Guide for writing a Draft Resolution

# PREAMBULATORY CLAUSES

The opening of preambulatory clauses should be *italicised and underlined*.

No preambulatory clause opening should be repeated in its exact form.

Preambulatory clauses must end in comma (,) or semicolon (;).

All acronyms must be listed in full before appearing in abbreviated form.

There must be a line space between clauses.

## Examples:

*Recognising* the lack of regulation has led to cases of unlawful behaviour by PMCs in the past,

*Believing* that regulation within an international framework of PMCs is necessary, however, should not be heavily restrictive,

*Supporting* the safe and beneficial use of PMCs, following a policy of security without conflict

# OPERATIVE CLAUSES

The opening of operative clauses should be underlined.

No operative clause opening should be repeated in its exact form.

Operative clauses must end in comma (,) or semicolon (;). A colon (:) can be used when referencing sub-clauses or sub-sub-clauses.

Operative sub-clauses and sub-sub-clauses must end in comma (,), semicolon (;), or have no punctuation at all at the end. A colon (:) can be used when referencing sub-sub-clauses.

A period (.) only appears at the end of the last operative clause.

Operative numbers should align with the first letter of the preambulatory clause.

Following lines of operative clauses must align with the first word of the first line.

Sub-clauses should be marked with a lowercase letter followed by a period or bracket.

Sub-sub-clauses should be marked with a lowercase roman numeral followed by a period.

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There must be a line space between clauses.

Last clause ends with a period (.).

## Example:

1. Calls for an armistice and the total withdrawal of involved armed forces from Manchuria to a mutually recognised distance from frontlines that poses minimal threat,
	1. Prepare a response coalition composed of states without overseas colonial territories critical to the region, to be used to ensure the armistice is preserved;
		1. The member states of this response coalition is to be rotated every two and a half years;
		2. Allows for the matter of membership to be brought to the League in the event of a rapid shift in government
	2. This response coalition is only to be deployed with the unanimous consent of the Council of the League, and ONLY if the armistice in Manchuria is put under threat,



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