

receive the very careful consideration they deserve it would be appropriate for the Assembly to refer these draft declarations and amendments now before us to the Special Committee to be studied by them in connection with their effort next year to achieve an agreement on the meaning and scope of the principle of non-intervention. We do not believe this will involve undue delay. The Committee will undoubtedly be reporting to the General Assembly next year. That Committee will have much more time than this body to resolve differences of view. If they succeed at this task and can produce a statement of principles or declaration which contains an agreed definition of the principle of non-intervention the world community will be well on its way to taking an important step forward in the achievement of friendly relations and of a stronger basis for the attainment of international security.