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## Corrigendum

## PUBLIC MEETINGS

This document contains corrections by participants and by the Secretariat applying to the English text of the summary records of the public meetings of the Commission held at its fortisth session (E/CN.4/1984/SR.1-25, 26 and Add.1 (first and second parts), 27, 28 and Add.1 (first and second parts), 29-34, 41/Add.1, 42-61 and 63).

The Commission also held eight closed meetings, the summary records of which (E/CN.4/1984/SR.35-41 and 62) were given restricted distribution. The corrections to those summary records appear in document E/CN.4/1984/SR.1-63/Corrigendum/Add.1, which has also been given restricted distribution.

With the issuance of the corrections (E/CN.4/1984/SR.1-63/Corrigendum and Add.1), the summary records of the meetings of the fortieth session of the #ommission are to be considered final.

# 2nd meeting

## Paragraph 16

Replace the last sentence by the following:

Mention should also be made of decision 1983/155 of the Economic and Social Council, which had expressly endorsed Commission resolution 1983/5 on Kampuchea, as well as Sub-Commission resolutions 1983/9, on the rights of the Palestinian people, and 1983/20, on the situation in Afghanistan.

## Paragraph 26

The name of the speaker should read: "Mrs. ABDALLA".

At the beginning of the first sentence, replace "said he" by "said she". In the same sentence, between "Arab territories" and "in South Africa", insert "including Palestine, and".

## Paragraph 27

At the end of the second sentence, replace "1921" by "1919".

## Paragraph 28

At the beginning of the first sentence, replace "1931" by "1919".

## Paragraph 29

Replace the fourth sentence by the following:

New atrocities were committed each day in the territories occupied by Israel, whether in the Golan Heights, the West Bank, Gaza, or the occupied portion of Lebanon. Israel continuously violated the Fourth Geneva Convention.

# Paragraph 30

Replace the last sentence by the following:

Under the pretext of a canal project to link the Dead Sea to the Mediterranean, the Israeli authorities were in fact trying to expropriate 70 per cent of the land of the region.

## Paragraph 32

In the first sentence, between "Palestinian and Lebanese peoples" and "were heroically resisting", insert "and the Syrian inhabitants of the Golan".

# Paragraph 33

At the beginning of the third sentence, replace "A recent example" by "One such example".

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Replace the fourth sentence by the following:

Israel was armed to the teeth with sophisticated and even internationally prohibited weapons provided by the United States, which treated Israel's security like its own, to the detriment of the security of other countries.

At the beginning of the fifth sentence, replace "Thanks to the agreements" by "Thanks to the strategic agreement".

## Paragraph 34

Replace the paragraph by the following:

34. It would be impossible to implement United Nations resolutions in the Middle East region as long as only partial steps were taken. A just peace necessarily required a global solution that was in conformity with United Nations resolutions and that met several conditions: that an international peace conference should be convened under the auspices of the United Nations, with the participation of the two major Powers, as called for by the International Conference on Palestine held the previous summer in Geneva; that a just solution should be found to the Palestinian question, including Jerusalem, and to Syria's Golan Heights; that the inalienable national rights of the Palestinian people, including the right to return to their homeland, their right to self-determination and their right to establish their own independent State in Palestine under the leadership of the Palestine Liberation Organization, should be recognized; that the Israeli forces should unconditionally withdraw from the Golan Heights and Lebanon; and that the treaty of subjection imposed on Lebanon should be annulled. As early as their first summit meeting, the Arab States had adopted a comprehensive peace plan. Moreover, the Declaration issued by the International Conference on Palestine contained a call for peace based on justice.

## 3rd meeting

## Paragraph 26

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. EZQUERRA CALVO".

## 4th meeting

# Paragraph 15

At the beginning of the first sentence, replace "said that the States members" by "said that his country as one of the States members".

