

FORUM: First committee  
QUESTION OF: Effective international arrangements to assure non-nuclear-weapon states against the use or threat of use of nuclear weapons  
SUBMITTER: Seychelles  
CO-SUBMITTER: Germany, Guatemala, Peru, South Africa, Sweden, Turkey

THE FIRST COMMITTEE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,

*Deeply concerned* about the rising number of nuclear-weapon states,

*Calling to mind* that more nuclear players reduce security for all, multiplying the risks of miscalculations, accidents or unauthorized use,

*Observing* that the availability of civil nuclear programs increases the risk of military use,

*Keeping in mind* that political instability, especially in the Middle East, is the main reason for non-nuclear-weapon states to manufacture nuclear weapons,

*Calling to mind* that the proliferation of nuclear weapons is a global problem thus international arrangements have to be found,

*Fully aware* that the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons is not effective enough to assure non-weapon states against the use or threat of use of nuclear weapons,

1. Calls upon all nuclear weapon states to start a disarmament program in order to:
  - a) decrease inequality,
  - b) promote global security;
  
2. Hopes for the expansion of the Comprehensive Nuclear Test Ban Treaty Organization (CNTBTO) in order to:
  - a) Take on the inspection and controlling tasks which the IAEA now fulfils,
  - b) Ultimately subsume the IAEA into this organization;
  
3. Reminds the commission of the importance of tightening export controls;

4. Further reminds all members that inspectors need more powers due to the fact that many states fear controls, which could be reached by:
  - a) Giving the inspectors the right to visit concerned nations whenever they want,
  - b) Ensuring that the results of inspections will be published in order to:
    - i. Establish an early warning system,
    - ii. Find measures to prevent the extension of nuclear weapons.