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Letter dated 13 June 2000 from the Permanent Representative of Portugal to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council

I have the honour, in my capacity as representative of the Presidency of the Council of the European Union, to request that Mr. Javier Solana, Secretary-General of the Council and High Representative for Foreign Policy and Common Security, be allowed to participate in the Security Council meeting to be held on Friday, 23 June 2000, on the situation in the Balkans, in accordance with rule 39 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council.

(Signed) António **Monteiro**
Ambassador
Permanent Representative