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QUESTION DE LA VIOLATION DES DROITS DE L'HOMME ET DES LIBERTÉS
FONDAMENTALES, OÙ QU'ELLE SE PRODUISE DANS LE MONDE

Lettre datée du 26 avril 1999, adressée à la Présidente
de la Commission des droits de l'homme par le Chargé
d'affaires par intérim de la Mission permanente de
la République fédérale de Yougoslavie auprès
de l'Office des Nations Unies à Genève

J'ai l'honneur de vous faire parvenir ci-joint un document intitulé
"Comment of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia on the Resolution
E/CN.4/1999/L.34/Rev.1 adopted at the Commission on Human Rights on
23 April 1999" *. Je vous serais reconnaissant de bien vouloir le faire
distribuer comme document officiel de la cinquante-cinquième session de
la Commission des droits de l'homme, au titre du point 9 de l'ordre du jour.

L'Ambassadeur
Chargé d'affaires par intérim,
(Signé) Branko **Brankovic**

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a été reçue.

COMMENT OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF YUGOSLAVIA
on the Resolution E/CN.4/1999/L.34/Rev.1 adopted at the Commission on Human Rights on 23 April 1999

The Commission on Human Rights adopted on 23 April 1999, at its Fifty-fifth session, the Resolution E/CN.4/1999/L.34/Rev.1, "Situation of human rights in the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, the Republic of Croatia and Bosnia and Herzegovina". The text of the Resolution (part relating to the FR of Yugoslavia, Kosovo and Metohija) is based on falsehoods and deliberately launched disinformation which were due to justify the NATO barbarian aggression against the FR of Yugoslavia.

The Resolution was adopted on 23 April 1999, on the very day the NATO barbarian soldatesque celebrated the 50th anniversary of its existence and commemorated the obvious defeat of its aggression against the FR of Yugoslavia.

The states which voted in favor of the Resolution E/CN.4/1999/L.34/Rev.1, (part relating to the FR of Yugoslavia, Kosovo and Metohija) supported:

- the NATO barbarian aggression against the sovereign and independent FR of Yugoslavia, thus violating the UN Charter and international law
- the genocide against the Yugoslav peoples
- the killing of innocent civilians, women, children, the elderly
- the destruction of schools, faculties, kindergartens, civilian facilities, bridges and factories
- the destruction of refugee centers and killing of refugees who found shelter in the FR of Yugoslavia
- mass exodus of refugees and displaced persons caused by NATO aggression
- the destruction of the Radio Television of Serbia and of seven privately-owned TV stations, which was aimed at killing the truth.

The adoption of the Resolution E/CN.4/1999/L.34/Rev.1 (part relating to the FR of Yugoslavia, Kosovo and Metohija) represents a disgrace for the entire UN system and its humane objectives. The Commission on Human Rights will be remembered through this Resolution as the body of the UN which contributed to this disgrace. Those member states of the Commission which voted in favor of the Resolution, annulled thus the signatures they had put down when acceding to the UN. By voting for the afore mentioned resolution, these countries have contributed to NATO's action aimed at destroying the United Nations.