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## Note verbale dated 19 January 2000 from the Permanent Mission of the Republic of Iraq to the United Nations Office at Geneva addressed to the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Iraq to the United Nations Office and Other International Organizations at Geneva presents its compliments to the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights and has the honour to transmit the attached document, entitled "United States schemes to overthrow the system of government in Iraq in violation of international law and the Charter of the United Nations". This document has been prepared by the Iraqi delegation for the fifty-sixth session of the Commission on Human Rights\*.

The Mission of Iraq would appreciate it if the High Commissioner could arrange for this reply to be circulated as an official document of the fifty-sixth session of the Commission on Human Rights.

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