

COMMITTEE, GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
NEW YORK, OCTOBER 1919

Mr. Chair,

It is my duty to report to you the results of the work of the Committee during the past year. The Committee has been organized to study the problem of the control of the arms trade, and to make recommendations to the General Assembly on this subject. The Committee has held several public hearings, and has received many suggestions from the public. It has also conducted extensive research into the arms trade, and has prepared a report on the subject. The report is being presented to you today.

Mr. Chair,

The Committee has the honor to present to you the report of the Commission on the Arms Trade, which was organized by the General Assembly in 1918. The Commission was organized to study the problem of the control of the arms trade, and to make recommendations to the General Assembly on this subject. The Commission has held several public hearings, and has received many suggestions from the public. It has also conducted extensive research into the arms trade, and has prepared a report on the subject. The report is being presented to you today.

4. Furthermore, we wish to reiterate our views that Article 19 is  
~~inoperative even from the point of view of progressive development~~

of international law. Malaysia therefore aligns herself with the  
~~prevailing position under international law as reflected in Article 2~~