



## Security Council

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### Resolution 4 (2018)

**Adopted by the Security Council at its 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting on November 2, 2018**

*The Security Council,*

*Reaffirming* the right of all refugees and displaced persons to return home in safety and dignity and in a voluntary and sustainable manner,

*Keeping in mind* the necessity to maintain the international peace and security by:

- i) *prioritizing* prevention and sustaining peace,
- ii) *enhancing* the effectiveness and coherence of peacekeeping operations and special political missions,
- iii) *aligning* the peace and security pillar more closely with the development and human rights pillars,

*Expecting* the quorum to remain  $\frac{3}{4}$ ,

1. *Recommends* establishing the definition of semi-permanent member as a member-state which is elected to the Security Council for 5 years with the possibility of subsequent re-election and equal rights with all other members of Security Council;

2. *Further proclaims* the necessity of promoting multilateralism via expansion of the Security Council membership by supporting the accession to a semi-permanent seat of 4 representatives:

- i) Central and South America and The Caribbean,
  - ii) Eastern, Central and Western Asia regions,
  - iii) African countries,
  - iv) the countries of the European part of Eurasian continent;
- while* the choice of the representatives should be made from the elections in the region that would be held among the member states of the UN with the supervision of the UN itself;

3. *Suggests* giving a semi-permanent membership for a 5-year term to the Commonwealth of Australia;

4. *Urges* the United Nations to abolish using of the veto-power in exceptional terms of Security Council reforms;

5. *Sets* to hold sessions of the Working Group on the reform of the UN Security Council 5 years after the adoption of this resolution in order to monitor the achieved result.