

ARTICLE 35

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TEXT OF ARTICLE 35

1. Any Member of the United Nations may bring any dispute, or any situation of the nature referred to in Article 34, to the attention of the Security Council or of the General Assembly.

2. A state which is not a Member of the United Nations may bring to the attention of the Security Council or of the General Assembly any dispute to which it is a party if it accepts in advance, for the purposes of the dispute, the obligations of pacific settlement provided in the present Charter.

3. The proceedings of the General Assembly in respect of matters brought to its attention under this Article will be subject to the provisions of Articles 11 and 12.

INTRODUCTORY NOTE

1. The General Survey of the present study summarizes the initial communications by which disputes and situations were submitted to the Security Council during the period under review. The tabulation which is annexed includes all the questions thus submitted to the Security Council.

2. During the period covered by this *Supplement*, no questions were submitted to the General Assembly invoking Article 35; nor were questions brought before the Security Council or the General Assembly by non-Member States under the provisions of Article 35 (2).

I. GENERAL SURVEY

3. During the period under review, the Security Council placed on its agenda 11 questions submitted by Member States for consideration under its responsibility for the maintenance of international peace and security.¹ Article 35 was not specifically cited in the respective letters of submission.

4. In one instance, a question submitted by a Member State explicitly under Article 35 was placed on the provisional agenda of the Security Council but, following an exchange of views, the Council adjourned without taking a vote on the adoption of the agenda.²

5. In addition to the questions referred to above, the Security Council considered sub-items of composite agenda items already under its consideration. In this respect, none

¹ All of these questions, except one, appear in the annex to the present study. The item entitled "Letter dated 12 June 1968 from the Permanent Representatives of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America addressed to the President of the Security Council" (S C, 23rd yr., Suppl. for Apr.-June, pp. 216-218, S/8630), which was included in the agenda of the 1433rd meeting of the Security Council (S C, 23rd yr., 1433rd mtg., para. 2), is not included in the annex since this question relating to measures to safeguard non-nuclear-weapon States parties to the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons was submitted by three of the permanent members of the Security Council in terms not related to Article 35.

² In connexion with the situation in Northern Ireland, see paras. 14-16 of this study.

of the letters of submission made reference to Article 35(1). The sub-items were brought to the attention of the Council by Member States.³ These sub-items are not included in the tabulation in the Annex.

6. During the period under review, Article 35 was not invoked by any State in letters submitting a question to the General Assembly, but was cited incidentally in the course of the debates in the General Assembly.⁴ These references are not covered in this study, except those which were made in connexion with the question entitled "Comprehensive review of the whole question of the peace-keeping operations in all their aspects". These are dealt with in paragraphs 17 to 19 of the Analytical Summary of Practice under the heading "The question of the competence of the General Assembly arising from Article 35".

³ In connexion with the Palestine question: S C, 21st yr., Suppl. for Oct.-Dec., S/7540 and S/7587. In connexion with the situation in Southern Rhodesia: S C, 21st yr., Suppl. for Oct.-Dec., S/7610; S C, 23rd yr., Suppl. for Jan.-March, S/8454; S C, 24th yr., Suppl. for Apr.-June, S/9237 and Add.1-2. In connexion with the Cyprus question: S C, 22nd yr., Suppl. for Oct.-Dec., S/8262. The Security Council continued also its consideration of the Cyprus question (S C, 18th yr., Suppl. for Oct.-Dec., S/5488) with reference to the reports of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Cyprus. See: S C, 21st yr., Suppl. for Oct.-Dec., S/7611 (1338th mtg.); S C, 22nd yr., Suppl. for Apr.-June, S/7969 (1362nd mtg.); S C, 22nd yr., Suppl. for Oct.-Dec., S/8286 (1385th mtg.); S C, 23rd yr., Suppl. for Jan.-March, S/8446 (1398th mtg.); S C, 23rd yr., Suppl. for Apr.-June, S/8622 (1432nd mtg.); S C, 23rd yr., Suppl. for Oct.-Dec., S/8914 (1459th mtg.); S C, 24th yr.,

