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Letter dated 2 November 2001 from the Permanent Representative of Singapore to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council

Upon the instructions of my Government, I have the honour to transmit herewith a letter of today's date, addressed to the Chairman of the Panel of Experts on Liberia appointed under paragraph 19 of Security Council resolution 1343 (2001).

I should be grateful if this letter could be circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Kishore **Mahbubani** Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary

Annex to the letter dated 2 November 2001 from the Permanent Representative of Singapore to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council

Request for information under paragraph 20 of Security Council resolution 1343 (2001)

I have the honour to present my compliments to the Chairman of the Panel of Experts on Liberia established under paragraph 19 of Security Council resolution 1343 (2001).

With reference to the Panel's report, issued on 26 October 2001 in document S/2001/1015, we note that paragraphs 23, 39, 157, 334 and 349 made references to a Singapore-registered company, Borneo Jaya Pte Ltd. The report also states that the Panel received a bank document which indicates that an alleged payment for weapons delivery was made on 26 August 1999, directly from the Singapore accounts of Borneo Jaya Pte Ltd to the company San Air.

Upon the instructions of my Government, I seek the Panel's assistance, under paragraph 20 of resolution 1343 (2001), for any relevant information which the Panel may have in relation to this alleged transaction and for copies of all relevant documentation, in particular the bank document referred to in paragraph 349 of the Panel's report.

I have the further honour to inform you that, as a responsible Member of the United Nations, Singapore holds all Security Council resolutions in the highest regard and is fully committed to their implementation.

(Signed) Kishore **Mahbubani** Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary

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