## Paragraph 62

Replace the third sentence by the following:

In addition, he had accused the international community of lacking objectivity by failing to condemn those who were manifesting their opposition to and resistance against the Israeli occupation authorities because their lands had been occupied, their farms burned, their homes demolished and their families imprisoned by the Israeli occupation forces.

## Paragraph 18

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. BENDANA RODRIGUEZ".

# Paragraph 28

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. HEREDIA PEREZ".

## Paragraph 40

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Observer for Afghanistan)".

# 6th meeting

## Paragraph 23

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Observer for the Islamic Republic of Iran))".

## Paragraph 44

In the second part of the second sentence, replace "annexation of civilian territory" by "annexation of Syrian territory".

#### Paragraph 64

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. MACCOTTA".

## Paragraph 79

In the first sentence, between "peoples, of whom" and "some 30,000", insert ", according to international statistics,".

#### Paragraph 80

Replace the first sentence by the following:

80. Had the Zionist representative forgotten his Government's statements that those territories were not occupied but "liberated", and that "Eretz Israel" included not only the whole of Palestine but also eastern Jordan, southern Syria and southern Lebanon? Israel's record in the occupied Arab territories was filled with crimes, atrocities and instances of defiance of United Nations resolutions. Its replacement of the indigenous Palestinians by Jewish settlers was in violation of the Fourth Geneva Convention. Furthermore, Israel would not have disregarded Security Council resolutions, which were binding, had it not been convinced and assured of the support, co-operation, protection and encouragement of the United States.

Between the second and third sentences, insert the following:

It was incumbent upon the international community to inform Israel and its patron, the United States, that the vast majority of the world's States could not be in the wrong, while Israel and the United States alone were right.

# Page 3

Between paragraphs 1 and 2, insert the following action line:

On the proposal of the Chairman, the members of the Commission observed a minute of silence in tribute to the memory of Mr. Yuri Vladimirovich Andropov.

# 12th meeting

## Paragraph 8

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. DE ALENCASTRO MASSOT".

# Paragraph 103

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. BENDANA RODRIGUEZ"

# 13th meeting

## Paragraph 27

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Cameroon)".

# 14th meeting

## Paragraph 12

The name of the speaker should read: "Mrs. FLOREZ PRIDA".

# Paragraph 82

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Observer for Somalia)".

# 15th meeting

## Paragraph 6

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. MASUKU".

## Paragraph 17

In the fourth sentence, after "E/CN.4/1984/12", add "and Add.1".

# Paragraph 51

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. HOYNCK".

## Paragraph 56

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. TOSEVSKI".

# Paragraph 22

The name of the speaker should read: "VISCOUNT COLVILLE OF CULROSS".

Replace the symbol "E/CN.4/1984/21 and Add.1" by "E/CN.4/1984/21 and Add.1 and 2".

# 19th meeting

# Paragraph 30

The name of the speaker should read: "Mrs. FLOREZ PRIDA".

# Paragraph 57

The name of the speaker should read: "Sir Anthony WILLIAMS".

# 20th meeting

# Paragraphs 27, 133 and 140

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. BENDANA RODRIGUEZ".

# Paragraph 64

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. GUEVORGUIAN".

## 21st meeting

## Paragraph 47

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. BENDANA RODRIGUEZ".

## 22nd meeting

## Paragraph 50

Replace the third and fourth sentences by the following:

In response to democratic reforms in that country, the people of which had overthrown the pro-United States Somoza regime, an undeclared war had then been waged against Nicaragua in an endeavour to subject its people to United States <u>diktat</u>.

## 23rd meeting

# Paragraph 10

The name of the speaker should read: "Mrs. ABDALLA".

## Paragraph 12

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. BENDANA RODRIGUEZ".

## Paragraph 14

The name of the speaker should read: "Mrs. FIOREZ PRIDA".

## Paragraph 56

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Pax Christi)".

## 24th meeting

## Paragraph 45

In the sixth sentence, between "depriving them" and "water", insert "even of their own".

