



Background Paper

Committee: Security Council

Topic A: Measures to Ensure Responsible Military Intervention in Transnational Conflicts

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Military Intervention is the use of military troops to protect territory, population, and other resources, “The deliberate act of a nation or a group of nations to introduce its military forces into the course of an existing controversy.” Some military intervention was important to peacekeeping, such as the conflict between Somalia and Kosovo in 1998-1999. It is important to have responsible use of military interventions because it can harm citizens.

It is important that military intervention is being used properly and not recklessly. In order for this to be safe, there should be measures taken to make sure no one is being taken advantage of. The Security Council is looking for an agreement between all nations to keep it as civilized as possible. Without certain measures being taken, this can lead to chaos throughout all nations. Interventions can lead to the destruction of infrastructures and natural environments, and an increase in the rate of criminal activity; all of which we want to avoid.

The United Nations (UN) has made projects in order to help those affected by military interventions, such as the introduction of peacekeepers. Peacekeepers have gone to troubled areas in order to restore order and security for those in need. There is also the Prevention of Nuclear Proliferation by the UN, and the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) acting as the nuclear inspector for the world. The IAEA works to safeguard nuclear weapons, and to make sure they are being used for peaceful purposes, instead of.... The committee and the UN want to ensure safety for all citizens and nations in the most peaceful way possible.

In conclusion, it is important to establish measures to ensure responsible military interventions in transnational conflicts in order to maintain peace between nations and their fellow citizens. If no measures are taken and military interventions are being used with ulterior motives, this can lead to chaos inside the nations involved, as well as in other nations. While nations are in the middle of conflict, the level of criminal activity rises, which makes citizens are unsafe, and their safety is the priority.

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