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The Security Council,

Noting the letter dated 5 July 1976 from the Permanent Representative of Uganda to the United Nations (S/12124) and the letter dated 4 July 1976 from the Permanent Representative of Israel to the United Nations (S/12123),

Recalling its decision on hijacking adopted by consensus on 20 June 1972, the Hague Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Seizure of Aircraft, the Montreal Convention for the Suppression of Unlawful Acts Against the Safety of Civil Aviation, and the Standards and Practices Governing Airport Security and Aircraft Safety recommended by the International Civil Aviation Organization,

Reminding all States signatory to the Hague and Montreal Conventions of their obligations flowing from their accession to these agreements,

1. Condemns hijacking and all other acts which threaten the lives of passengers and crews and the safety of international civil aviation and calls upon all States to take every necessary measure to prevent and punish all such terrorist acts;

2. Deplores the tragic loss of human life which has resulted from the hijacking of the French aircraft;

3. Reaffirms the need to respect the sovereignty and territorial integrity of all States in accordance with the Charter of the United Nations and international law;

4. Enjoins the international community to give the highest priority to the consideration of further means of assuring the safety and reliability of international civil aviation.
