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LETTER DATED 11 APRIL 1951 FROM THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Excellency:

Acting under instructions from my Government, I have the honor to inform the Security Council that the President of the United States has today relieved General Douglas MacArthur as the Commanding General of the military forces which the members of the United Nations have made available to the Unified Command under the United States, pursuant to the Security Council resolution of July 7, 1950, and has designated Lieutenant General Matthew B. Ridgeway as his successor.

Request is made that this report be provided to the Security Council.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

(Signed) Warren R. AUSTIN

His Excellency
Trygve Lie
Secretary-General
of the United Nations
United Nations, New York.
