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**Letter dated 18 March 2011 from the Permanent Representative
of the United States of America to the United Nations addressed to
the Secretary-General**

In accordance with paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 1973 (2011) of 17 March 2011, I hereby notify you that the United States of America will participate in measures to protect civilians and civilian-populated areas under threat of attack in Libya, working in coalition with Member States and regional organizations that act pursuant to this resolution.

Furthermore, in accordance with paragraph 8 of resolution 1973 (2011), I hereby notify you that the United States of America will participate in measures to enforce compliance with the ban on flights imposed by paragraph 6 of the resolution, working in coalition with Member States and regional organizations that act pursuant to the resolution.

I would be grateful if you would circulate the present letter as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Susan E. **Rice**

