

Committee: International Court of Justice

Topic: Liancourt Rocks (South Korea vs. Japan)

Proposed by: The Islamic Republic of Pakistan, The United States of America, The People's Republic of China, The United Kingdom, The Russian Federation, Federal Republic of Brazil

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,

Aware of the recent escalation of tensions regarding the Liancourt Rocks between Japan and South Korea,

Taking into account South Korea's initial outreach to Japan in efforts to mend past relations and diffuse tensions

Reaffirming the importance of a nation's sovereignty and territory,

Encourages peaceful negotiation and equal division of land,

Acknowledging the current resident on the Liancourt Rocks and providing incentive and equivalent pension for them to be relocated; taking into account their previously stated desire to move back to South Korea:

1. Emphasizes that recent bilateral relations between Korea and Japan are targeted towards diplomatic reconciliation, and to not diffuse these efforts through this dispute;
2. Establishes a demilitarized zone in the Liancourt Rocks, with UN oversight to prevent either country from exploiting the region surrounding the Liancourt rocks;
3. Calls upon the UN to appoint a body of unbiased researchers from the countries present; to determine the most fair and efficient way the rocks can be split up to offer equal profit in terms of gas reserves and fishing reservations;

4. Urges both countries to prevent further immigration to the Liancourt Rocks and encourage Kim Shin-yeol, the lone resident, to leave;
5. Recommends international organizations or South Korea to reimburse Kim Shin-yeol on the islands for her home and property at a reasonable price compared to South Korean housing prices;
6. Recommends South Korea to pay an appropriate pension to Kim Shin-yeol.