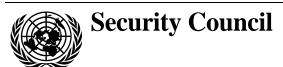
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Letter dated 12 May 2005 from the Permanent Representative of Benin to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council

I have the honour to request that, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 39 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, Ambassador Ridha Bouabid, Permanent Representative of the International Organization of la Francophonie, should be invited to participate, without the right to vote, in the open meeting of the Council on Haiti, to be held tomorrow, Friday, 13 May 2005.

(Signed) Joel W. Adechi Ambassador Permanent Representative