Sir,

I am directed by the Secretary-General to refer to the letters C.N.101.1953.TREATIES, C.N.122.1953.TREATIES and C.N.133.1953.TREATIES and to transmit to you the following communication of the Government of the United Kingdom relating to the reservations made in the instruments of accession of the Governments of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, of the Byelorussian Soviet Socialist Republic and of the Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic to the Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the United Nations:

"... her Majesty's Government regret that they are unable to accept the above-mentioned reservations because in their view they are not of the kind which intending parties to the Convention have the right to make."

Accept, Sir, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Constantin A. Stavropoulos
Principal Director
in charge of the Legal Department