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FREEDOMS IN ANY PART OF THE WORLD

Letter dated 23 February 2000 from the Permanent Representative of
Azerbaijan to the United Nations Office at Geneva addressed to the
secretariat of the Commission on Human Rights

I have the honour to transit annexed herewith* an appeal to the peoples of the world, States, parliaments and international organizations by the inhabitants of the town of Khojaly on the occasion of the eighth anniversary of the genocide in Khojaly.

I would be grateful if you could circulate the present letter and the above-mentioned appeal as an official document of the fifty-sixth session of the Commission on Human Rights under item 9 of the provisional agenda.

(Signed) Isfandiyar VAHABZADA
Ambassador
Permanent Representative

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