## Paragraph 46

In the third sentence, between "beyond all doubt" and "that there was a tripartite alliance", insert ", as had been substantiated by the United Nations proper and by advocates of peace in the world.".

Replace the fourth sentence by the following:

Well-known attempts had been made to conceal that alliance, but the Conference held in Vienna the previous summer had provided incontrovertible proof of military and even nuclear co-operation between Pretoria and Tel Aviv.

## Paragraph 47

In the second sentence, between "had designs on" and "Africa", insert "southern".

## Paragraph 48

In the second part of the second sentence, after "mercenaries", replace "and economic measures." by "and their economic installations came under attack with a view to undermining the country's economy.".

## Paragraph 50

In the first sentence, after "Western countries", insert "in alliance with it,".

At the end of the penultimate sentence, after "napalm", add "and all the other weapons of mass destruction produced by the United States.".

26th meeting (first part)

## Paragraph 13

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. KHEK SISODA".

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## Paragraph 34

Replace paragraph 34 by the following:

34. Mr. BOJJI (Coserver for Morocco), speaking in exercise of the right of reply, said that he could understand that the representative of Mozambique should find himself in an embarrassing position, since, while he was talking about the principles of OAU, about the non-aligned countries, and about support for the struggle of liberation movements, his country was about to conclude an agreement with the racist regime of South Africa. He expressed surprise that the representative of Zimbabwe should speak of human rights at a time when his Government was massacring the population in the Matabeleland region.

# Paragraph 37

Replace paragraph 37 by the following:

37. Mr. BOJJI (Observer for Morocco) said that the representative of Zimbabwe claimed that the so-called Sahrawi Arab Republic existed and was recognized by several African countries. In that case, why was the representative of Zimbabwe demanding a referendum? The contradiction was flagrant. As for Morocco's acceptance of OAU resolution 104, he recalled that Morocco had expressed formal reservations concerning paragraph 2 of that resolution, and that, under international law, the provisions to which reservations applied could not be invoked against the State that had formulated the reservations. Paragraph 2 of OAU resolution 104 could not therefore be invoked against Morocco.

## Paragraph 40

Replace paragraph 40 by the following:

40. Mr. BOJJI (Observer for Morocco) said that the Implementation Committee of OAU had decided upon a cease-fire at its meeting in Nairobi on 24 and 25 August 1981; under the terms of that decision, all the parties concerned were to commit themselves to observe the cease-fire and to safeguard it after the proclamation of the date determined by the Implementation Committee. He said that Morocco was waiting for the Committee to Letermine that date.

## Paragraph 62

In the second sentence, replace "resolution 38/455" by "decision 38/455".

## Paragraph 87

Replace the first sentence by the following:

87. As had often been pointed out in the Commission, zionism had much in common with fascism and nazism.

26th meeting (second part)

# Paragraph 29

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. MACCOTTA".

# Paragraph 22

At the end of the first sentence, the symbol should read: "(E/CN.4/1984/21) and Add.1 and 2)".

# 28th meeting (first part)

## Paragraph 33

In the fourth sentence, after "Pershing-2 missiles", add "and cruise missiles,".

# 28th meeting (second part)

# Paragraph 1

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Observer for the Congo)".

## Paragraph 73

In the second and final sentences, replace "draft resolution 1983/30" by "resolution 1983/30".

# 29th meeting

## Paragraph 73

In the third sentence, replace "draft resolution 1983/8" by "resolution 1983/8".

In the penultimate sentence, replace "draft resolution 1983/30" by "resolution 1983/30".

## 30th meeting

## Paragraph 54

In the first sentence, replace "E/CN.4/1984/3" by "E/CN.4/1984/3 and Corr.1 and 2".

## Paragraph 88

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. GUEVORGUIAN".

## 33nd meeting

## Paragraph 38

In the second sentence, replace "Add.1-6" by "Add.1-5".

