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YOUR EXCELLENCY, MR. SAMIR S. SHIHABI, PRESIDENT OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY, YOUR EXCELLENCY, DR. JAVIER PEREZ DE CUELLAR:
SECREARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS ORGANISATION. SECRETARY
GENERAL ELECT, MR. BOUTROS GHALI. YOUR EXCELLENCIES, PERMANENT
REPRESENTATIVES TO THIS ORGANISATION.

FRIENDS, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK YOU MOST SINCERELY FOR GIVING US THE
OPPORTUNITY TO ADDRESS THIS 46TH SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
AS IT DISCUSSES THE QUESTION OF SOUTH AFRICA.

WE SAY THIS BECAUSE WE ARE ACUTZLY AWARE AND DEEPLY
APPRECIATIVE OF THE ROLE THAT THIS ORGANISATION HAS PLAYED SINCE
ITS FOUNDATION IN THE STRUGGLE FOR THE EMANCIPATION OF OUR PEOPLE
FROM THE TYRANNY OF RACIAL OPPRESSION.

WE MEET HERE TODAY SHORTLY BEFORE THE POLITICAL FORMATIONS
OF OUR COUNTRY GATHER TOGETHER IN A "CONVENTION FOR A DEMOCRATIC
SOUTH AFRICA", TO BEGIN THE PROCESS THAT WILL LEAD TO THE
ADOPTION OF A DEMOCRATIC CONSTITUTION.

AS OUR COUNTRY STARTS ON ITS FINAL LAP TOWARDS THE
REALISATION OF THE GOALS ENSHRINED IN THE UN CHARTER, THE
DECLARATION ON HUMAN RIGHTS AS WELL AS THE DECLARATION ON SOUTH
AFRICA ADOPTED BY THIS ASSEMBLY TWO YEARS AGO THIS MONTH, THE
LEADERSHIP OF THE ANC THOUGHT THAT IT WAS IMPORTANT THAT WE
SHOULD COME BACK TO NEW YORK TO SHARE WITH YOU OUR VIEWS ON THE

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SUBJECT or YOUR AGENDA.

MR. PRESIDENT:

THANKS TO THE JOINT arrears or ova PEOPLE AND GOVERNMENTS
AND PEOPLES REPRESENTED HERE, SOUTH AFRICA HAS EMEARKED on ITS
own RACE mo NORMALITY.

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TO THE DREAM or ALL HUMANIT! THROUGHOUT THE AGES FOR
EMANCIPATION, PROSPERITY, HAPPINESS nnn PEACE.

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WE ALSO WANT TO SEE ENTRENCHED ALI- THE NECESSARY PROVISIONS
ENSURING THE FULLEST POSSIBLE PROZBCTION AND ADVANCEMENT OF THE

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FUNDAMENTAL HUMAN RIGHTS OF EVERY SOUTH AFRICAN CITIZEN. AS PART OF THIS AND TO ENSURE THE RULE OF LAW, THERE WILL HAVE TO BE CREATED AN INDEPENDENT AND NON-RACIAL JUDICIARY, AS VISUALISED IN EARLIER DOCUMENTS ADOPTED 8! THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

AT THE SAME TIME, THE NEW SOUTH AFRICA WILL HAVE TO ADDRESS THE BURNING QUESTION 03 MASS POVERTY, WHICH AFPLICTS MILLIONS OF OUR PEOPLE, ESPECIALLY THE BLACK POPULATION. ALSO TO BE DBALT WITH AS A MATTER OF URGENCY ARE, OF COURSE, QUESTIONS OF THE GROSS RACIAL IMBALANCES IN THE DISTRIBUTION OF INCOME, WEALTH, LAND AN? OPPORTUNITY.

IT IS COMMON CAUSE AMONG THE MAJORITY OF OUR PEOPLE THAT THE POLITICAL SETTLEMENT WE SEEK TO RSACK CANNOT SURVIVE FOR VERY LONG IF THESE QUESTIONS, RELATING TO THE STANDARD OF LIVING OF THE PEOPLE AS A waonz AND THE QUALITY OF LIFE, ARE NOT ADDRESSED. FHAT IS WHY THE ISSUE OF THE GROWTH OF THE ECONOMY AND ITS RESTRUCTURING TO SERVE THE NEEDS OF THE ENTIRE POPULATION, HAS TO BE AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE PROCESS OF THE RECONSTRUCTION OF SOUTH AFRICA AS A PEMOCRATIC, PEACEEUL AND STABLE COUNTRY.

