

UNPREDEP, with basically the same mandate, strength and troop composition, was vital to the maintenance of peace and stability in the country. The Secretary-General recommended that the mandate of UNPREDEP should be renewed for a further 12-month period. He also noted that it was his intention to make, as soon as possible, recommendations relating to the establishment of UNPREDEP on “a fully independent footing”, reporting directly to New York.

At its 3602nd meeting, on 30 November 1995, the Council resumed its consideration of the item and included the above-mentioned report of the Secretary-General in its agenda. Following the adoption of the agenda, the Council invited the representative of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, at his request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote. The President (Oman) then drew the attention of the Council members to the text of a draft resolution submitted by Argentina, the Czech Republic, France, Germany, Italy, the Russian Federation, the United Kingdom, the United States and Honduras.<sup>618</sup>

The draft resolution was then put to the vote and adopted unanimously as resolution 1027 (1995), which reads:

*The Security Council,*

*Recalling* all its previous relevant resolutions and in particular its resolution 983 (1995) of 31 March 1995,

*Reaffirming its commitment* to the independence, sovereignty and territorial integrity of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia,

*Recalling* its concern about possible developments which could undermine confidence and stability in the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia or threaten its territory,

*Welcoming* the positive role played by the United Nations Preventive Deployment Force, and paying tribute to the personnel of the Force in the performance of their mandate,

*Having considered* the report of the Secretary-General of 23 November 1995,

1. *Welcomes* the report of the Secretary-General;
2. *Decides* to extend the mandate of the United Nations Preventive Deployment Force for a period terminating on 30 May 1996;
3. *Urges* the Force to continue its cooperation with the mission of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe;

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<sup>618</sup> S/1995/996.

4. *Calls upon* Member States to consider favourably requests by the Secretary-General for necessary assistance to the Force in the performance of its mandate;

5. *Requests* the Secretary-General to keep the Council regularly informed of any developments on the ground and other circumstances affecting the mandate of the Force, and in particular to submit, if possible by 31 January 1996, a report on all aspects of the Force, in the light of developments in the region, for review by the Council;

6. *Decides* to remain actively seized of the matter.

Speaking after the vote, the representative of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia stated that it was his Government's view that UNPREDEP should become a completely independent United Nations operation reporting directly to the Secretary-General, with its base, military command and logistics structure located in Skopje. His Government also requested that the mandate of UNPREDEP be extended until 30 November 1996.<sup>619</sup>

## **H. Applications made under Article 50 of the Charter of the United Nations as a consequence of the implementation of measures imposed against the former Yugoslavia**

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#### **Decision of 18 June 1993 (3240th meeting): resolution 843 (1993)**

At its 3240th meeting, on 18 June 1993, the Security Council included the item entitled “Applications made under Article 50 of the Charter of the United Nations as a consequence of the implementation of measures imposed against the former Yugoslavia” in its agenda. Following the adoption of the agenda, the President (Spain) drew the attention of the Council members to the text of a draft resolution that had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.<sup>620</sup>

The draft resolution was then put to the vote and adopted unanimously as resolution 843 (1993), which reads:

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<sup>619</sup> S/PV.3602, pp. 2-5.

<sup>620</sup> S/25956.

*The Security Council,*

*Recalling* its resolution 724 (1991) of 15 December 1991 concerning Yugoslavia and all other relevant resolutions,

*Recalling also* Article 50 of the Charter of the United Nations,

*Conscious* of the fact that an increasing number of requests for assistance have been received under the provisions of Article 50 of the Charter,

*Noting* that the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 724 (1991), at its 65th meeting, set up a working group to examine the above-mentioned requests,

1. *Confirms* that the Committee established pursuant to resolution 724 (1991) is entrusted with the task of examining requests for assistance under the provisions of Article 50 of the Charter of the United Nations;

2. *Welcomes* the establishment by the Committee of its working group and invites the Committee, as it completes the examination of each request, to make recommendations to the President of the Security Council for appropriate action.

#### **Decision of 6 July 1993: letter from the President to the Secretary-General**

By a letter dated 2 July 1993 addressed to the President of the Security Council,<sup>621</sup> the Acting Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 724 (1991) concerning Yugoslavia transmitted, pursuant to resolution 843 (1993), the recommendations of the Committee relating to the requests made by Bulgaria, Hungary, Romania, Uganda and Ukraine for assistance under the provisions of Article 50 of the Charter of the United Nations. In its recommendations, the Committee recognized the urgent need to assist the interested State and appealed to all States to provide immediate assistance to such State; invited the competent organs and specialized agencies of the United Nations system to consider how their assistance programmes and facilities might be helpful to the interested State; and requested the Secretary-General to report on the implementation of such recommendations.

By a letter dated 6 July 1993,<sup>622</sup> the President of the Security Council informed the Secretary-General of the following:

By resolution 843 (1993), adopted on 18 June 1993, the Security Council confirmed that its Committee established pursuant to resolution 724 (1991) concerning Yugoslavia was

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<sup>621</sup> S/26040.

<sup>622</sup> S/26056.

entrusted with the task of examining requests for assistance under the provisions of Article 50 of the Charter of the United Nations and making recommendations to the President of the Security Council for appropriate action.

By a letter dated 2 July 1993, the acting Chairman of the Committee transmitted the recommendations of the Committee with regard to Bulgaria, Hungary, Romania, Uganda and Ukraine.

