and to all countries. Without it, conflict and disagreement are inevitable, with dangers to the peace and welfare of all countries.

I believe, Mr. Speaker, that agreement can be reached, and when it is achieved Canada will have played a significant part in reaching it. In closing, may I repeat that in spite of the fact that the questions of the territorial sea and the fishing zones have not yet been completely resolved, the Conference on the Law of the Sea can be regarded, both from the Canadian viewpoint and from the standpoint of strengthening international relations, as a most significant milestone.