

The machinery for dealing with breaches of the peace under Chapter VII must now be strengthened to ensure the wider representativeness of enforcement action; it can also act as a deterrent to potential aggressors. At the same time, we must define future approaches to the use of the permanent members' veto and perhaps even question its continued existence.

Regional Approaches

One way to avoid overloading the still-fragile UN Security system is to draw, whenever feasible, on regional security approaches and institutions. A promising method may be to adapt and propagate the CSCE model, which helped to end the Cold War in Europe, to other regions. The ideas of External Affairs Minister Clark, and others, for Pacific forums for security and cooperation are extremely interesting as a way of treating broad security problems. Recent preliminary assessments in the Southern African region suggest that the withdrawal of Cold War intervention, and the beginning of the end of apartheid and destabilization, may well permit dramatic new advances in regional cooperation and security.

Even in South Asia or the Middle East we should not despair of the potential for new security arrangements in this global climate. In the Middle East, most conflicts *are linked* whether we like it or not. If the initiative in managing those linkages is not relinquished to enemies of Israel, the world could even see a new era of security and cooperation in the Middle East encouraged and advanced by the resolution of the current situation in the Persian Gulf.

International Order, World Order and Human Order

In an era of global communications, the division of humanity between a privileged quarter and a deprived three-quarters can no longer be sustained. The ending of the Cold war removes the last of the great excuses for distraction and neglect. There is a relatively short time for the current international system to begin addressing this human "disorder" in a serious way, and to be seen to be doing so.

Will the Western nations find that the evaporation of their Communist common adversary merely liberates them further to pursue their divergent interests? The parlous state of the GATT and the open trading order strongly suggest this possibility. In many ways, the moral and