THE NEW SOUTE AFRICA WILL, OF COURSE, SEEK TO NORMALISE ITS RELATIONS WIT3 THE REST OF THE WORLD. IN THIS CONTEXT, WE MUST MAKE THE POINT TBA! WE FULLY RESPECT THE POSITION SPELT OUT IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY CORSENSUS DECLARATION ON SOUTH AFRICA, CONCERNING THE CONDITIONS THAT OUR COUNTRY MUST MEET, TO PROVIDE THE BASIS FOR AN INTERNATIONALLY ACCEPTABLE SOLUTION OF THE SOUTH AIRICAN QUESTION AND FOR ITS FULL INTEGRATION AMONG THE COMMUNITY OF NATIONS .

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SUCH INTEGRATION WOULD UNDOUBTEDLY HAVE TO TAKE FULL ACCOUNT OF THE FACT THAT WE ARE AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE REGION OF SOUTHERN AFRICA AND AN INTEGRAL PART OF THE CONTINENT OF AFRICA. IN A WORLD IN WHICH REGIONAL ASSOCIATIONS OF VARIOUS KINDS HAVE BECOME AN IMPORTANT PART OF THE SYSTEM OF INTERNATIONAL

RELATIONS, THE NEW SOUTH AFRICA WILL SEEK TO BRING WHATEVER IT CAN TO THE PROCESS OF STRENGTHENING BOTH THE REGION OF SOUTHERN AFRICA AND OUR CONTINENT AS A WHOLE.

BUT OF COURSE, THE REALITY IS THAT WE HAVE NOT YET LIBERATED OUR COUNTRY. IT IS STILL RULED BY A WHITE MINORITY REGIME, UNDER AN APARTHEID CONSTITUTION. THEREFORE WE ARE FACED WITH THE CONTINUING CHALLENGE TO PURSUE THE STRUGGLE UNTIL FREEDOM IS WON. IT HAS NOW BEEN AGREED THAT THE "CONVENTION FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOUTH AFRICA", TO WHICH WE HAVE REFERRED SHOULD BE HELD AS OF THE 20TH OF THIS MONTH. THIS WILL MARK AN IMPORTANT STEP FORWARD IN THE PROCESS LEADING TO A NEGOTIATED RESOLUTION OF THE POLITICAL PROBLEMS RACING OUR COUNTRY.

AS YOU ARE UNDOUBTEDLY AWARE, THE CONVENTION WILL DISCUSS SUCH MATTERS AS THE PRINCIPLES THAT WILL UNDERLIE THE NEW CONSTITUTION, THE MECHANISM TO DRAW UP THIS CONSTITUTION. AN INTERIM GOVERNMENT THAT WILL TAKE CHARGE OF THE COUNTRY UNTIL A NEW DEMOCRATICALLY ELECTED GOVERNMENT IS FORMED, THE REINCORPORATION OF THE BANTUSIANS INTO SOUTH AFRICA, THE TIME FRAMES FOR THE TRANSITIONAL PERIOD AS A WHOLE, AND THE ROLE OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY.

AS YOU CAN SEE, THESE ARE ALL VERY IMPORTANT MATTERS ON

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WHICH WE WILL SEEK SPEEDY DECISIONS.

THAT THE DECISIONS OF THE CONVENTION WILL BE GIVEN LEGAL FORCE.
UNLESS THIS IS DONE, THE CONVENTION WILL BE NO MORE THAN A MERE
TALKING SHOP. OBVIOUSLY, THIS CANNOT BE ALLOWED.

IN THE AFTERMATH OF THE CONCLUSION OF THE WORK OF THE
CONVENTION, WE WILL NEED TO MOVE AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE TO
ESTABLISH THE CONSTITUTION-MAKING BODY.

IN OUR VIEW, THIS SHOULD BE AN ELECTED CONSTITUENT ASSEMBLY.
ONCE ESTABLISHED WE SEE NO REASON WHY THIS ASSEMBLY SHOULD NOT
CONCLUDE ITS WORK OF DRAWING UP THE NEW CONSTITUTION WITHIN THE
YEAR.

PRECISELY BECAUSE WE HAVE NOT AS YET REACHED THE GOAL OF
LIBERATION TOWARDS WHICH ALL OF US HAVE STRIVEN, WE BELIEVE THERE
IS NEED FOR CONTINUED INTERNATIONAL PRESSURE TO ENCOURAGE
SPEEDY MOVEMENT FORWARD TOWARDS ENDING THE SYSTEM OF APARTHEID.
SANCTIONS THEREFORE CONTINUE TO BE IMPORTANT.

