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3 February 1948

Sir,

I have the honour to transmit for your information the text of a telegram addressed to His Excellency Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, Prime Minister of India, by the United Nations Special Committee on the Balkans:-

"The United Nations Special Committee on the Balkans meeting at Salonika wishes to convey to you and through you to the Indian Government and people its most sincere sympathy on the loss sustained by India and by the whole world in the death of Mahatma Gandhi. His devotion to peace and justice will never be forgotten and his life of work will long be a source of inspiration to those many millions of his fellow men whose hopes and fears he so well understood."

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

A. Sobolev  
Assistant Secretary-General  
in charge of Security Council Affairs

AS

Dr. P.B. Pillai,  
Representative of India to the United Nations,  
Permanent Delegation of India to the United Nations,  
Room 6212,  
350 Fifth Avenue,  
New York 1, N. Y.

20 February 1947

MEMORANDUM TO: Mr. Andrew Cordier  
Executive Assistant to Secretary-General

From: Jehan de Hous  
Chief of Protocol *J de Hous*

The body of the late Brazilian Representative to the Security Council, H.E. Dr. Pedro Leao Velloso, is to be flown to Brazil on Saturday, 22 February, by a U. S. Army plane. Mme. de Velloso will also leave by that same plane.

I propose to represent the Secretariat on that occasion, and if further instructions are to be sent to me, I would appreciate receiving them before Friday evening.

CC: Mr. Brian Urquhart

Office of the Assistant Secretary-General  
for Department of Security Council Affairs

*for files / Sept 1*  
*[Signature]*

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MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS  
MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS  
STOCKHOLM  
SWEDEN

THE MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS ARE DEEPLY GRIEVED BY SWEDEN'S GREAT LOSS.

IN THE TRAGIC DEATH OF HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS PRINCE GUSTAF AND WISH TO EXPRESS  
*His Majesty King Gustaf*  
TO YOUR EXCELLENCY AND TO THE PEOPLE OF SWEDEN HEARTFELT SYMPATHY AND

CONDOLENCES

TRYGVE LIE SECRETARYGENERAL



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SOBOLEV

PLEASE ACCEPT AND TRANSMIT TO ALL MEMBERS OF SECURITY COUNCIL  
MY WARM APPRECIATION OF THEIR MOVING TRIBUTE TO THE MEMORY OF  
AMBASSADOR LEAO VELLOSO

RAUL FERNANDES

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HIS EXCELLENCY RAUL FERNANDEZ  
EXTERIORES  
RIODEJANEIRO, BRAZIL

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ON BEHALF OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL I HAVE THE HONOR TO  
INFORM YOU THAT AT THE OPENING OF THE NINETEYFOURTH MEETING OF  
THE SECURITY COUNCIL HELD AT LAKE SUCCESS, THE PRESIDENT  
ANNOUNCED WITH THE DEEPEST REGRET THE DEATH OF HIS EXCELLENCY  
MR. P. LEAO VELLOSO, REPRESENTATIVE OF BRAZIL TO THE UNITED  
NATIONS. ALL REPRESENTATIVES ON THE SECURITY COUNCIL EXPRESSED  
THEIR PERSONAL CONDOLENCE AND THAT OF THEIR GOVERNMENTS AND PAID  
THE HIGHEST TRIBUTE TO THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE AMBASSADOR. AFTER  
OBSERVING A MINUTE OF SILENCE THE SECURITY COUNCIL DECIDED TO  
ADJOURN IN RESPECT FOR HIS MEMORY.

I ALSO WISH TO TAKE THIS OCCASION TO EXPRESS MY PERSONAL  
SYMPATHY AT THE LOSS OF THIS DISTINGUISHED REPRESENTATIVE OF  
BRAZIL.

S SOBOLEV  
ASSISTANT SECRETARY-GENERAL  
SECURITY COUNCIL AFFAIRS

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SECRETARY-GENERAL

ON BEHALF GOVERNMENT OF ECUADOR AND MYSELF I SEND YOU  
SINCERE CONDOLENCES ON PREMATURE PASSING (OF) DR. PEDRO LEAO  
VELLOSO, EMINENT AMERICAN STATESMAN, WHOSE OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION  
TO UNITED NATIONS, SINCERE PAN-AMERICAN SENTIMENTS AND SURE  
SOCIAL VISION RENDER LOSS OF HIS VALUABLE ASSISTANCE EVEN MORE  
IRREPARABLE.

MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF ECUADOR,  
QUITO, ECUADOR

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SECRETARIO GENERAL

EN NOMBRE GOBIERNO DEL ECUADOR Y MIO PROPIO ENVIOLE  
SENTIMIENTOS DE SINCERA CONDOLENCIA POR PREMATURA DESAPARICION  
DOCTOR PEDRO LEAO VELLOSO EMINENTE ESTADISTA AMERICANO ALTISIMO  
APORTE DOCTOR VELLOSO A NACIONES UNIDAS SU CLARO SENTIDO PAN-  
AMERICANISTA SU CERTERA VISION SOCIAL HACEN TODAVIA MAS IRREPAR-  
ABLE PERDIDA DE SU VALIOSO CONCURSO

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*His Excellency*  
H.E. Sr. Raul Fernandez, Ministry of External Affairs,  
*Mr. Extenores* Rio de Janeiro, (Brazil)

On behalf of the Secretary-General I have the honour to inform you that at the opening of the Ninety-fourth meeting of the Security Council held today at Lake Success, the President announced with the deepest regret the death of His Excellency Ambassador P. Leao Velloso, Representative of Brazil to the United Nations. All Representatives on the Security Council expressed their personal condolences and that of their Governments and paid the highest tribute to the achievements of ~~Ambassador Velloso~~. After observing a minute of silence the Security Council decided to adjourn in respect for his memory. *Ambassador*

*also*  
I wish to take this occasion, ~~Monsieur le President~~, to ~~also~~ express my personal sympathy at the loss of the distinguished Representative of Brazil, ~~Ambassador Velloso~~.

A. SOBOLEV,  
Assistant Secretary-General,  
In charge of Security Council Affairs.

*[Signature]*  
D. Protitch,  
Director, Admin. & Gen. Div.,  
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A. SOBOLEV,  
Assistant Secretary-General,  
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