II. ANALYTICAL SUMMARY OF PRACTICE

A. In the Security Council

1. THE QUESTION OF THE PROCEDURE OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL GIVING EFFECT TO THE PROVISION THAT ANY MEMBER OF THE UNITED NATIONS MAY BRING ANY DISPUTE, OR ANY SITUATION OF THE NATURE REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 34, TO THE ATTENTION OF THE COUNCIL

7. Though inclusion in the agenda of a specific meeting is the procedure whereby the Council becomes seized of a dispute or situation, the constitutional significance of the act of adoption of the agenda has been assessed in varying terms on different occasions by representatives on the Council. The attitude of the Council regarding the relationship between submission of a dispute or situation under Article 35 and inclusion in the agenda must be discerned from the proceedings in each case as it arises.⁵

8. During the period under review, there were three instances⁶ in which objections were raised to the inclusion of a matter on the agenda of the Security Council for the following reasons: that a question which was submitted by one State fell exclusively within the domestic jurisdiction of another State; that the item proposed for inclusion in the agenda by six Council Members did not fall within the purview of the competence of the Council; and that Article 2(7) of the United Nations Charter barred examination of a matter submitted for consideration by the Council.

a. *Decision of 26 January 1968 in connexion with the complaint by the United States (Pueblo incident)*

9. At the 1388th meeting on 26 January 1968, the Security Council had before it a letter⁷ dated 25 January 1968 from the representative of the United States requesting an urgent meeting of the Council to consider the situation and the "grave threat to peace" resulting from a series of "aggressive military actions by North Korean authorities in violation of the Armistice Agreement, of international law and of the Charter of the United Nations", the most recent of which was the "illegal seizure" by armed North Korean vessels of a naval vessel of the United States, *USS Pueblo*, while operating in international waters.

10. Objection was raised to inclusion of this item in the agenda on the grounds that the seizure or detention of a foreign ship which had invaded the territorial waters of any State with hostile intent was a matter exclusively within the national jurisdiction of the State concerned and that therefore it was improper to bring this matter before the Security Council. In support of the adoption of the agenda, it was stated that the Security Council was being asked to

discharge its primary responsibility for the maintenance of international peace and security and to consider a matter which affected the peace and security of an important area in the world in order to find a satisfactory solution to this problem in the just and peaceful manner required by the Charter.⁸

Decision

The Security Council decided⁹ to include the item in the agenda by 12 votes to 3.

b. *Decision of 21 August 1968 in connexion with the situation in Czechoslovakia*

11. At the 1441st meeting on 21 August 1968 the Security Council had before it a letter¹⁰ dated 21 August 1968 from the representatives of Canada, Denmark, France, Paraguay, the United Kingdom and the United States requesting the President of the Security Council to convene "an immediate meeting" of the Council to consider "the present serious situation in the Czechoslovak Socialist Republic".

12. In opposition to the inscription of the above-cited item in the agenda and the convening of the Council, it was maintained¹¹ that there was no basis for the discussion of this matter by the Security Council because the events in Czechoslovakia were a matter of concern for the Czechoslovak people and the States of the socialist community, linked among themselves by mutual obligations. The decision of the fraternal socialist States to meet the request of, and give military assistance to, the Czechoslovak people in response to a threat to the socialist system on the part of counter-revolutionary forces in alliance with external forces hostile to socialism, was in full conformity with the right of peoples to individual and collective self-defence under Article 51 of the United Nations Charter and also the provisions of the Warsaw Treaty. Neither the Czechoslovak Government, nor the Government of any other socialist State had appealed to the Security Council through any request or proposal; nor had they asked for a meeting of the Council because they considered the matter as lying outside the purview of the Security Council.