AT THE SAME TIME WE BELIEVE THAT SUCH SANCTIONS SHOULD BE
LIFTED IN PHASES CORRESPONDING TO ACTUAL PROGRESS BEING ACHIEVED,
WITHIN SOUTH AFRICA. TWO MAJOR PHASES AHEAD OF US WOULD BE
DELINEATED BY THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE INTERIM GOVERNMENT AND
SECONDLY, THE ELECTION OF THE NEW GOVERNMENT IN TERMS OF A
DEMOCRATIC CONSTITUTION.

WE WOULD THEREFORE URGE THIS ASSEMBLY AND ITS MEMBER STATES
TO HANDLE THE ISSUE OF SANCTIONS IN THIS MANNER. WE ARE

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CCNVINCED THAT THIS IS THE BEST WAY TO USE THIS FORM OF PRESSURE TO REALISE OUR COMMON OBJECTIVE OF SECURING A SPEEDY END TO THE SYSTEM OF APARTHEID. WE APPEAL TO YOU ALL TO REED THE VOICE OF THE OPPRESSED ON THIS MATTER. THEY WHO, AFTER ALL, ASKED YOU TO COME TO THEIR ASSISTANCE BY IMPOSING THESE SANCTIONS.

IT IS ALSO CRITICALLY IMPORTANT THAT THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY SHOULD SUPPORT THE PEACEFUL PROCESS LEADING TO THE DEMOCRATIC TRANSFORMATION OF SOUTH AFRICA. WE ARE PLEASED THAT THE UN AS WELL AS OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS WILL BE INVITED TO SEND OBSERVERS TO THE CONVENTION FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOUTH AFRICA.

THIS WILL PUT THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD IN A BETTER POSITION TO HELP DETERMINE THE PRECISE WAYS BY WHICH THEY CAN SUPPORT THE PEACE PROCESS IN OUR COUNTRY. T38 POINT, HOWEVER, ALSO NEEDS TO BE MADE THAT THIS ORGANISATION, REPRESENTING THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD, RAB ALWAYS TAKEN A FIRM POSITION AS AN OPPONENT OF APARTHEID IN FAVOUR OF THE PERSPECTIVE SPELT OUT IN ITS OWN CHARTER AND 'T3E DECLARATION ON HUMAN RIGHTS.

WE WOULD THEREFORE EXPECT THAT AS IT PARTICIPATES IN THE POLITICAL PROCESSES IN SOUTH AFRICA, IN WHATEVER WA! IT DOES SO, IT WILL BE DOING SO AS A COMBATANT FOR DEMOCRACY, JUSTICE AND PEACE.

MR. PRESIDENT)

YOUR EXCELLENCIES:

YOU ARE ALSO AWARE THAI IN OUR QUEST TO END THE VIOLENCE AGAINST THE PEOPLE, WHIC& HAS THREATENED TO DERAIL THE PEACE

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PROCESS, VARIOUS FORMATIONS IN OUR COUNTRY, INCLUDING THE ANC, SIGNED A NATIONAL PEACE ACCORD ALMOST THREE MONTHS AGO.

THIS IS A VERY IMPORTANT AGREEMENT AND SHOULD CONTRIBUTE TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A CLIMATE FREE OF VIOLENCE AND THEREFORE CONDUCIVE TO FREE POLITICAL ACTIVITY.

WE WOULD LIKE TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS OCCASION TO

REITERATE THE CALL WE MADE WHEN WE SIGNED THE PEACE ACCORD, THAT THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY SHOULD TAKE SUCH MEASURES AS IT DEEMS FIT TO CENSURE AND SANCTION ANY ORGANISATION IN SOUTH AFRICA THAT BY FOSTERING VIOLENCE, ACTS IN A MANNER CONTRARY TO THE PURPOSE OF THE ACCORD.

THIS WILL GREATLY HELP IN THE PROCESS OF CREATING A CLIMATE FREE OF VIOLENCE, AS WAS VISUALISED IN THE 1990 CONSENSUS DECLARATION ON SOUTH AFRICA.

