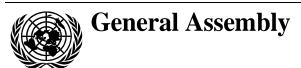
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Agenda item 19

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples

Question of Western Sahara

Request for hearing

Letter dated 18 September 2002 from Frank Ruddy, addressed to the Chairman of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)*

This is to request permission to speak about Western Sahara at the next session of the Fourth Committee.

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