13. In reply to these objections, it was stated that the claim that the internal developments in Czechoslovakia had international implications which the socialist States could not tolerate was not only contrary to the provisions of the Warsaw Treaty, but constituted a gross violation of the United Nations Charter. The invasion and occupation by foreign troops of a country, undertaken without the knowledge and without the consent of the lawful authorities of that country, was a matter which was international in character and created a situation which the Security Council was not only competent but duty bound to con-

Suppl. for Apr.-June, S/9233 (1474th mtg.); S C, 24th yr., Suppl. for Oct.-Dec., S/9521 and Add.1 (1521st mtg.).

⁴ For such references to Article 35, see: in connexion with the "Invitation aspects of the question of Korea"; G A (XXII), First Committee, 1512th mtg.: Greece, paras. 159 and 160; G A (XXIV), First Committee, 1671st mtg.: Ceylon, para. 10; and 1672nd mtg.: Sudan, para. 102.

⁵ See *Repertory*, vol. II, p. 247, under Article 35, para. 13.

⁶ See paras. 9-16 of this study.

⁷ S C 23rd yr., Suppl. for Jan.-March, p. 140, S/8360.

⁸ For texts of relevant statements, see: S C, 23rd yr., 1388th mtg.: Canada, paras. 25-27; Hungary, paras. 21-23; USSR, paras. 38 and 39; United Kingdom, paras. 32-35; United States, paras. 14-16.

⁹ S C, 23rd yr., 1388th mtg., para. 40.

¹⁰ S C, 23rd yr., Suppl. for Julv-Sept., S/8758

¹¹ For the texts of the statements referred to in paras. 12 and 13, see: S C, 23rd yr., 1441st mtg.: Canada, paras. 49-54; Denmark, paras. 68-71; Paraguay, paras. 107-110; USSR, paras. 3, 23, 90-91, 93 and 102-105; United Kingdom, paras. 57 and 61-66; United States, paras. 9, 29, 33-43 and 46

sider under Article 24 of the Charter and in the light of principles contained in Article 2(4) and General Assembly resolution 2131 (XX) of 21 December 1965, containing a "Declaration on the Inadmissibility of Intervention in the Domestic Affairs of States and the Protection of Their Independence and Sovereignty".

Decision

The Security Council decided¹² to include the item in the agenda by 13 votes to 2.

c. Proceedings on 20 August 1969 in connexion with the situation in Northern Ireland,

14. At the 1503rd meeting on 20 August 1969, the Security Council had on its provisional agenda a latter¹³ dated 17 August 1969 from the representative of Ireland requesting, by virtue of Article 35 of the Charter, an "urgent meeting of the Security Council in connexion with the situation in the six counties of Northern Ireland".

15. Objection was raised to the inclusion of this question in the Council's agenda by the representative of the United Kingdom on the following grounds: that in so far as Northern Ireland was an integral part of the United Kingdom the events in Northern Ireland were an internal matter for the United Kingdom Government and therefore United Nations intervention in the matter against the wishes of that Government would be in violation of Article 2(7) of the Charter; that the situation in Northern Ireland was under control and could in no way be considered a threat to international peace and security, and therefore, there were no grounds for invocation of Article 35; further, that neither Article 35 nor any other could in any event be regarded as prevailing over the specific provision of Article 2(7).¹⁴

16. The representative of Ireland took exception to the argument that the situation in Northern Ireland fell exclusively within the domestic jurisdiction of the United Kingdom. He held that the present situation in the six counties of Northern Ireland had its origins in the partition of Ireland, a unilateral act on the part of the British Government which had never been conceded to by the Government of Ireland whose declared policy was to bring about reunification by peaceful means. The persistent denial by the British Government of their civil rights to a large part of the population of Northern Ireland had culminated in the present crisis. It was the position of the delegation of Ireland that while that aspect of the matter alone would be sufficient to justify the request for a Council meeting, another consideration as to why the Council should deal with this question was that the grave situation in Northern Ireland could become aggravated to a degree which would create a major problem not only in Northern Ireland but also in relations between Great Britain and Ireland.¹⁵

Decision

Following the expression of views by members of the Security Council¹⁶ and the statement by the Minister for External Affairs of Ireland in explanation of his

¹² S C, 23rd yr., 1441st mtg., para. 121.

