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Letter dated 10 January 1985 from the Permanent Representative of
Pakistan to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

Further to my letter dated 7 January 1985 (A/40/71-S/16885), I have the honour to report to you two serious incidents of violations of Pakistan airspace and territory from the Afghanistan side which occurred on 7 and 8 January 1985. The details of the incidents are as follows:

On 7 January 1985, three Afghan aircraft violated Pakistan airspace in the Domandi area 45 kilometres north-east of Chaman and dropped two bombs which failed to explode.

On 8 January 1985, six Afghan aircraft violated Pakistan airspace and dropped four bombs one kilometre south-east of Arandu in the Chitral district.

I also take this opportunity to inform Your Excellency that the Government of Pakistan has rejected as totally false and baseless an allegation made by the Kabul authorities that, on 28 December 1984, 50 personnel of the Pakistan militia along with a group of 250 armed persons entered the Chamkani region in Paktia and fired bullets on Bangasht village and a border post, as a result of which a number of civilians and military personnel were killed. Pakistan's rejection of the allegation was conveyed to the Afghan Chargé d'Affaires of 8 January 1985. He was told that on no occasion had the Pakistan armed forces committed any violation against Afghanistan territory and that, in levelling these tendentious charges, the Kabul authorities were trying to shift the blame on to Pakistan for events within Afghanistan for which Pakistan could not be held responsible in any manner whatsoever.

I request Your Excellency to have this letter circulated as a document of the General Assembly, under the item entitled "The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security", and of the Security Council.

(Signed) S. SHAH NAWAZ
Ambassador and Permanent Representative

