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**Letter dated 4 October 2002 from the Permanent Representative  
of Egypt to the United Nations addressed to the President of the  
Security Council**

In my capacity as Chairman of the African Group for the month of October 2002, I have the honour to request as authorization for Ambassador Amadou Kébé, Permanent Observer of the African Union to the United Nations, to intervene in the debate on “Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts” in the public meeting of the Security Council, scheduled to be held on 4 October 2002, in accordance with rule 39 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council.

(Signed) Ahmed **Aboul Gheit**  
Ambassador  
Chairman of the African Group