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Dear Mr. Hammarskjold,

I am planning a visit to Iraq some time in early July in order to have discussions with the Government concerning the provision of ground facilities for air navigation. The success of my mission will depend on my convincing key officials in the Iraqi Government that certain steps should be taken in matters relating to finance, hiring of foreign personnel and entering into arrangements with foreign airlines or with neighbouring countries.

It would be essential, therefore, to contact the right influential people in the Iraqi Government, and it would be extremely helpful to me to have your views and advice on matters connected with these contacts at high level, as well as on the general political situation in the country.

I intend to pass through New York on Wednesday, 25 May, and I wonder if you would be able to receive me for what I believe would not be more than half an hour.

Yours sincerely,

Walter Binaghi  
President of the Council

Mr. Dag Hammarskjold  
Secretary General  
United Nations  
New York, N. Y.

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