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SUMMONING OF THE THIRD EMERGENCY SPECIAL SESSION
OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Note by the Secretary-General

The Security Council, at its 838th meeting on 7 August 1958, adopted the following resolution:

"The Security Council,

"Having considered items 2 and 3 of document S/Agenda/838,

"Taking into account that the lack of unanimity of its permanent members at the 834th and 837th meetings of the Security Council has prevented it from exercising its primary responsibility for the maintenance of international peace and security,

"Decides to call an emergency special session of the General Assembly."

Accordingly, the Secretary-General, acting under the provisions of rule 8 (b) of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, has, by telegram dated 7 August 1958, summoned the third emergency special session of the Assembly to meet on Friday, 8 August 1958, at 5 p.m., in the General Assembly Hall, Headquarters, New York.

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838TH MEETING ON 7 AUGUST 1958

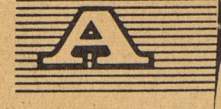
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics: draft resolution
on the immediate withdrawal of United States troops from
Lebanon and United Kingdom troops from Jordan

The General Assembly,

Recognizing the necessity of adopting urgent measures for the relaxation of
tension in the area of the Near and Middle East in the interests of preserving
universal peace,

Recommends the Governments of the United States of America and the
United Kingdom to withdraw their troops from the territory of Lebanon and Jordan
without delay;

Instructs the Secretary-General to strengthen the United Nations Observation
Group in Lebanon in accordance with the plan presented by the United Nations
Observation Group in Lebanon in its second report, and to send an observation
group to Jordan with a view to the supervision of the withdrawal of United States
and United Kingdom troops from Lebanon and Jordan, and of the situation along
the frontiers of those countries.



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QUESTIONS CONSIDERED BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL AT ITS 838TH MEETING
ON 7 AUGUST 1958

Canada, Colombia, Denmark, Liberia, Norway, Panama, Paraguay: draft resolution

The General Assembly,

Having considered the item "Questions discussed at the 838th meeting of the Security Council on 7 August 1958",

Noting the declarations addressed to the President of the General Assembly of 18 August 1958 by the United States regarding United States forces now in Lebanon and their withdrawal and by the United Kingdom regarding British forces now in Jordan and their withdrawal,

Noting the Charter aim that States should "practise tolerance and live together in peace with one another as good neighbours",

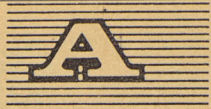
A.

1. Reaffirms that all Member States should "refrain from any threats or acts, direct or indirect, aimed at impairing the freedom, independence or integrity of any State, or at fomenting civil strife and subverting the will of the people of any State";

2. Calls upon all Member States strictly to observe these obligations and to ensure that their conduct, by word and deed, in relation to the general area of the Near East, conforms to the above-mentioned policy.

B.

Requests the Secretary-General, in accordance with the Charter, forthwith to make such practical arrangements as he, in consultation with the Governments concerned, may find would adequately serve to help in upholding the purposes and principles of the Charter in relation to Lebanon and Jordan in present circumstances, having in mind Section A of the present resolution.



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ON 7 AUGUST 1958

Iraq, Jordan, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Saudi Arabia, Sudan,
Tunisia, United Arab Republic and Yemen: draft resolution

The General Assembly,

Having considered the item "Question considered by the Security Council at its 838th meeting on 7 August 1958",

Noting the Charter aim that States should "practise tolerance and live together in peace with one another as good neighbours",

Noting that the Arab States have agreed in the Pact of the League of Arab States to "strengthen the close relations and numerous ties which link the Arab States, and to support and stabilize these ties upon a basis of respect for the independence and sovereignty of these States, and to direct their efforts toward the common good of all the Arab countries, the improvement of their status, the security of their future and the realization of their aspirations and hopes",

Desiring to relieve international tension,

A.

1. Welcomes the renewed assurances given by the Arab States to observe the provision of Article 8 of the Pact of the League of Arab States that "Each member State shall respect the systems of government established in the other member States and regard them as exclusive concerns of these States", and that "Each shall pledge to abstain from any action calculated to change established systems of government";

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2. Calls upon all Member States to act strictly in accordance with the principles of mutual respect for each other's territorial integrity and sovereignty, of non-aggression, of strict non-interference in each other's internal affairs, and of equal and mutual benefit, and to ensure that their conduct by word and deed conforms to these principles;

B.

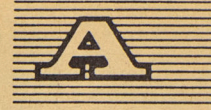
Requests the Secretary-General to make forthwith, in consultation with the Governments concerned and in accordance with the Charter, and having in mind Section A of this resolution, such practical arrangements as would adequately help in upholding the purposes and principles of the Charter in relation to Lebanon and Jordan in the present circumstances, and thereby facilitate the early withdrawal of the foreign troops from the two countries;

C.

Invites the Secretary-General to continue his studies now under way and in this context to consult as appropriate with the Arab countries of the Near East with a view to possible assistance regarding an Arab development institution designed to further economic growth in these countries;

D.

1. Requests Member States to co-operate fully in carrying out this resolution;
2. Invites the Secretary-General to report hereunder, as appropriate, the first such report to be made not later than 30 September 1958.



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Tunisia, United Arab Republic and Yemen: draft resolution

The General Assembly

Having considered the item "Question considered by the Security Council at
its 838th meeting on 7 August 1958",

Noting the Charter aim that States should "practise tolerance and live together
in peace with one another as good neighbours",

Noting that the Arab States have agreed in the Pact of the League of Arab
States to "strengthen the close relations and numerous ties which link the Arab
States, and to support and stabilize these ties upon a basis of respect for the
independence and sovereignty of these States, and to direct their efforts toward
the common good of all the Arab countries, the improvement of their status, the
security of their future and the realization of their aspirations and hopes",

Desiring to relieve international tension,

A.

1. Welcomes the renewed assurances given by the Arab States to observe the provision
of Article 8 of the Pact of the League of Arab States that "Each member State shall
respect the systems of government established in the other member States and regard
them as exclusive concerns of these States", And that "Each shall pledge to abstain
from any action calculated to change established systems of government",

2. Calls upon all Member States to act strictly in accordance with the principles of mutual respect for each other's territorial integrity and sovereignty, of non-aggression, of strict non-interference in each other's internal affairs, and of equal and mutual benefit, and to ensure that their conduct by word and deed conforms to these principles;

Requests the Secretary-General to make forthwith, in consultation with the Government^s concerned and in accordance with the Charter, and having in mind Section A of this resolution, such practical arrangements as would adequately help in upholding the purposes and principles of the Charter in relation to Lebanon and Jordan in the present circumstances, and thereby facilitate the early withdrawal of the foreign troops from the two countries;

C.

Invites the Secretary-General to continue his studies now under way and in this context to consult as appropriate with the Arab countries of the Near East with a view to possible assistance regarding an Arab Development institution designed to further economic growth in these countries;

D.

1. Requests Member States to co-operate fully in carrying out this resolution;
2. Invites the Secretary-General to report hereunder, as appropriate, the first such report to be made not later than 30 September 1958.

DRAFT RESOLUTION

The Security Council,

Noting that Judge Sergei Alexandrovich Golunsky has submitted his resignation owing to ill health,

Noting that a vacancy in the Court for the remainder of Judge Golunsky's term of office has thus occurred and must be filled in accordance with the terms of the Statute of the International Court of Justice, and

Noting that in accordance with Article 14 of the Statute, the date of the election to fill this vacancy shall be fixed by the Security Council,

Decides that an election to fill the vacancy shall take place during the eighth session of the General Assembly.