THE NEW SOUTH AFRICA WILL ALSO NEED TO EMBARK ON AN EXTENSIVE PROGRAM OF SOCIO-ECONOMIC TRANSFORMATION. THIS WILL BE NECESSARY BOTH TO ADDRESS EXISTING NEEDS AND TO ENSURE THE PERMANENCE OF THE DEMOCRATIC POLITICAL OUTCOME OF THE PROCESS OF NEGOTIATIONS.

IT WILL CLEARLY BE IMPOSSIBLE FOR US TO CARRY THROUGH THIS PROGRAMME OF SOCIOECONOMIC CHANGES BY RELYING EXCLUSIVELY ON OUR OWN RESOURCES. WE WILL THEREFORE REQUIRE THE SUPPORT OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY. THIS SUPPORT SHOULD BE SEEN AS PART OF THE COMPLETION OF THE TASK OF ENDING THE APARTHEID CRIME AGAINST HUMANITY BY HELPING US TO DISMANTLE THE APARTHEID SYSTEM AND LIQUIDATING ITS DESTRUCTIVE CONSEQUENCES.

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WE WOULD THEREFORE URGE THIS ORGANISATION TO TAKE THE NECESSARY DECISIONS AND MAKE THE RELEVANT PREPARATIONS WHICH WILL ENABLE IT TO ENTER THIS AREA OF ACTIVITY AS SOON AS THE SITUATION PERMITS. WE WOULD ARGUE THAT YOUR DIRECT INTERVENTION WILL BE NECESSARY AS SOON AS WE ESTABLISH THE INTERIM GOVERNMENT TO WHICH WE HAVE REFERRED.

AS WAS AGREED EARLIER, THE UNITED NATIONS HIGH COMMISSION FOR REFUGEES HAD TO INTERVENE BEFORE THIS TO ASSIST IN THE PROCESS OF THE REPATRIATION OF EXILES. WE ARE VERY PLEASED THAT THE UNHCR HAS NOW SET ITSELF UP IN THE COUNTRY.

WE ARE ALSO KEENLY INTERESTED THAT THE UNHCR SHOULD HELP US TO RESETTLE THESE RETURNEES. THIS IS GOING TO REQUIRE CONSIDERABLE RESOURCES, ESPECIALLY IN THE LIGHT OF THE FACT THAT THE OVERWHELMING MAJORITY OF THESE HAVE TO BE REINTEGRATED WITH URBAN COMMUNITIES.

WE THEREFORE RENEW OUR APPEAL BOTH TO THIS ORGANISATION AND ITS MEMBER STATES TO EXTEND GENEROUS ASSISTANCE TO THE UNHCR TO ENABLE IT TO CARRY OUT THIS VERY SENSITIVE HUMANITARIAN PROGRAMME. IN THIS REGARD, WE HOPE THAT THE UNHCR WILL RECEIVE SUCH ASSISTANCE FROM OTHER AGENCIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS AS IT MAY NEED TO ENABLE IT TO CARRY OUT ITS TASKS PROPERLY.

MR. PRESIDENT:

DEMOCRATIC AFRICA WILL REJOIN THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY IN A SITUATION IN WHICH A NEW WORLD ORDER IS BEING BORN. AS THIS NEW ORDER WILL OF NECESSITY IMPACT ON OUR OWN DESTINY, WE CANNOT AVOID COMMENTING, HOWEVER BRIEFLY(ON WHAT WE BELIEVE IT SHOULD

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IT IS OUR VIEW THAT THIS NEW WORLD ORDER SHOULD BE
CHARACTERIZED, AMONG OTHER THINGS, BY:

' A DEMOCRATIC SYSTEM OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS;
' RESPECT FOR THE RIGHT OF NATIONS TO SELF-DETERMINATION AND
INDEPENDENCE;
' RESPECT FOR HUMAN RIGHTS;

THE ELIMINATION OF POVERTY, DEPRIVATION. AND ECONOMIC
BACKWARDNESSI

ENDING THE PRACTICE OF THE RESORT TO FORCE TO SETTLE
INTERNATIONAL DISPUTES; AS WELL AS,
PROTECTION OF THE ENVIRONMENT;

