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Seventy-fifth year****Protracted conflicts in the GUAM area and their  
implications for international peace, security  
and development****The situation in the occupied territories of Azerbaijan****Letter dated 12 May 2020 from the Permanent Representative of  
Azerbaijan to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General**

Upon instructions from my Government, I have the honour to convey herewith the records of ceasefire violations by the Republic of Armenia in April 2020 (see annex).\*

During the reporting period, the armed forces of Armenia committed 750 ceasefire violations, continuing to use large-calibre guns and heavy weaponry from their positions in the occupied territories of the Republic of Azerbaijan and from the territory of the Republic of Armenia.

The military occupation of the territory of Azerbaijan by the armed forces of Armenia is a result of the explicitly annexationist agenda of Armenia and a major obstacle to achieving peace, security, stability and socioeconomic development in the region.

The continuing status quo, where a substantial part of the internationally recognized territory of Azerbaijan remains under Armenia's occupation, does not represent a solution and will never produce a political outcome desired by Armenia. The sooner Armenia withdraws its armed forces from the Nagorno-Karabakh region and other occupied territories of Azerbaijan, the earlier the conflict will be resolved and both countries and their people will benefit from the prospects of cooperation and economic development.

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter and its annex circulated as a document of the General Assembly, under agenda items 32 and 37, and of the Security Council.

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Ambassador  
Permanent Representative

\* Circulated in the language of submission only.



**Annex to the letter dated 12 May 2020 from the Permanent Representative of Azerbaijan to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General**

**Violations of the ceasefire by the armed forces of the Republic of Armenia for April 2020\***

<i>Dates</i>	<i>Direction (locality)</i>	<i>Weapons used</i>	<i>Number of ceasefire violations</i>	<i>Casualties and damages</i>
<b>1–30 April</b>	<b>Aghdam district, Azerbaijan</b>			
	Chiragly village	AK	4	
	Mahrizli village	AK/AKM	7	
	Gasimagali village	PKM	2	
	Orta Garvand village	AK	1	
	Zengishali village	AK	2	
	Opposite positions	AK/AKM/PKM	9	
	<b>Agjabadi district, Azerbaijan</b>			
	Minakhorlu village	AK	1	
	Gyamaddylnly village	AK/PK	6	
	<b>Dashkasan district, Azerbaijan</b>			
	Zivilyan village	AKM	2	
	Tezekend village	PK	3	
	<b>Fuzuli district, Azerbaijan</b>			
	Ashaghi Abdurrahmanli village	AK/AKM/SVD	14	
	Alkhanli village	AK	1	
	Shukurbayli village	AKM/AKM	8	
	Unnamed heights	AK	4	
	Ahmadalilar village	AK/AKM	5	
	Opposite positions	AK/AKM/PKM 60-mm mortar	51	
	<b>Gazakh district, Azerbaijan</b>			
	Gyzylhajily village	AK/AKM/PK PKM/SVD/DShK	23	
	Aslanbeyli village	AK	1	
	Ashagi Askipara village	AK/PK/RPK PKM/SVD	10	
	Mezem village	PKM/SVD	8	
	Ikinji Shikhly village	AK/PK/PKM	6	
	Farahly village	AK/AKM/PK/PKM DShK/SVD	18	
	Khanliglar village	AK/AKM/PK	8	
	Bala Jafarly village	AK/AKM/PK/PKM	18	
	Gushchu Ayrim village	AK/PKM/PK/SVD	48	
	Kohnagishlag village	AK	1	

\* Settlements of the Republic of Azerbaijan included in this information are under occupation by the Republic of Armenia or situated close to the fire point areas.

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	Kamarli village	PK	3	
	Jafarly village	AK/PKM	2	
	<b>Gadabay district, Azerbaijan</b>			
	Novoivanovka village	OSV-96/PK/PKM	18	
	Goyalli village	AKM/DShK/PK PKM/SVD	12	
	Galakand village	AKM/PKM	7	
	Zamanly village	AK/AKM/PK PKM/OSV-96/NSVP	19	
	Mutudara village	AKM/PKM	7	
	Dordlar village	AK/AKM/PK/PKM	6	
	Garavalar village	PKM/SVD	4	
	Ayridara village	AKM	3	
	<b>Goygol district, Azerbaijan</b>			
	Kurdalilar village	AK/AKM/NSVP PK/PKM/SVD	31	
	Azgili village	NSVP/PK	3	
	Pirvardilar village	NSVP	1	
	<b>Goranboy district, Azerbaijan</b>			
	Tapgaragoyunlu village	AK/AKM/PK/PKM RPK/NSVP/SVD	79	
	Gulustan village	AK/AKM/SVD PK/PKM/NSVP	13	
	Bashgishlak village	AKM/NSVP	3	
	Borsulu village	AKM/PKM	5	
	Garachinar village	AKM	2	
	Yuxari Aghcakend village	PKM	1	
	Unnamed heights	AK/PK	4	
	Opposite positions	AK/AKM/PK	7	
	<b>Jabrayil district, Azerbaijan</b>			
	Cocuq Mercanli village	AK/PKM	3	
	Lala Ilahy mountain	AK	6	
	<b>Khojavand district, Azerbaijan</b>			
	Nargiztapa valley	AK	1	
	Garagantapa mountain	AK/PKM	2	
	Aghburu mountain	AK/OSV-96 60-mm mortar	9	
	Map mark 252.5	AK/AKM/PKM	5	
	Map mark 241.4	AK	2	
	Opposite positions	AK	1	
	<b>Tartar district, Azerbaijan</b>			
	Hasangaya village	AK/AKM OSV-96/RPK/NSVP	50	
	Borsunlu village	AK/AKM/PKM/RPK	31	

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	Gapanly village	AK/AKM	18	
	Jamilli village	AK/AKM	42	
	Jalaburt village	AK	5	
	Seydimli village	AK/AKM	7	
	Tazakand village	AK	1	
	Chayly village	AK/AKM/PKM NSVP	27	
	Giziloba village	AK/AKM/PKM/SVD	12	
	Gaynag village	AK/SVD	4	
	<b>Tovuz district, Azerbaijan</b>			
	Agdam village	AKM	5	
	Aghbulag village	AK/AKM/PK/PKM	10	
	Kokhanabi village	AKM	4	
	Munjuglu village	AK/AKM	4	

*Abbreviations:* AK, Kalashnikov assault rifle; AKM, modernized Kalashnikov assault rifle; DShK, heavy machine gun; NSVP, 12.7-mm-calibre heavy machine gun; OSV, semi-automatic sniper rifle; PK/PKM, Kalashnikov machine gun; RPK, Kalashnikov handheld machine gun; SVD, Dragunov sniper rifle.