¹³ S C, 24th yr., Suppl. for July-Sept., S/9394.

¹⁴ S C, 24th yr., 1503rd mtg.: United Kingdom, paras. 7-9 and 57. See also this Supplement under Article 2(7), paras. 96-100 and 108.

¹⁵ S C, 24th yr., 1503rd mtg., paras. 24, 26, 33, 41 and 43.

¹⁶ For texts or relevant statements, see footnotes 14 and 15 above. See also S C, 24th yr., 1503rd mtg.: President (Spain), para. 20; USSR, paras. 45 and 46; Zambia, paras. 67 and 68.

Government's request for an urgent meeting of the Security Council, the Council adjourned.¹⁷

**2. THE QUESTION OF SUBMISSION BY STATES NOT MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS

**3. THE QUESTION OF ACCEPTANCE "IN ADVANCE, FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE DISPUTE", OF THE OBLIGATIONS OF PACIFIC SETTLEMENT PROVIDED IN THE CHARTER

B. In the General Assembly

1. THE QUESTION OF THE COMPETENCE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ARISING FROM ARTICLE 35

17. At the twenty-first session of the General Assembly, during the Special Political Committee's discussion of the item entitled "Comprehensive review of the whole question of the peace-keeping operations in all their aspects", references were made to Article 35, together with Articles 10, 11, 12, 14 and 15, on the question of the competence of the General Assembly with regard to matters relating to the maintenance of international peace and security.

18. A number of representatives expressed the view that under the Charter, in particular under Article 35, the Security Council and the General Assembly had complementary functions in the maintenance of peace and security. In so far as the primary responsibility was expressly conferred on the Security Council by Article 24, the initial consideration of any matter arising under Article 35 had to be taken by the Security Council. However, if the Council failed to take a decision or found itself unable to do so, the Assembly had the competence and the responsibility to discuss the matter and to make appropriate recommendations in accordance with Articles 10, 11, 12, 14 and 15. It was also noted that the provisions of Article 35 did not specify what authority would decide on the measures to be taken with regard to peace-keeping operations. Under Chapter VII of the Charter, the Security Council was the authority competent to take enforcement action, in which its decisions were mandatory, whereas the General Assembly could only make recommendations. This would seem to suggest that the Security Council should be the organ for carrying out peace-keeping operations, but that the General Assembly should continue to have its share of responsibility in that area in accordance with the above-cited Charter Articles.¹⁸

19. During the twenty-first session, three draft resolutions¹⁹ were recommended by the Special Political Committee to the General Assembly for adoption in connexion with this item. Under one of these draft resolutions²⁰ the Assembly would have recognized that the efforts in the Special Committee on Peace-keeping Operations to harmonize the views of Member States concerning the competence and functions of the General Assembly and the Security Council in the initiation and financing of

¹⁷ S C, 24th yr., 1503rd mtg., para. 70.

¹⁸ For texts of relevant statements, see G A (XXI), Spec. Pol. Com.: 519th mtg.: Nigeria, para. 21; 520th mtg.: Guatemala, para. 28; 522nd mtg.: USSR, para. 32; 523rd mtg.: Afghanistan, para. 17; 526th mtg.: Austria, para. 6; 527th mtg.: Cyprus, para. 8; Dahomey, para. 16; 543rd mtg.: Canada, para. 5; Mexico, para. 19 and United States, para. 37.

¹⁹ G A (XXI), Annexes, a.i. 33, A/6603, para. 25.

