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### NOTE BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

1. At the 117th plenary meeting of its fortieth session, on 16 December 1985, the General Assembly adopted resolution 40/158, entitled "Review of the implementation of the Declaration on the Strengthening of International Security". <sup>1/</sup>

2. In paragraphs 10 and 11 of that resolution, the General Assembly

"10. Emphasizes that the Security Council should consider holding periodic meetings in specific cases to consider and review outstanding problems and crises, thus enabling the Council to play a more active role in preventing conflicts;

"11. Reiterates the need for the Security Council, in particular its permanent members, to ensure the effective implementation of its decisions in compliance with the relevant provisions of the Charter".

### Notes

<sup>1/</sup> Not reproduced in the present document; for the full text, see A/RES/40/158.

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