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Sweden, Thailand, Turkey, Uganda, United Kingdom of
Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of
America: draft resolution

The General Assembly,

 ${\underline{\tt Noting}}$ the desire of the Permanent Court of Arbitration to intensify its cooperation with the United Nations,

- 1. $\underline{\text{Decides}}$ to invite the Permanent Court of Arbitration to participate in the sessions and the work of the General Assembly in the capacity of observer;
- 2. $\underline{\text{Requests}}$ the Secretary-General to take the necessary action to implement the present resolution.
