



Security Council

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23 October 1973

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The Security Council,

Referring to its [resolution 338 \(1973\)](#) of 22 October 1973,

1. *Confirms* its decision on an immediate cessation of all kinds of firing and of all military action, and urges that the forces of the two sides be returned to the positions they occupied at the moment the cease-fire became effective;

2. *Requests* the Secretary-General to take measures for immediate dispatch of United Nations observers to supervise the observance of the cease-fire between the forces of Israel and the Arab Republic of Egypt, using for this purpose the personnel of the United Nations now in the Middle East and first of all the personnel now in Cairo.

*Adopted at the 1748th meeting
by 14 votes to none.*

One member (China) did not participate in the voting.

Source: *United Nations Information System on the Question of Palestine, Security Council Resolutions,* <http://domino.un.org/UNISPAL.NSF/vCouncilRes>

Source of Voting Records: *United Nations Bibliographic Information System, Dag Hammarskjöld Library,* <http://www.un.org/Depts/dhl/unbisnet/index.html#voterecords>