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<u>Letter dated 10 October 1997 from the Permanent Representative of Bulgaria to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General</u>

I have the honour to transmit herewith the text of the joint statement adopted at the meeting of the Ministers of Defence of South-eastern European Partnership for Peace participating States, regional North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) members Greece and Turkey, and NATO members Italy and the United States of America, held at Sofia on 3 October 1997.

I have the further honour to request that the text of the present letter and its annex be circulated as a document of the General Assembly under agenda item 81.

(<u>Signed</u>) Philip DIMITROV
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to the United Nations