

**REPORT TO THE SECURITY COUNCIL BY THE COMMITTEE ON THE ADMISSION  
OF NEW MEMBERS CONCERNING THE APPLICATION OF  
CEYLON FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE UNITED NATIONS**

In accordance with the decision of the Security Council at its 318th meeting on 11 June 1948, the Committee on the Admission of New Members, under the Chairmanship of Mr. Rafik Asha, met on 29 June to examine the application of Ceylon for membership in the United Nations. The majority of the members of the Committee expressed their support for the application of Ceylon. The representatives of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics and the Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic declined to comment on the application at the meeting of the Committee and reserved the position of their delegations with respect to the application of Ceylon during the discussion in the Security Council.

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