

## RESOLUTION ADOPTED ON THE REPORT OF THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

### 710 (VII). Credentials of representatives to the seventh session of the General Assembly

*The General Assembly*

*Approves* the fourth report<sup>1</sup> of the Credentials Committee.

*430th plenary meeting,  
28 August 1953.*

## RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED ON THE REPORT OF THE FIRST COMMITTEE

### 711 (VII). The Korean question

#### A

#### IMPLEMENTATION OF PARAGRAPH 60 OF THE KOREAN ARMISTICE AGREEMENT

*The General Assembly:*

1. *Notes with approval* the Armistice Agreement<sup>2</sup> concluded in Korea on 27 July 1953, the fact that the fighting has ceased, and that a major step has thus been taken towards the full restoration of international peace and security in the area;

2. *Reaffirms* that the objectives of the United Nations remain the achievement by peaceful means of a unified, independent and democratic Korea under a representative form of government and the full restoration of international peace and security in the area;

3. *Notes* the recommendation contained in the Armistice Agreement that "In order to ensure the peaceful settlement of the Korean question, the military Commanders of both sides hereby recommend to the governments of the countries concerned on both sides that, within three (3) months after the Armistice Agreement is signed and becomes effective, a political conference of a higher level of both sides be held by representatives appointed respectively to settle through negotiation the questions of the withdrawal of all foreign forces from Korea, the peaceful settlement of the Korean question, etc.";

4. *Welcomes* the holding of such a conference;

5. *Recommends* that:

(a) The side contributing armed forces under the Unified Command in Korea shall have as participants in the conference those among the Member States contributing armed forces pursuant to the call of the United Nations which desire to be represented, together with the Republic of Korea. The participating governments shall act independently at the conference with full freedom of action and shall be bound only by decisions or agreements to which they adhere;

(b) The United States Government, after consultation with the other participating countries referred to in sub-paragraph (a) above, shall arrange with the other side for the political conference to be held as soon as possible, but not later than 28 October 1953, at a place and on a date satisfactory to both sides;

(c) The Secretary-General of the United Nations shall, if this is agreeable to both sides, provide the political conference with such services and facilities as may be feasible;

(d) The Member States participating pursuant to sub-paragraph (a) above shall inform the United Nations when agreement is reached at the conference and keep the United Nations informed at other appropriate times;

6. *Reaffirms* its intention to carry out its programme for relief and rehabilitation in Korea, and appeals to the governments of all Member States to contribute to this task.

*430th plenary meeting,  
28 August 1953.*

#### B

*The General Assembly,*

*Having adopted* the resolution entitled "Implementation of paragraph 60 of the Korean Armistice Agreement",

*Recommends* that the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics participate in the Korean political conference provided the other side desires it.

*430th plenary meeting,  
28 August 1953.*

#### C

*The General Assembly,*

*Requests* the Secretary-General to communicate the proposals on the Korean question submitted to the resumed meetings of the seventh session and recommended by the Assembly, together with the records of the relevant proceedings of the General Assembly, to the Central People's Government of the People's

<sup>1</sup> See document A/2451.

<sup>2</sup> See document A/2431.