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LETTER DATED 7 AUGUST 1992 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE  
OF THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND  
TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE  
SECURITY COUNCIL

My Government is deeply disturbed by the continuing repression of the Iraqi civilian population in many parts of Iraq, which threatens international peace and security in the region, and by the failure of the Government of Iraq to cooperate under Security Council resolution 688 (1991) of 5 April 1991. It will be recalled that in paragraph 8 of that resolution the Council decided to remain seized of the matter.

I have been instructed by my Government to request an urgent meeting of the Council to consider further the repression of the Iraqi civilian population.

It is the view of my Government that the work of the Council would be greatly assisted by the participation of Mr. Van der Stoel under rule 39 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Council.

I therefore request that the Security Council extend an invitation to Mr. Van der Stoel under rule 39 of the provisional rules of the Council.

(Signed) D. H. A. HANNAY  
Permanent Representative of the  
United Kingdom of Great Britain  
and Northern Ireland

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