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**Letter dated 14 August 2000 from the President of the Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General**

I have the honour to inform you that your letter dated 31 July 2000 (S/2000/796) concerning the composition of the expert panel on the illegal exploitation of natural resources and other forms of wealth in the Democratic Republic of the Congo has been brought to the attention of the members of the Security Council. They take note of the intention and the proposal contained in your letter.

*(Signed)* **Hasmy** Agam  
President of the Security Council