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Dear Dr Goh

I have been informed by the Chairman of the Armaments Corporation, Commandant P G Marais, that you very kindly granted him an interview during his recent visit to your country.

I wish to thank you for your friendly gesture, and to say how appreciative I am of the fact that you discussed matters of mutual interest to our two countries.

As an expression of my gratitude for your goodwill, I should like to invite you to visit the Republic of South Africa during the course of 1983, as an honoured guest of my Government.

If you are able to accept this invitation I can assure you that your presence here will be treated with the appropriate discretion. I and my Government will endeavour to make your visit as worthwhile and meaningful as we can, and will encourage you to gain the widest possible experience of South Africa in the time at your disposal. To this end I would be grateful if you could let me know of your particular interests and preferences.

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Buitelandse Salee.

I am confident that your visit will serve to emphasize, for both of us, our areas of mutual interest. Indeed I believe we share a number of problems, ideals, and hopes for the future, and that your visit will enhance the possibility of co-operation and understanding between our two countries.

I trust that it will be possible for you to accept this invitation, and I look forward to meeting you in South Africa.

With kind regards

PRIME MINISTER

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