STRENGTHENING AND DEMOCRATISING THE INSTITUTION OF THIS
ORGANISATION TO ESSURE TEA? IT PLAYS ITS ROLE AS ONE OF THE
PRINCIPAL ARCHITECTS OF THAT NEW WORLD ORDER. THE WORLD IS
BECOMING EVER MORE INTERDEPENDENT. WHAT EACH ONE OF US DOES AS
AN INDEPENDENT NATION IMPACTS ON OTHERS. WE HAVE THEREFORE NO
CHOICE BUT T9 BUILD A SYSTEM OF RELATIONS WHICH, WHILE IT
GUARANTEES SUCH INDEPENDENCE AND SEEKS TO EXCLUDE THE POSSIBILITY
OF ONE COUNTRY IMPOSING ITS WILL ON ANOTHER, CREATES THE
POSSIBILITY FOR EACH TO HAVE A MEANINGFUL SA! IN HOW WE SHOULD
LIVE TOGETKER IN ONE PEACEFUL, STABLE. PROSPEROUS AND FREE WORLD.
THIS OUTCOME CANNOT ALLOW OF A SITUATION IN WHICH THE FORM
AND THE CONTENT 0? THE NEW WORLD ORDER IS DECIDED BY SOME AND HAS
TO BE ACCEPTED BY THE REST. IF WE PROCEED IN THIS MANNER. WE .
WILL CONTINUE TO BUILD CONFLICT AnthNSTABILITY INTO THE(WORLD
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ORDER, HOWEVER MUCH WE MIGHT DESCRIBE IT AS NEW.
EQUALLY, THERE CAN BE NO NEW WORLD ORDER WHILE SOME ARE
SUPER-RICH WHILE OTHERS REMAIN ABYSMALLY POOR. INDEED THE VERY
STRUGGLE FOR DEMOCRACY AND HUMAN RIGHTS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD IS
MADE MORE DIFFICULT PRECISELY BY THESE LEVELS OF POVERTY.
CLEARLY, WHAT MIGHT APPEAR AN ALMOST SUPERKUMAN EFFORT HAS
TO BE MADE TO ADDRESS THE ISSUE OF GROSS IMBALANCES IN THE WORLD
ECONOMY, WHICH HAVE RESULTED IN SUCH ILLS AS NEGATIVE GROWTH
RATES FOR MANY COUNTRIES, AN ONEROUS DEBT BURDEN, AND DECLINING
STANDARDS OF LIVING.

THE ISSUE OF DISARMAMENT AND THE ELIMINATION OF WEAPONS OF
MASS DESTRUCTION REMAINS ONE OF THE IMPORTANT ISSUES OF THE DAY.
WE WOULD THEREFORE LIKE TO COMMEND THOSE COUNTRIES CONCERNED FOR
PROGRESS THAT HAS BEEN MADE IN THESE AREAS AND ENCOURAGE THEM TO
REGISTER EVEN MORE FORWARD MOVEMENT TOWARDS THE FINAL RESOLUTION
OF THESE QUESTIONS.

IN THIS REGARD. WE WOULD URGE THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC
ENERGY Agency to MOVE and ALL states to INSPECT and NUCLEAR
INSTALLATIONS in order to ensure full compliance with the
PROVISIONS of the NUCLEAR non-proliferation treaty.

and the RESOLUTION of THESE AND other QUESTIONS, THERE CAN
be no doubt? THAT the ORGANISATION MUST PLAY A CENTRAL ROLE. 10
and so the secretariat must become TRULY AN INSTRUMENT in the
HANDS of ALL MEMBER STATES, without any FEELING that they ARE
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OTHER THAN THIS ORGANISATION, AND ITS VARIOUS ORGANS, WHICH CAN PROVIDE THE MEANS BY WHICH TO BUILD AN EQUITABLE AND STABLE WORLD ORDER. TO PLAY THIS ROLE, IT MUST ITSELF ENJOY THE SUPPORT AND RESPECT OF ALL STATES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD AND FUNCTION EFFECTIVELY AND EFFICIENTLY.

WE WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO CONGRATULATE HIS EXCELLENCY DR. BOUTROS GHALI ON HIS ELECTION TO THE HIGH POST OF SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE UNITED NATIONS ORGANISATION AND WISH HIM SUCCESS IN ALL HIS ENDEAVOURS. ON HIM WILL FALL THE TASK OF LEADING THE PROCESSES WHICH HAVE BEGUN OF PLACING THIS ORGANISATION ON A SORT OF FOOTING WHICH WILL ENABLE IT TO PLAY THE ROLE WE HAVE BEEN SPEAKING OF.

