the expansion of sanctions against Southern Rhodesia (S/11913) Second special report of the Security Council Committee established in pursuance of resolution 253 (1968) concerning the question of Southern Rhodesia on the expansion of sanctions against Southern Rhodesia (S/12296) Letter dated 23 September 1977 from the Permanent Representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/12402) Letter dated 1 March 1978 from the Chargé d'affaires <i>a.i.</i> of the Permanent Mission of Upper Volta to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/12578) Letter dated 6 October 1978 from the Permanent Representative of India to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/12885) Letter dated 28 February 1979 from the Permanent Representative of Equatorial Guinea to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/13121) Letter dated 26 April 1979 from the Chargé d'affaires <i>a.i.</i> of the Permanent Mission of Ivory Coast to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/13276) (a) Letter dated 12 December 1979 from the Permanent Representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/13688) (b) Letter dated 14 December 1979 from the Permanent Representative of Madagascar to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/13693) (c) Letter dated 18 December 1979 from the Permanent Representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/13698) Letter dated 25 January 1980 from the Chargé d'affaires <i>a.i.</i> of the Permanent Mission of Malawi to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/13764)</p>

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Complaint by Zambia against South Africa	<p>Complaint by Zambia against South Africa:</p> <p>Letter dated 19 July 1976 from the Chargé d'affaires <i>a.i.</i> of the Permanent Mission of Zambia to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/12147)</p> <p>Letter dated 8 April 1980 from the Permanent Representative of Zambia to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/13878)</p>
Complaint by Greece against Turkey	<p>Complaint by Greece against Turkey: Letter dated 10 August 1976 from the Permanent Representative of Greece to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/12167)</p>
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Complaint by Lesotho against South Africa	<p>Complaint by Lesotho against South Africa:</p> <p>Letter dated 16 December 1976 from the Permanent Representative of Lesotho to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/12257)</p>

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Letter dated 22 December 1979 from the representative of the United States	Letter dated 22 December 1979 from the Permanent Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/13705)
Letter dated 3 January 1980 from 52 Member States regarding Afghanistan	Letter dated 3 January 1980 addressed to the President of the Security Council by the representatives of Australia, the Bahamas, Bahrain, Bangladesh, Belgium, Canada, Chile, China, Colombia, Costa Rica, Denmark, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Fiji, Germany, Federal Republic of, Greece, Haiti, Honduras, Iceland, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Liberia, Luxembourg, Malaysia, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Oman, Pakistan, Panama, Papua New Guinea, the Philippines, Portugal, Saint Lucia, Samoa, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Singapore, Somalia, Spain, Suriname, Sweden, Thailand, Turkey, Uganda, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the United States of America, Uruguay and Venezuela (S/13724 and Add.1 and 2)
Letter dated 1 September 1980 from the representative of Malta	Letter dated 1 September 1980 from the Permanent Representative of Malta to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/14140)
Situation between Iran and Iraq	The situation between Iran and Iraq ¹
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