## 34th meeting

# Paragraph 47

In the third sentence, after "United States", add "and some other countries,".

## Paragraph 115

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Observer for Australia)".

# 42nd meeting

# Paragraphs 53, 86 and 105

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. GUEVORGUIAN".

# Paragraph 79

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Palestine Liberation Organization)".

# Paragraphs 135 and 152

The name of the speaker should read: "Viscount COLVILLE OF CULROSS".

# Paragraph 139

In the first sentence, replace "E/CN.4/1984/36" by "E/CN.4/1984/29".

# Paragraph 141

In the first sentence, the symbol should read: "(E/CN.4/1984/25 and Corr.1)".

## Paragraph 165

In the second part of the first sentence, replace "E/CN.4/1984/16 and Add.1 and Add.1/Corr.1" by "E/CN.4/1983/16 and Add.1 and Add.1/Corr.1".

## 45th meeting

## Paragraph 56

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. LECHUGA HEVIA".

## 46th meeting

# Paragraph 4

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Observer for Australia)".

## Paragraph 82

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Observer for Sri Lanka)".

# Paragraph 16

The name of the speaker should read: "Mrs. GUYER".

## Paragraph 30

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Pax Christi)".

# 49th meeting

## Paragraph 1

The name of the speaker should read: "Mrs. FLOREZ PRIDA".

## Paragraph 40

In the first sentence, replace "resolution 1982/30" by "resolution 1983/30".

# Paragraph 108

In the first sentence, the number of the resolution referred to should read: "1983/30".

## Paragraph 124

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. HYON RIM SIN".

## 50th meeting

## Paragraph 31

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Observer for the Byelorussian Soviet Socialist Republic)".

# 51st meeting

## Paragraphs 29 and 38

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. GUEVORGUIAN".

# Paragraphs 92 and 132

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. BENDANA RODRIGUEZ".

# 55th meeting

# Paragraph 18

The name of the speaker should read: "Mrs. MACHAVELE".

## Paragraph 37

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. BENDANA RODRIGUEZ".

# Paragraph 51

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. LECHUGA HEVIA".

# Paragraph 72

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. CHILOVICH".

## 56th meeting

# Paragraph 1

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. GONZALES".

# 57th meeting

## Paragraph 19

In the final sentence, replace the first clause, from "In that regard" to "had been adopted", by "restrictive legislation, which had been adopted under the Mussolini dictatorship, existed in Italy up to the present day".

# Paragraph 47

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. TOWO".

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Cameroon)".

## Paragraph 81

The name of the speaker should read: "Mrs. FLOREZ PRIDA".

## 58th meeting

## Paragraphs 11 and 23

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Observer for El Salvador)".

## Paragraphs 29 and 57

The name of the speaker should read: "Mr. BENDANA RODRIGUEZ".

## Paragraph 64

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Observer for Guatemala)".

# Paragraph 92

In the list of countries voting "In favour", insert a foot-note indicator, "\*/", after "Uruguay".

At the bottom of the page, insert the following foot-note:

 $\pm$ / The Uruguayan delegation has notified the Secretariat that Uruguay's vote should be counted in fact as an abstention (see document E/CN.4/1984/78).

## Faragraph 29

Replace "document E/CN.4/1983/3" by "document E/CN.4/1984/3".

# 60th meeting

# Page 1

Under the heading "Chairman", insert "later: Mr. BARAKAT (Jordan)"

# 61st meeting

# Paragraph 12

In the third sentence, replace "resolution 36/1979" by "resolution 1979/36".

## Paragraph 21

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Observer for Peru)".

## Paragraph 63

In the first sentence, after the document symbol, add "and Add. 1 and 2".

## Paragraph 65

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Observer for Sri Lanka)".

## Paragraph 72

Replace the reference in parentheses following the name of the speaker by "(Observer for Australia)".

## Paragraphs 93, 94 and 99

The name of the representative of Brazil should read: "Mr. CALERO RODRIGUES".