²⁰ *Ibid.*, draft resolution B, 8th preamb. para. (A/SPC/L.130/Rev. 1-4).

peace-keeping operations had not been conclusive. At the 1499th meeting on 19 December 1966, the General Assembly decided not to vote on the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political Committee.²¹

²¹ G A (XXI), Plen., 1499th mtg., paras. 90-91, 105-106 and 112-115.

****2. THE QUESTION OF DELEGATION TO A SUBSIDIARY ORGAN OF RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ARISING FROM ARTICLE 35**

ANNEX

Tabulation of questions submitted to the Security Council (1966-1969)

**A. QUESTIONS SUBMITTED BY MEMBERS AS DISPUTES

B. QUESTIONS SUBMITTED BY MEMBERS AS SITUATIONS

Question	Article invoked as basis for submission	Action taken
1. Complaint by the Democratic Republic of the Congo:		
(i) Letter dated 21 September 1966 from the Acting Permanent Representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/7503)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 21st yr., 1302nd mtg., para. 4
(ii) Letter dated 6 July 1967 from the Permanent Representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8036)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 21st yr., 1363rd mtg., para. 6
(iii) Letter dated 3 November 1967 from the Permanent Representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8218)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 21st yr., 1372nd mtg., para. 5
2. Situation in the Middle East:		
(i) Letter dated 23 May 1967 from the Permanent Representatives of Canada and Denmark addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/7902)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 21st yr., 1341st mtg., para. 59
(ii) Complaint of the representative of the United Arab Republic in a letter to the President of the Security Council dated 27 May 1967 entitled: "Israel aggressive policy, its repeated aggression threatening peace and security in the Middle East and endangering international peace and security" (S/7907)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 21st yr., 1343rd mtg., para. 2
(iii) Letter dated 29 May 1967 from the Permanent Representative of the United Kingdom addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/7910)	None	<i>Ibid.</i>
(iv) Letter dated 9 June 1967 from the Permanent Representative of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics addressed to the President of the Security Council concerning an item entitled: "Cessation of military action by Israel and withdrawal of the Israeli forces from those parts of the territory of the United Arab Republic, Jordan, and Syria which they have seized as the result of an aggression" (S/7967)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 21st yr., 1354th mtg., para. 2
(v) Letter dated 8 July 1967 from the Permanent Representative of the United Arab Republic addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8043)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 21st yr., 1365th mtg., para. 53
(vi) Letter dated 8 July 1967 from the Permanent Representative of Israel addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8044)	None	<i>Ibid.</i>
(vii) Letter dated 24 October 1967 from the Permanent Representative of the United Arab Republic addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8207)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 21st yr., 1369th mtg., para. 5
(viii) Letter dated 24 October 1967 from the Permanent Representative of Israel addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8208)	None	<i>Ibid.</i>
(ix) Letter dated 7 November 1967 from the Permanent Representative of the United Arab Republic addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8226)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 21st yr., 1373rd mtg., preceding para. 1
(x) Letter dated 21 March 1968 from the Permanent Representative of Jordan addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8484)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 23rd yr., 1401st mtg., para. 1

