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Letter dated 1 March 1989 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the
Permanent Observer Mission of Palestine to the United Nations
addressed to the Secretary-General

I am instructed by the Executive Committee of the Palestine Liberation Organization, which has the powers and responsibilities of the Provisional Government of Palestine, to bring the following to your immediate attention.

Israeli air force jets bombed the village of Chemlan, south of Beirut, Lebanon, on Tuesday, 28 February 1989. Among other targets, a school for Palestinian children was bombed. This latest Israeli terrorist attack on Palestinian civilians resulted in 3 being killed and 22 children being injured.

Once again this indicates the insistence of Israel's Government on pursuing its policy of killing and oppression against our people everywhere.

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We should be grateful if you would arrange to have the text of this letter circulated as an official document of the General Assembly, under agenda items 37, 39 and 78 of the preliminary list, and of the Security Council.

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