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To M. Chérif Bassiouni
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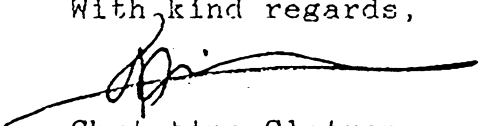
Mister Chairman,

I received your correspondance with the Secretary-General and the general assembly resolution which refers to the Commission on pages 3 and 6.
With reference to your wish to hear our views I'll take the liberty to give you my considerations.

It seems to me that your letter to the Secretary-General contains all the relevant argumentations concerning the future of the Commission. However, I would say that the letter of Mister Fleischhauer shows quite clear that there is little chance that the Commission can continue her work after April 30 on the developed lines. In my point of view the letter indicates that (part of) the Commission's work will be continued by the prosecutor as soon as possible.
In the circumstances, as things are I would suggest that the Commission's first priority should be the preparation of the final report and an orderly transfer of the information gathered by the Commission to the prosecutor.

However, related to the advanced stage of the project of the mass grave exhumations in Vukovar and Marina Selo and the substantial evidence this project can produce, it could be of great value to consult with the prosecutor about a coordinated approach of these exhumations.

With kind regards,


Christina Cleiren