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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 list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in document S/14840 of 19 January 1982, S/14840/Add.12 of 5 April 1982, S/14840/Add.13 of 12 April 1982, S/14840/Add.17 of 6 May 1982 and S/14840/Add.20 of 1 June 1982.

During the week ending 7 August 1982, the Security Council took action on the following item:

The situation in the Middle East (see S/7913, S/7923, S/7976, S/8000, S/8048, S/8066, S/8215, S/8242, S/8252, S/8269, S/8502, S/8525, S/8534, S/8564, S/8575, S/8584, S/8595, S/8747, S/8753, S/8807, S/8815, S/8828, S/8836, S/8885, S/8896, S/8960, S/9123, S/9135, S/9319, S/9382, S/9395, S/9406, S/9427 and Corr.1, S/9449, S/9452, S/9805, S/9812, S/9930, S/10327, S/10341, S/10554, S/10557, S/10703, S/10721, S/10729, S/10743, S/10770/Add.4, S/10855/Add.15, S/10855/Add.16, S/10855/Add.23, S/10855/Add.24, S/10855/Add.29, S/10855/Add.30, S/10855/Add.33, S/10855/Add.41, S/10855/Add.43, S/10855/Add.44, S/11185/Add.14, S/11185/Add.15, S/11185/Add.16, S/11185/Add.21, S/11185/Add.42/Rev.1, S/11185/Add.47, S/11593/Add.15, S/11593/Add.21, S/11593/Add.29, S/11593/Add.42, S/11593/Add.49, S/11935/Add.21, S/11935/Add.42, S/11935/Add.48, S/12269/Add.12, S/12269/Add.13, S/12269/Add.21, S/12269/Add.42, S/12269/Add.48, S/12520/Add.10, S/12520/Add.11, S/12520/Add.17, S/12520/Add.21, S/12520/Add.37, S/12520/Add.39, S/12520/Add.42, S/12520/Add.47, S/12520/Add.48, S/13033/Add.2, S/13033/Add.16, S/13033/Add.19, S/13033/Add.21, S/13033/Add.23, S/13033/Add.34, S/13033/Add.47, S/13033/Add.50, S/13737/Add.15, S/13737/Add.16, S/13737/Add.21, S/13737/Add.24, S/13737/Add.25, S/13737/Add.26, S/13737/Add.33, S/13737/Add.47, S/13737/Add.50, S/14326/Add.10, S/14326/Add.11, S/14326/Add.20, S/14326/Add.24, S/14326/Add.28, S/14326/Add.29, S/14326/Add.47, S/14326/Add.50, S/14840/Add.8, S/14840/Add.21, S/14840/Add.22, S/14840/Add.23, S/14840/Add.24, S/14840/Add.25, S/14840/Add.27 and S/14840/Add.30).

The Security Council continued its consideration of the item at its 2386th meeting, held on 1 August 1982. The Council continued its discussion at its 2387th to 2391st meetings, held between 3 and 6 August 1982.

At the 2386th meeting, the President called attention to the draft resolution (S/15330), which had been prepared in the course of consultations and read out the corrected version of the text.

The Security Council then voted on the draft resolution (S/15330), which was adopted by 15 votes to none, as resolution 516 (1982).

Resolution 516 (1982) reads as follows:

The Security Council,

Reaffirming its resolutions 508 (1982), 509 (1982), 511 (1982) and 512 (1982) and 513 (1982),

Recalling its resolution 515 (1982) of 29 July 1982,

Alarmed by the continuation and intensification of military activities in and around Beirut,

Taking note of the latest massive violations of the cease-fire in and around Beirut,

1. Confirms its previous resolutions and demands an immediate cease-fire, and a cessation of all military activities within Lebanon and across the Lebanese-Israeli border;
2. Authorizes the Secretary-General to deploy immediately on the request of the Government of Lebanon, United Nations observers to monitor the situation in and around Beirut;
3. Requests the Secretary-General to report back to the Council on compliance with this resolution as soon as possible and not later than four hours from now.

At its 2387th meeting, on 3 August 1982, the Security Council resumed its consideration of the item, having before it the report of the Secretary-General (S/15334 and Add.1), submitted in pursuance of Security Council resolution 516 (1982).

The President stated that, following consultations with members of the Security Council, he had been authorized to make the following statement (S/15342) on their behalf in connexion with the present grave situation in Lebanon.