Question	Article invoked as basis for submission	Action taken
2. Situation in the Middle East (<i>continued</i>)		
(xi) Letter dated 21 March 1968 from the Permanent Representative of Israel addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8486)	None	<i>Ibid.</i>
(xii) Letter dated 29 March 1968 from the Permanent Representative of Jordan addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8516)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 23rd yr., 1409th mtg., preceding para. 1
(xiii) Letter dated 29 March 1968 from the Permanent Representative of Israel addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8517)	None	<i>Ibid.</i>
(xiv) Letter dated 25 April 1968 from the Permanent Representative of Jordan addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8560)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 23rd yr., 1416th mtg., preceding para. 1
(xv) Letter dated 5 June 1968 from the Permanent Representative of Jordan addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8616)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 23rd yr., 1434th mtg., para. 18
(xvi) Letter dated 5 June 1968 from the Permanent Representative of Israel addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8617)	None	<i>Ibid.</i>
(xvii) Letter dated 5 August 1968 from the Permanent Representative of Jordan addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8721)	None	<i>Ibid.</i>
(xviii) Letter dated 5 August 1968 from the Permanent Representative of Israel addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8724)	None	<i>Ibid.</i>
(xix) Letter dated 2 September 1968 from the Acting Permanent Representative of Israel addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8794)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 23rd yr., 1446th mtg., preceding para. 6
(xx) Letter dated 8 September 1968 from the Permanent Representative of Israel addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8805)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 23rd yr., 1448th mtg., para. 10
(xxi) Letter dated 8 September 1968 from the Permanent Representative of the United Arab Republic addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8806)	None	<i>Ibid.</i>
(xxii) Letter dated 17 September 1968 addressed to the President of the Security Council by the representatives of Pakistan and Senegal (S/8819)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 23rd yr., 1453rd mtg., preceding para. 1
(xxiii) Letter dated 1 November 1968 from the Permanent Representative of the United Arab Republic addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8878)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 23rd yr., 1456th mtg., preceding para. 8
(xxiv) Letter dated 1 November 1968 from the Permanent Representative of Israel addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8879)	None	<i>Ibid.</i>
(xxv) Letter dated 29 December 1968 from the Permanent Representative of Lebanon addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8945)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 23rd yr., 1460th mtg., preceding para. 3
(xxvi) Letter dated 29 December 1968 from the Acting Permanent Representative of Israel addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8946)	None	<i>Ibid.</i>
(xxvii) Letter dated 26 March 1969 from the Permanent Representative of Jordan addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/9113)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 24th yr., 1466th mtg., para. 24
(xxviii) Letter dated 27 March 1969 from the Permanent Representative of Israel addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/9114)	None	<i>Ibid.</i>
(xxix) Letter dated 26 June 1969 from the Permanent Representative of Jordan addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/9284)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 24th yr., 1482nd mtg., preceding para. 1
(xxx) Letter dated 12 August 1969 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of Lebanon addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/9385)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 24th yr., 1498th mtg., para. 9
(xxxi) Letter dated 12 August 1969 from the Permanent Representative of Israel addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/9387)	None	<i>Ibid.</i>

