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(b) In the event that any state should make an attempt, or prepare for an attempt against such rights and such peaceful relations, collective intervention by all nations in order to reestablish peace would be proper and justified.

Within the international community there is reason for regional organizations, which may even be indispensable, such as the inter-American system, under the condition that their action should fall within the scope of the international community, and that in no case would the regional organizations be able to set one continent or region against another continent or region, and that they do not represent an isolation of the nations composing them in opposition to the other nations of the world.

Uruguay believes that the co-existence of regional systems with the world community could be implemented on the following bases:

- (a) The juridical systems of the world organization and the regional organizations must not exclude or replace each other, but must be implemented and coordinated so as to strengthen the rule of law; and
- (b) The states composing a regional organization should have the right to address themselves to all the jurisdictions of the world Organization and shall participate in the juridical guarantees, the security plans, and the systems of cooperation existing therein.

Uruguay, therefore, Mr. President and Delegates, adheres to the establishment of an international juridical order that would not jeopardize but instead consolidate the fruits and results of the victorious thrust of the free peoples against the Axis powers. As the work of peoples which are still engaged in the struggle among ruins, battles, and hopes, it will not yet be a perfect and finished accomplishment. But this will no doubt be attained in the course of time, as a consequence of the aspiration and constructive decision of all peoples of good will. The stage of development will begin immediately upon its foundation.

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