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The Security Council,

FOR SECRETARY  
FROM CRAIG

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Recalling its resolution 502 (1982) of 3 April 1982,

Noting with the deepest concern that the situation in the region of the Falkland Islands (Islas Malvinas) has seriously deteriorated,

Having heard the statement made by the Secretary-General to the Security Council at its 2360th meeting on 21 May 1982, as well as the statements in the debate of the representatives of Argentina and of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland,

Noting from the Secretary-General's statement the extent to which points of agreement between the parties had already been established through his efforts,

Concerned to achieve as a matter of the greatest urgency a cessation of hostilities and an end to the present conflict between the armed forces of Argentina and of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland,

1. Expresses appreciation to the Secretary-General for the efforts which he has already made to bring about an agreement between the parties, to ensure the implementation of Security Council resolution 502 (1982), and thereby to restore peace to the region;

2. Requests the Secretary-General, on the basis of the present resolution, to undertake a renewed mission of good offices consistent with Security Council resolution 502 (1982),



and in accordance with the approach outlined in his statement of 21 May 1982:

3. Urges the parties to the conflict to co-operate fully with the Secretary-General in his mission, and, as a first step to agree to a complete suspension of present hostilities for a period of 72 hours;

4. Requests the Secretary-General, within that period, to enter into contact with the parties with a view to the negotiation of mutually acceptable terms for a continuing cease-fire, including if necessary, arrangements for the dispatch of United Nations observers to monitor compliance with the terms of the cease-fire;

5. Requests the Secretary-General to submit a <sup>INTERIM</sup> report to the Security Council by the end of the period <sup>MENTIONED</sup> ~~indicated~~ in paragraph 3.

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