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Letter dated 29 May 2009 from the President of the Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to inform you that your letter dated 26 May 2009 (S/2009/281) concerning your intention to suspend, as of 30 June 2009, the assignment of Joaquim Alberto Chissano as your Special Envoy for the Lord's Resistance Army-affected Areas, has been brought to the attention of the members of the Security Council. They take note of the information and intention contained in your letter. They also wish to take this opportunity to express their appreciation to Mr. Chissano for his important contribution to the northern Uganda peace process.

(Signed) **Vitaly I. Churkin**
President of the Security Council