Question	Article invoked as basis for submission	Action taken
2. Situation in the Middle East (<i>continued</i>)		
(xxxii) Letter dated 28 August 1969 addressed to the President of the Security Council by the representatives of Afghanistan, Algeria, Guinea, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libya, Malaysia, Mali, Mauritania, Morocco, Niger, Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Southern Yemen, Sudan, Syria, Tunisia, Turkey, United Arab Republic and Yemen (S/9421 and Add.1 and 2)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 24th yr., 1507th mtg., preceding para. 3
3. The question of South West Africa ^a :		
(i) Letter dated 24 January 1968 addressed to the President of the Security Council by the representatives of Afghanistan, Algeria, Burundi, Cambodia, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Ceylon, Chad, Congo (Brazzaville), Congo (Democratic Republic of), Cyprus, Dahomey, Ethiopia, Ghana, Guinea, India, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Ivory Coast, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Malaysia, Mali, Mauritania, Morocco, Nepal, Niger, Nigeria, Pakistan, Philippines, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Singapore, Somalia, Sudan, Syria, Thailand, Togo, Tunisia, Turkey, Uganda, United Arab Republic, United Republic of Tanzania, Upper Volta, Yemen, Yugoslavia and Zambia (S/8355 and Add.1 and 2)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 23rd yr., 1387th mtg., para. 40
(ii) Letter dated 12 February 1968 addressed to the President of the Security Council by the representatives of Chile, Colombia, Guyana, India, Indonesia, Nigeria, Pakistan, Turkey, United Arab Republic, Yugoslavia and Zambia (S/8397)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 23rd yr., 1390th mtg., para. 17
(iii) Letter dated 12 February 1968 addressed to the President of the Security Council by the representatives of Afghanistan, Algeria, Cambodia, Cameroon, Central African Republic, Ceylon, Chad, Congo (Brazzaville), Congo (Democratic Republic of), Cyprus, Dahomey, Ethiopia, Ghana, Guinea, Iran, Iraq, Ivory Coast, Jamaica, Japan, Jordan, Kenya, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libya, Madagascar, Malaysia, Mali, Mauritania, Morocco, Nepal, Niger, Philippines, Rwanda, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Singapore, Somalia, Sudan, Syria, Thailand, Togo, Tunisia, Uganda, United Republic of Tanzania, Upper Volta and Yemen (S/8398 and Add.1/Rev.1 and Add.2)	None	<i>Ibid</i>
[The situation in Namibia ^b]		
(iv) Letter dated 14 March 1969 addressed to the President of the Security Council by the representatives of Afghanistan, Algeria, Burundi, Cameroon, Ceylon, Chad, Congo (Brazzaville), Congo (Democratic Republic of), Cyprus, Equatorial Guinea, Ethiopia, Gabon, Ghana, Guinea, India, Indonesia, Ivory Coast, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Mali, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mongolia, Morocco, Nepal, Niger, Nigeria, Pakistan, Philippines, Rwanda, Senegal, Sierra Leone, Singapore, Somalia, Southern Yemen, Sudan, Syria, Togo, Tunisia, Turkey, Uganda, United Arab Republic, United Republic of Tanzania, Yugoslavia and Zambia (S/9090 and Add.1-3)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 24th yr., 1464th mtg., preceding para. 8
(v) Letter dated 24 July 1969 from the representatives of Chile, Colombia, Guyana, India, Indonesia, Nigeria, Pakistan, Turkey, United Arab Republic, Yugoslavia and Zambia addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/9359)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 24th yr., 1492nd mtg., preceding para. 1

^a Subsequent to General Assembly resolution 2372 (XXII) of 12 June 1968, para. I, whereby the Assembly decided that South West Africa would henceforth be known by the African name of Namibia, the previous heading of "The question of South West Africa" was changed to "The situation in Namibia" in the Official Records.

^b See footnote ^a.

Question	Article invoked as basis for submission	Action taken
4. Complaint by the United States (<i>Pueblo</i> incident): Letter dated 25 January 1968 from the Permanent Representative of the United States of America addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8360)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 23rd yr., 1388th mtg., para. 40
5. Complaint by Haiti: Letter dated 21 May 1968 from the Permanent Representative <i>ad interim</i> of Haiti addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8593)	39, 99	Included in the agenda; S C, 23rd yr., 1427th mtg., preceding para. 1
6. Question concerning Czechoslovakia: Letter dated 21 August 1968 from the representatives of Canada, Denmark, France, Paraguay, the United Kingdom and the United States addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/8758)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 23rd yr., 1441st mtg., para. 121
7. Complaint by Zambia: Letter dated 15 July 1969 from the Permanent Representative of Zambia addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/9331)	51	Included in the agenda; S C, 24th yr., 1486th mtg., preceding para. 1
8. The situation in Northern Ireland: Letter dated 17 August 1969 from the Permanent Representative of Ireland addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/9394)	35	Meeting adjourned without a vote on the adoption of the agenda; S C, 24th yr., 1503rd mtg., paras. 69 and 70
9. Complaint by Senegal: (i) Letter dated 27 November 1969 from the Permanent Representative of Senegal addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/9513)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 24th yr., 1516th mtg., preceding para. 40
(ii) Letter dated 7 December 1969 from the Permanent Representative of Senegal addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/9541)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 24th yr., 1518th mtg., preceding para. 1
10. Complaint by Guinea: Letter dated 4 December 1969 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of Guinea addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/9528)	None	Included in the agenda; S C, 24th yr., 1522nd mtg., preceding para. 1

****C. QUESTIONS SUBMITTED BY STATES NOT MEMBERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS**

****D. QUESTIONS SUBMITTED BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL**