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Letter dated 20 June 1984 from the Permanent Representative
of Afghanistan to the United Nations addressed to the
Secretary-General

In reference to the letter dated 18 June 1984 from the Permanent Representative of Pakistan to the United Nations addressed to Your Excellency (A/39/316-S/16635), I have the honour to inform you that today, 20 June 1984, the Chargé d'Affaires of the Embassy of Pakistan in Kabul was summoned to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Democratic Republic of Afghanistan, and the following statement was made to him by the officer-in-charge of the First Political Division:

"After study and investigation of the recent claim by Pakistani authorities that Afghan aircraft have allegedly violated Pakistan airspace on

* A/39/50.

27 Jawza 1363 (16 June 1984), the relevant authorities of the Democratic Republic of Afghanistan report that no violation of Pakistan airspace occurred on that date and they reject the Pakistani authorities' claim, which is, as in the past, totally devoid of any reality.

"It must be stated on the basis of past experience that whenever the dates of negotiations between the two countries through the representative of the Secretary-General or of the convening of the General Assembly sessions approach, the Pakistani authorities in order to confuse Pakistani and world public opinion and to score propagandistic gains launch such false and baseless allegations.

"The Democratic Republic of Afghanistan is a peace-loving country and, although it has been a victim of wild aggression from the territory of Pakistan, it has never violated the territory of any State.

"The Government of the Democratic Republic of Afghanistan, while condemning these false and provocative claims of the Pakistani authorities, which are in total contradiction with the peaceful policy of the Democratic Republic of Afghanistan, emphatically and categorically rejects them and points out that resorting to such lies and fabrications will bear no result but to create further obstacles in the way of future negotiations between the two countries".

I request Your Excellency to arrange for the circulation of this letter as a document of the General Assembly, under items 68, 69, 124, 125 and 130 of the preliminary list, and of the Security Council.

(Signed) M. Farid ZARIF
Ambassador
Permanent Representative
