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Afghanistan, Burma, Cambodia, Ceylon, Ethlopia, India, Indonesia, Iran, Iraq, Jordan, Lebanon, Libya, Morocco, Nepal, Pakistan, Saudi Arabia, Sudan, Syria, Tunisia, Temen; revised draft resolution

The General Assembly,

Having received the report of the Secretary-General on compliance with the General Assembly resolutions of 2 and 7 November (A/3384),

Recalling that its resolution A/RES/396 of 7 November 1956 called upon Israel immediately to withdraw its forces behind the demarcation lines established by the Armistice Agreement of 24 February 1949,

Recalling further that the above resolution also called on France and the United Kingdom immediately to withdraw their forces from Egyptian territory in conformity with previous resolutions,

- 1. Notes with regret that, according to the communications received by the Secretary-General (A/3384), two-thirds of the French forces remain, all the United Kingdom forces remain, although it has been announced that arrangements are being made for the withdrawal of one battalion, and no Israel forces have been withdrawn behind the armistice lines though a considerable time has elapsed since the adoption of its relevant resolutions;
- 2. Reiterates its call to France, Israel and the United Kingdom to comply forthwith with its resolutions of 2 and 7 November 1956;
- 3. Requests the Secretary-General urgently to communicate this resolution to the parties concerned, and to report without delay to the General Assembly on its implementation.