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1. TEXT OF RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY OAS ON 13 APRIL:

WHEREAS:

THE DISPUTE BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF ARGENTINA AND THE UNITED
KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND IN RELATION TO THE

MALVINAS (FALKLAND) ISLANDS IS ENDANGERING THE PEACE OF THE HEMISPHERE.

AMONG THE FUNDAMENTAL PRINCIPLES AND PURPOSES ESTABLISHED IN THE CHARTER OF THE ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES THERE ARE THOSE OF STRENGTHENING THE PEACE AND SECURITY OF THE CONTINENT, PREVENTING POSSIBLE CAUSES OF DIFFICULTIES AND ENSURING THE PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES,

THE PERMANENT COUNCIL OF THE ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES RESOLVES:

1. TO EXPRESS ITS PROFOUND CONCERN OVER THE SERIOUS SITUATION THAT THE REPUBLIC OF ARGENTINA AND THE UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND NOW FACE.
2. TO EXPRESS ITS FERVENT HOPE THAT A RAPID, PEACEFUL SOLUTION CAN BE FOUND TO THE DISAGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TWO NATIONS WITHIN THE CONTEXT OF THE RULES OF INTERNATIONAL LAW.
3. TO OFFER ITS FRIENDLY COOPERATION IN THE PEACE EFFORTS ALREADY UNDER WAY, IN THE HOPE OF CONTRIBUTING IN THIS WAY TO A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF THE DISPUTE THAT WILL AVERT ONCE AND FOR ALL THE DANGER OF WAR BETWEEN COUNTRIES THAT DESERVE THE RESPECT OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY.

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