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WHICH THE SECURITY COUNCIL IS SEIZED AND ON THE STAGE
REACHED IN THEIR CONSIDERATION

Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The complete list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in document S/11593 of 7 January 1975 and the pertinent addenda. During the week ending 16 August 1975, the Security Council took the following action in connexion with the admission of new Members:

At its 1835th and 1836th meetings held on 11 August 1975, the Security Council included in its agenda the report of the Security Council Committee on the Admission of New Members concerning the applications of the Republic of South Viet-Nam and the Democratic Republic of Viet-Nam (S/11794).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Algeria, Bulgaria, Cuba, Czechoslovakia, the German Democratic Republic, Guinea, Hungary, India, Poland, Romania and Yugoslavia, pursuant to their requests, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

At the 1836th meeting, the Security Council proceeded to vote on the two nine-Power draft resolutions before it (S/11795 and S/11796).

The draft resolution relating to the application of the Republic of South Viet-Nam (S/11795), sponsored by the Byelorussian SSR, China, Guyana, Iraq, Mauritania, Sweden, the USSR, the United Republic of Cameroon and the United Republic of Tanzania, read as follows:

"The Security Council,

"Having examined the application of the Republic of South Viet-Nam for admission to membership in the United Nations (S/11756),

"Recommends to the General Assembly that the Republic of South Viet-Nam be admitted to membership in the United Nations."

The draft resolution contained in S/11795 received 13 votes in favour to 1 against (United States), with 1 abstention (Costa Rica), and was not adopted, owing to the negative vote of a permanent member.

The draft resolution relating to the application of the Democratic Republic of Viet-Nam (S/11796), sponsored by the Byelorussian SSR, China, Guyana, Iraq, Mauritania, Sweden, the USSR, the United Republic of Cameroon and the United Republic of Tanzania, read as follows:

"The Security Council,

"Having examined the application of the Democratic Republic of Viet-Nam for admission to membership in the United Nations (S/11761),

"Recommends to the General Assembly that the Democratic Republic of Viet-Nam be admitted to membership in the United Nations."

The draft resolution contained in document S/11796 received 13 votes in favour to 1 against (United States), with 1 abstention (Costa Rica), and was not adopted, owing to the negative vote of a permanent member.

The Security Council then approved, without objection, the special report to the General Assembly provided for in paragraph 3 of rule 60 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council.