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"1. The members of the Security Council are seriously concerned at the prevailing high state of tension and at reports of military movements and continued outbreaks of firing and shelling in and around Beirut, contrary to the demand in resolution 516 (1982), which was adopted at 1325 hours New York time on 1 August 1982, for an immediate cease-fire and cessation of all military activities within Lebanon and across the Lebanese-Israeli border. They consider it vital that these provisions be fully implemented.

"2. The members of the Security Council have taken note of the Secretary-General's reports submitted pursuant to resolution 516 (1982) (S/15334 and Add.1). They express full support for his efforts and for the steps he has taken following the request of the Government of Lebanon, to secure the immediate deployment of United Nations observers to monitor the situation in and around Beirut. They note with satisfaction from the Secretary-General's report that some of the parties have already assured General Erskine of their full co-operation for the deployment of United Nations observers and they call urgently on all of the parties to co-operate fully in the effort to secure effective deployment of the observers and to ensure their safety.

"3. They insist that all parties must observe strictly the terms of resolution 516 (1982). They call further for the immediate lifting of all obstacles to the dispatch of supplies and the distribution of aid to meet the urgent needs of the civilian population in accordance with previous resolutions of the Council. The members of the Security Council will keep the situation under close review."

At the Council's 2388th meeting, held on 4 August 1982, the President called attention to a draft resolution (S/15343) submitted by Jordan and Spain.

At the 2389th meeting, held that day, in addition to the representatives invited previously, the President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Cuba and India, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President called attention to the revised text (S/15343/Rev.1) of the draft resolution (S/15343) sponsored by Jordan and Spain. The representative of Spain read out further revisions to the revised text (S/15343/Rev.1).

The Security Council then voted on the draft resolution (S/15343/Rev.1) as orally revised by Spain, and adopted it by 14 votes in favour, none against, with 1 abstention (the United States of America), as resolution 517 (1982).

Resolution 517 (1982) reads as follows:

The Security Council,

Deeply shocked and alarmed by the deplorable consequences of the Israeli invasion of Beirut on 3 August 1982,

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1. Reconfirms its resolutions 508 (1982), 509 (1982), 512 (1982), 513 (1982), 515 (1982) and 516 (1982);
2. Confirms once again its demand for an immediate cease-fire and withdrawal of Israeli forces from Lebanon;
3. Censures Israel for its failure to comply with the above resolutions;
4. Calls for the prompt return of Israeli troops which have moved forward subsequent to 1325 hours EDT on 1 August 1982;
5. Takes note of the decision of the Palestine Liberation Organization to move the Palestinian armed forces from Beirut;
6. Expresses its appreciation for the efforts and steps taken by the Secretary-General to implement the provisions of Security Council resolution 516 (1982), and authorizes him, as an immediate step, to increase the number of United Nations observers in and around Beirut;
7. Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council on the implementation of the present resolution as soon as possible and not later than 1000 hours EDT on 5 August 1982;
8. Decides to meet at that time if necessary in order to consider the report of the Secretary-General and, in case of failure to comply by any of the parties to the conflict, to consider adopting effective ways and means in accordance with the provisions of the Charter of the United Nations.

The Security Council continued its consideration of the item at its 2390th meeting, held on 6 August 1982, having before it the report of the Secretary-General (S/15345 and Add.1) submitted in pursuance of Security Council resolution 517 (1982).

The President called attention to the draft resolution (S/15347) sponsored by the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.

At the Council's 2391st meeting, held that day, the representative of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics read out revisions (S/15347/Rev.1) to the draft resolution (S/15347) sponsored by his delegation. The revised draft resolution (S/15347/Rev.1) read as follows:

The Security Council,

Deeply indignant at the refusal of Israel to comply with the decisions of the Security Council aimed at terminating the bloodshed in Beirut,

1. Strongly condemns Israel for not implementing resolutions 516 (1982) and 517 (1982);

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2. Demands that Israel immediately implement these resolutions fully,

3. Decides that, in order to carry out the above-mentioned decisions of the Security Council, all the States Members of the United Nations should refrain from supplying Israel with any weapons and from providing it with any military aid until the full withdrawal of Israeli forces from all Lebanese territory.

The Security Council then voted on the draft resolution, as orally revised (S/15347/Rev.1), which received 11 votes in favour, to 1 against (the United States of America), with 3 abstentions (Togo, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Zaire), and was not adopted, owing to the negative vote of a permanent member of the Security Council.
