

Member States refrained from acts derogatory to the results sought to be achieved by the United Nations in bringing about the complete independence and unity of Korea; and the concern expressed that the situation described by the United Nations Commission on Korea in its report menaces the safety and well being of the Republic of Korea and of the people of Korea and might lead to open military conflict there;

"Noting with grave concern the armed attack on the Republic of Korea by forces from North Korea,

"Determines that this action constitutes a breach of the peace,

"I. Calls for the immediate cessation of hostilities; and

"Calls upon the authorities in North Korea to withdraw forthwith their armed forces to the 38th parallel;

"II. Requests the United Nations Commission on Korea

"(a) To communicate its fully considered recommendations on the situation with the least possible delay.

"(b) To observe the withdrawal of North Korean forces to the 38th parallel, and

"(c) To keep the Security Council informed on the execution of this resolution;

"III. Calls upon all Members to render every assistance to the United Nations in the execution of this resolution and to refrain from giving assistance to the North Korean authorities."

Resolution adopted at the 474th meeting of the Security Council, June 27, 1950 by a vote of 7 in favour, 1 against (U.S.S.R. absent).

(Note: The Representatives of Egypt and India did not participate in the vote because they had not received instructions from their governments. On June 30, India announced its support for the resolution and the Egyptian Representative stated that he had been instructed to announce that Egypt would have abstained.)

"The Security Council

"Having determined that the armed attack upon the Republic of Korea by forces from North Korea constitutes a breach of the peace;

and "Having called for an immediate cessation of hostilities;

"Having called upon the authorities of North Korea to withdraw forthwith their armed forces to the 38th parallel; and

"Having noted from the report of the United Nations Commission for Korea that the authorities in North Korea have neither ceased hostilities nor withdrawn their armed forces to the 38th parallel, and that urgent military measures are required to restore international peace and security; and