

regard. At the same time I must clarify Canada's understanding of operative paragraph 2. What the General Assembly is endorsing, in its own words, are those recommendations relating to the Committee's work program, and only those recommendations.

Canada is, with some regret, unable to support draft Resolution L. 33 on an oil embargo. Our own voluntary embargo on oil supply is effective, and we recognize this as a potential area for further international cooperation. Nonetheless a mandatory embargo on both supply and shipping raises the problem of extraterritoriality of laws and other issues of longstanding concern and particular sensitivity for Canada, and perhaps for others.

On draft resolution L. 34 on military collaboration, Canada will abstain. It is unfortunate that language which would have enabled us to support it did not come forward, and that the present text detracts from universal support for the arms embargo, by gratuitous and largely unsubstantiated name-calling rather than looking for ways to make the embargo more effective.

Draft resolution L.36 on concerted action is traditionally supported by Canada and we will do so again.