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ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

I have the honour **to refer to my statement** at the Council's consultations **on 11 May 1989** on the situation in Namibia. At that **time**, I informed the Council that **my** Special Representative **in** Namibia had recommended that the number of UNTAG civilian police monitors be increased to a total of 1,000. I went on to say that I had accepted this recommendation in principle. I also informed Council members that, after the completion of related preparatory **work** of a technical **nature**, I would revert to the Council on this **matter**.

I wish now to confirm that I am undertaking urgent consultations on this **matter**, following which I propose to dispatch the additional 500 civilian police monitors to Namibia starting in mid-June. These steps include notification to the **ACABQ** of the cost implications,

I should be grateful if you would bring **this matter to** the attention **of** the **members of** the Security Council.

(~~Signature~~) PEREZ de CUELLAR

