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Canada should encourage debate within the UN as to the usefulness of Charter Art. 40 in achieving a graduated transition from Chapter VI operations to Chapter VII Arts. 41 & 42 operations.

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Canada and other concerned TCN's should collaborate on and publish a policy statement and set of guidelines addressing the need to provide fully trained peacekeeping troops and operational equipment. In this way, potential troop and equipment contributing nations would be made more aware that they alone are the solution in mounting peacekeeping operations, and that by reneging on offers, or providing inappropriate equipment and troops, or by attempting to capitalize on reimbursement or getting equipped, they become part of the problem.

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Canada along with DPKO and other interested TCNs should fully examine the concept and modalities of creating UN Permanent Rapid Deployment Headquarters.

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Canada should precipitate the creation of a UN Permanent Rapid Deployment Headquarters by offering free accommodation at a location in Canada along with the paid secondment of a Canadian Major General as commander and up to 1/2 of the remaining staff establishment, eg. 30 out of 60.

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Canada should encourage the UN to develop a peacekeeping command and control doctrine.

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Canada must ensure that the results of its imminent study on enhancing the UN's responsiveness and rapid reaction capability are broadly disseminated, and that follow up action takes place within the UN and amongst TCN's to engender substantive changes or improvements.

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