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Letter dated 7 September 1990 from the **Chargé** d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Japan to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

Further to the letter of the Permanent Representative of Japan dated 29 August 1990 (A/45/467-5/21673), infarming you, inter alia, of the decision of the Government of Japan to provide emergency aid totalling 10 million United States dollars as a fund for evacuee relief activities in Jordan, I have the honour to inform you that the Japanese Government, in response to a request from the International Organization for Migration (IOM), has decided, on 7 September 1990, to extend additional emergency aid of 12 million dollars for a plan of action to enable Asian evacuees in Jordan and other countries to return to their home countries.

An outline of this decision is attached for your reference.

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I should be grateful if you would arrange **for** the text of the present letter and its annex to be circulated as a document of the General Assembly, under items 71, 142 and 144 of the provisional agenda, and of the Security Council.

(<u>Signed</u>) Katsumi SEZAKI

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ANNEX

Emergency aid for evacuees in Jordan and other countries in the reaion

(Outline)

On 7 September, in response to a request from the International Organization for Migration (IOM) for aid totalling \$US 23,460,000 for a plan of action to enable the Asian evacuees in Jordan and other countries to return to their home countries, the Government of Japan decided to extend additional emergency aid of \$12 million, 51 per cent of the requested amount, to IOM through the Office of the United Nations Disaster Relief Co-ordinator (UNDRO). Japan is extending this aid from the standpoint of discharging its obligation as an Asian nation by positively assisting Asian countries, as well as from a humanitarian standpoint, in view of the serious situation confronting Asian evacuees, including Bangladeshis, Filipinos, Pakistanis and Sri Lankans, who have crossed into Jordan but cannot return to their own countries.
