RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY SECURITY COUNCIL

[June 25, 1950]

The Security Council

Recalling the finding of the General Assembly in
its Resolution of 21 October 1949 that the Government
of the Republic of Korea is a lawfully established
government "having effective control and jurisdiction
over that part of Korea where the United Nations
Temporary Commission on Korea was able to observe and
consult, and in which the great majority of the people
of Korea reside; and that this Government is based on
elections which were a valid expression of the free
will of the electorate of that part of Korea, and which
were observed by the Temporary Commission; and that
this is the only such government in Korea";

Mindful of the concern expressed by the General
Assembly in its Resolutions of 12 December 1948 and
21 October 1949 of the consequences which might follow
unless member states refrained from acts derogatory
to the results sought to be achieved by the United
Nations in bringing about the complete independence
and unity of Korea; and the concern expressed that the
situation described by the United Nations Commission
on Korea in its report menaces the safety and well-
being of the Republic of Korea and of the people of
Korea and might lead to open military conflict there; Noting with grave concern the armed attack upon the Republic of Korea by forces from North Korea, determines that this action constitutes a breach of the peace,

I. Calls for the immediate cessation of hostilities; and

Calls upon the authorities of North Korea to withdraw forthwith their armed forces to the thirty-eighth parallel.

II. Requests the United Nations Commission on Korea

(a) to communicate its fully considered recommendations on the situation with the least possible delay;

(b) to observe the withdrawal of the North Korean forces to the thirty-eighth parallel; and

(c) to keep the Security Council informed on the execution of this resolution.

III. Calls upon all members to render every assistance to the United Nations in the execution of this resolution and to refrain from giving assistance to the North Korean authorities.