At consultations of the whole of the Security Council, held on 2 July 1993, it was agreed to inform you of the above-mentioned recommendations of the Committee in connection with the requests for assistance under the provision of Article 50 of the Charter and to request you to implement the actions contained in the recommendations. For this purpose, I am transmitting herewith for your information and appropriate action the text of the letter and its enclosures from the Acting Chairman of the Committee.

#### **Decision of 9 August 1993: letter from the President to the Secretary-General**

By a letter dated 4 August 1993 addressed to the President of the Security Council,<sup>623</sup> the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 724 (1991) concerning Yugoslavia transmitted, pursuant to resolution 843 (1993), the recommendations of the Committee relating to the request made by Albania for assistance under the provisions of Article 50 of the Charter of the United Nations.<sup>624</sup>

By a letter dated 9 August 1993,<sup>625</sup> the President of the Security Council informed the Secretary-General of the following:

By a letter dated 6 July 1993, addressed to you by my predecessor in his capacity as President of the Security Council, you were informed, by agreement of all the members of the Council, of the recommendations formulated by the Committee established pursuant to resolution 724 (1991) concerning Yugoslavia and submitted to the President by the Chairman of the Committee in respect of the applications made by five States under the provisions of Article 50 of the Charter of the United Nations. You were also requested to implement the actions contained in those recommendations as appropriate.

I have now received a further letter dated 4 August 1993, addressed to me by the Chairman of the Committee, submitting a recommendation formulated by the Committee in respect of the application made by Albania under the terms of Article 50. In the course of their consultations of the whole today, the

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<sup>623</sup> S/26040/Add.1.

<sup>624</sup> The recommendations were similar to those previously made.

<sup>625</sup> S/26282.

members of the Council reviewed the recommendation on Albania and agreed that, as in the case of the previous recommendations, you should be similarly requested to implement the actions contained in the above-mentioned recommendation on Albania. For this purpose, I am transmitting herewith, for your information and appropriate action, the text of the letter and its enclosure from the Chairman of the Committee.

**Decision of 20 December 1993: letter from the  
President to the Secretary-General**

By a letter dated 14 December 1993 addressed to the President of the Security Council,<sup>626</sup> the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 724 (1991) concerning Yugoslavia transmitted, pursuant to resolution 843 (1993), the recommendations of the Committee relating to the requests made by Slovakia and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia for assistance under the provisions of Article 50 of the Charter of the United Nations.<sup>627</sup>

By a letter dated 20 December 1993,<sup>628</sup> the President of the Security Council informed the Secretary-General of the following:

By letters dated 6 July and 9 August 1993, respectively, addressed to you by my predecessors in their capacity as President of the Security Council, you were informed, by agreement of all the members of the Council, of the recommendations formulated by the Committee established pursuant to resolution 724 (1991) concerning Yugoslavia and submitted to the President by the Chairman of the Committee in respect of the applications made by six States under the provisions of Article 50 of the Charter of the United Nations. You were also requested to implement the actions contained in those recommendations, as appropriate.

I have now received a further letter dated 10 December 1993, addressed to me by the Chairman of the Committee, submitting recommendations formulated by the Committee in respect of the applications made by Slovakia and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia under the terms of Article 50. In the course of their consultations of the whole today, the members of the Council reviewed the recommendations on Slovakia and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and agreed that, as in the case of the previous recommendations, you should be similarly requested to implement the actions contained in the above-mentioned recommendations on Slovakia and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia. For this purpose, I am transmitting herewith, for your information and

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<sup>626</sup> S/26040/Add.2.

<sup>627</sup> The recommendations were similar to those previously made.

<sup>628</sup> S/26905.

appropriate action, the text of the letter and its enclosures from the Chairman of the Committee.

**I. Follow-up to resolution 817 (1993):  
letter dated 26 May 1993 from the  
Secretary-General addressed to the  
President of the Security Council**

**Initial proceedings**

**Decision of 18 June 1993 (3243rd meeting):  
resolution 845 (1993)**

By a letter dated 26 May 1993 addressed to the President of the Security Council,<sup>629</sup> the Secretary-General transmitted, pursuant to resolution 817 (1993),<sup>630</sup> his report of 14 May 1993 on the exercise of good offices by the Co-Chairmen of the Steering Committee of the International Conference on the Former Yugoslavia, in respect of the difference that had arisen in connection with the request for admission to membership in the United Nations of the State admitted as the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.<sup>631</sup> In doing so, he drew the attention of the members of the Council to the fact that an early endorsement by the Council of the proposals contained in annex V to the report would help the parties to reach agreement. Annex V contained a draft Treaty proposed by the Co-Chairmen Confirming the Existing Frontier and Establishing Measures for Confidence Building, Friendship and Neighbourly Cooperation between the Republic of Greece and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

The Secretary-General noted that the draft Treaty presented to the parties by the Co-Chairmen had been prepared on the basis of extensive consultations with the parties. The main outstanding point of contention remained the name to be used by the State that had been admitted to the United Nations with the provisional name "the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia". The Greek delegation's position was that the other party should not use, whether for domestic or international purposes, a name that included the word

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<sup>629</sup> S/25855 and Add.1 and 2.

<sup>630</sup> Resolution 817 (1993) was adopted at the 3196th meeting of the Council on 7 April 1993 under the item "Admission of New Members". For more information, see chapter VII.

<sup>631</sup> S/25855, annex I.