

RESOLUTION

ON THE SITUATION IN THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC

The Assembly of Heads of State and Government of the Organization of African Unity, meeting in its Sixth Ordinary Session in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, from 6 to 10 September 1969,

Having heard the statement by His Excellency the Minister of National Guidance, Head of the UAR Delegation, on the situation prevailing in the Middle East and more particularly in the UAR, having regard to fresh developments and events in that area,

Deeply concerned at the worsening of the situation in the area, owing to the fact that the withdrawal of the occupation forces has not been carried out, despite the resolutions of the Security Council (resolution 242 of 22 November 1967) and of the OAU (AHG/Res.53(V) and AHG/St.2(IV)),

Recalling resolution 242 of 22 November 1967 of the United Nations Security Council,

Reaffirming its opposition to the occupation by forces of any party or the whole of one country by another,

1. **TAKES** formal note of the statement by His Excellency the Minister of National Guidance and of the determination of the U.A.R., which it has reiterated, to implement resolution 242 of the Security Council dated 22 November 1977;
2. **REAFFIRMS** its solidarity with the UAR;
3. **REAFFIRMS** emphatically the contents of resolution AHG/Res.53 (V) adopted at the Fifth Summit Meeting in Algiers, in September 1968, by the Assembly of Heads of State and Government of the OAU, which reads as follows:-

“The Assembly of Heads of State and Government of the Organization of African Unity, meeting in its Fifth Ordinary Session in Algiers, from 13 to 16 September 1968;

Having heard the statement of the UAR Minister for Foreign Affairs on the situation in the Middle East in general and the UAR in particular,

- 1. Takes note of the statement by the UAR Minister for Foreign Affairs;**
- 2. Reaffirms in this respect its support for the UAR;**
- 3. Calls for the withdrawal of foreign troops from all Arab territories occupied since 5 June 1967, in accordance with the resolution taken by the Security Council of 22 November 1967, and appeals to all Member States of the OAU to use their influence to ensure a strict implementation of this Resolution”.**

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