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Letter dated 4 May 1987 from the Permanent Representative of  
the Islamic Republic of Iran to the United Nations addressed  
to the Secretary-General

Upon instructions from my Government and further to my previous letters, I have the honour to bring to your attention the attached details of **abhorrent** chemical attacks between 11 and 21 April 1987 against the Islamic Republic of Iran by the criminal Iraqi régime, which continues its illegal and indeed **abominable** course in the conduct of the war despite all rules of international humanitarian law and in blatant contravention of the 1925 Geneva Protocol for the Prohibition of the Use in War of Asphyxiating, Poisonous or Other Gases, and of Bacteriological Methods of Warfare.

It would be highly appreciated if this letter and its annex were circulated as a document of the General Assembly, under item 62 of the preliminary list, and of the Security Council.

(Signed) Said RAJA IE-KHORASSANI  
Ambassador  
Permanent Representative

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ANNEX

Details of chemical attacks against the Islamic Republic of Iran

Area	Time	Date	Means of delivery	Number of bombs	Contaminated area	Agent	Wounded
Shalamcheh	0100	11 April	Aircraft		5 km	Asphyxiating agent	5
Shalamcheh	0120	11 April	Helicopter			Nerve agent	20
Shalamcheh	0300	11 April	Helicopter and artillery		15 km	Nerve and mustard agents	25
Shalamcheh	0347	11 April	Artillery	3 shells	9 km	Nerve and mustard agents	5
Dolkan (Sardasht)	1845	15 April	Aircraft	4 bombs		Mustard agent	12
Kooh-e-Rooveh (Sardasht)	1000	16 April	Aircraft,	4 bombs	10 km	Mustard agent	6
Sakhre-Sanqi (Sardasht)	1000	16 April	Aircraft	2 bombs		Mustard agent	2
Kandeh Soor (Baneh)	1200	21 April	Aircraft	2 bombs	3 km	Mustard agent	10