

have become an accepted and semi-permanent part of the way of life in the areas (in which they operate) has tended to come extent to reduce the sense of urgency which might stimulate a search by the parties concerned for a basic and peaceful solution of their conflicts."

25. There is no easy answer to this conundrum. Sovereign nations under the best of circumstances are most reluctant to make the kinds of concessions which are usually necessary to resolve disputes, and even more reluctant to accept any form of binding arbitration. When emotions arising from events of past history, national pride, race or religion are involved the difficulties are compounded.

26. The only course to follow, it seems to me, is the unglamorous pragmatic one of using whatever techniques offer