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LETTER DATED 1 AUGUST 1958 FROM THE REPRESENTATIVE
OF CANADA ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE
SECURITY COUNCIL

On instructions from my Government, I have the honour to associate myself with my United Kingdom colleague's request of today that you convene, in your capacity as President of the Security Council, a Special Meeting of the Council under Article 28 of the Charter for the purpose and under the conditions set out in the United Kingdom Note. The proposed date of August 12 is satisfactory to Prime Minister Diefenbaker, whose intention it is to attend.

As Prime Minister Diefenbaker stated yesterday in Parliament, the Government of Canada stands ready to do all in its power to facilitate the holding of this meeting. My Government, therefore, associates itself with the further proposal that there should be early consultations between Permanent Representatives of Members of the Security Council with the assistance of the Secretary-General in order to reach agreement on the formulation of the item which the Council would discuss and on other pertinent matters of procedure.

I take this opportunity, etc.

(Signed) C.S.A. Ritchie
Permanent Representative of
Canada to the United Nations
