Letter dated 12 February 2008 from the Permanent Representative of the Russian Federation to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council

I have the honour to support the request contained in the letter of the Permanent Representative of the Republic of Serbia to the United Nations addressed to you today.

In accordance with rule 2 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, I have the further honour to request you to convene an urgent meeting of the Security Council on Thursday, 14 February 2008, to consider the dangerous developments in Kosovo (Serbia) caused by the preparatory activities of the Provisional Institutions of Self-Government for a unilateral declaration of independence.

I would be grateful if the present letter were circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Vitaly Churkin