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## Letter dated 20 December 1991 from the Permanent Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to enclose the following text;

(a) Statement of the Government of the United States regardiny the bombing of Pan Am 103;

(b) Joint declaration of the United States and United Kingdom.

I should be grateful if you would have this letter and its enclosure circulated as an official document of the General Assembly, under agenda item 125, and of the Security Council.

(<u>Signed</u>) Thomas **R.** PICKERING

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<sup>\*</sup> This communication is reissued at the request of the Permanent **Mission** of the United States of America to the United Nations.

## ANNEX

## Statement issued by the Government of the United States on 27 November 1991 regarding the bombing of Pan Am 103

After the indictments **were** handed down on 14 Novembor we conveyed them to the Libyan regime. We hnvo also consulted closely with the Governments of France and the **United** Kingdom and in **concert** with those two Govornmonts we have the following two doclarntions to **present** publicly today,

JOINT DECLARATION OF THE UNITED STATES AND UNITED KINGDOM

The British and American Governments today declare that the **Government** of Libya **must**:

surrender for trial all those charged with the **crime**; and accept responsibility for the actions of Libyan **officials**;

disclose all it knows of this crime, including the names of all those responsible, and allow full access to all witnesses, documents and other matorial evidence, including all the **remaining** timers;

pay appropriate compensation.

We expect Libya to comply promotly and in full.

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