



Nineteenth session

REQUEST FOR THE INCLUSION OF A SUPPLEMENTARY ITEM IN THE
AGENDA OF THE NINETEENTH SESSION

OBSERVANCE BY MEMBER STATES OF THE PRINCIPLES RELATING TO
THE SOVEREIGNTY OF STATES, THEIR TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY,
NON-INTERFERENCE IN THEIR DOMESTIC AFFAIRS, THE PEACEFUL
SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES AND THE CONDEMNATION OF SUBVERSIVE
ACTIVITIES

Letter dated 9 October 1964 from the Permanent Representative of Madagascar
to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

On the instructions of my Government I have the honour to ask you, under
rule 14 of the rules of procedure, to include in the agenda of the nineteenth
regular session of the General Assembly a supplementary item entitled:

"Observance by Member States of the principles relating to the
sovereignty of States, their territorial integrity, non-interference
in their domestic affairs, the peaceful settlement of disputes and the
condemnation of subversive activities."

A draft resolution relating to this item is attached hereto. In accordance
with rule 20 of the rules of procedure, an explanatory memorandum will be sent
to you under separate cover.

(Signed) Louis RAKOTOMALALA
Ambassador

DRAFT RESOLUTION

The General Assembly,

Recalling the Purposes and Principles enunciated in the Preamble and in Articles 1 and 2 of the United Nations Charter,

Noting that these principles have been reaffirmed repeatedly by the Member States in various General Assembly resolutions, in regional charters and in bilateral and multilateral agreements,

Convinced that their observance would help to facilitate the settlement of disputes between States and to improve the present international situation,

1. Solemnly reiterates and reaffirms the following principles:

- (a) The sovereign equality of all Member States;
- (b) Non-interference in matters within the domestic jurisdiction of a State;
- (c) Respect for the sovereignty and the territorial integrity of every State and for its inalienable right to an independent existence, and the unqualified condemnation of political and subversive activities engaged in by neighbouring States or by any other State which are likely to infringe thereon;
- (d) The liberation of all territories which are not yet independent;
- (e) The peaceful settlement of disputes through negotiation, conciliation or arbitration;

2. Invites Member States faithfully to observe the above-mentioned principles in the conduct of their international relations.