PERMIT ME, MR. PRESIDENT, IN THE NAME OF THE AFRICAN NATIONAL CONGRESS AND ON MY OWN BEHALF, TO PAY TRIBUTE TO THE OUT-GOING SECRETARY-GENERAL, HIS EXCELLENCY DR. PEREZ DE CUELLAR, FOR HIS STERLING PERFORMANCE AT THE HELM OF THIS INTERNATIONAL BODY. HIS OUTSTANDING EFFORTS IN THE SEARCH FOR WORLD PEACE HAVE CONTRIBUTED IMMENSELY TO THE REALIZATION OF THIS WORLD BODY'S PRIMARY PRINCIPLES AND PURPOSES. WE ARE ALSO HIGHLY GRATEFUL FOR THE ROLE HE HAS PLAYED IN ASSISTING US IN OUR SEARCH FOR PEACE IN SOUTH AFRICA.

WE WISH HIM WELL IN HIS FUTURE ENDEAVOURS.

WE WOULD ALSO LIKE TO URGE THAT EVERYTHING BE DONE AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE, IN THE CONTEXT OF THE DECISIONS OF THIS ORGANISATION AND THE U.N., TO CARRY OUT THE MEASURES THAT ARE NECESSARY TO RESOLVE THE CONFLICT IN WESTERN SAHARA.

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EQUALLY, WE WOULD LIKE TO SALUTE ALL THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN AND ARE INVOLVED IN THE PROCESS or ssaacarus roa A NEGOTIATED, var AND STABLE PEACE IN THE MIDDLE EAST, AN IMPORTANT ELEMENT or WHICH IS RECOGNITION or AND RESPECT yon THE LEGITIMATE RIGHTS or THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE. w: WISH THEM SPEEDY MOVEMENT roawaan IN THE arroar mo REACH A compasaznsxvz SETTLEMENT.

we ALSO wxsn THE PEOPLE or CAMBODIA succzss IN THEIR own arrears, SUPPORTED 32 THE UN, To BRING TO A CLOSE A DARK CHAPTER IN 13313 HISTORY DURING WHICH MILLIONS or INNOCENT PEOPLE HAVE BEEN augcxzasn LIKE WILD aaasrs.

wz Loox roawnan TO THE RESOLUTION or organ CONFLICTS IN THE WORLD such AS rnoss IN AFGHANISTAN, CYPRUS, EAST rzmon AND ELSEWHERE. WE noes THAT THIS ORGANISATION WILL PLAY st HISTORIC ROLE or A PEAczmgst TO HELP RESOLVE THESE AND OTHER CONFLICTS.

MR. PRESIDENT;

yova EXCELLENCIES;

WE ARE TAKING THE FINAL swaps rowaans ENDING r32 APARTHEID SYSTEM or wagrz MINORITY DOMINATION. ACTING TOGETHER, WE HAVE THE POSSIBILITY ro.3nzue INTO BEING A man couurnx WHICH you will as PROUD AND HAPPY mo READMIT INTO THE BANKS or THIS ASSEMBLY.

as WE aavn none IN THE PAST, LET us CONTINUE :0 ACT IN CONCERT so Tsar wn AcnIsv2 003 common PURPOSE AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE. THROUGH ova commas vrcroay OVER 133 APARTHEID SYSTEM IN soars arnch, WE WILL ALSO STRIKE AN Imronrnnr aLow AGAINST RACISM IN GENERAL, WHICK SEEMS TO BE RAISING ITS UGLY READ IN OTHER PARTS AS WELL.

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THE ASSOCIATION WISHES TO KNOW HOW TO SETTLE THE QUESTION OF OFFICE EQUIPMENT (PRINTING AND PHOTOCOPYING MACHINES, ETC.). SHOULD THEY BE SOLD TO ATTEMPT TO COVER SOME OF THE OUTSTANDING EXPENSES OR SHOULD AN ATTEMPT BE MADE TO FORWARD THEM TO SA?

THE ASSOCIATION WISHES TO REAFFIRM IT'S POSTION THAT IT IS EXTREMELY UNFORTUNATE THAT THE ANC MISSION IN FRANCE BE CLOSED AT THIS PARTICULAR TIME. IT CONSIDERS THAT IT STILL HAS, WITH A COMPETENT REPRESENTATIVE, A ROLE TO PLAY IN CONTINUING FRENCH SOLIDARITY WITH SA PEOPLE AND AVOIDING THAT THE ANC IS COMPLETELY DEFENDANT ON FRENCH ORGANISMS FOR APPRECIATION OF FRENCH SOCIETY IN ALL IT'S DOMAINS AS WELL AS FRANCE BEING LEFT WITH ONLY SA EMBASSY TO PRESENT SA SITUATION.