

Has United Nations succeeded in averting war in the world?

Outline

1- Introduction

Thesis statement:- The United Nations has failed in averting war in the world. Several evidences including, ongoing wars, hegemony of P5, war funding etc are proven facts of it. Hence, the United Nations has not succeeded in averting war in the world.

2. A bird's eyeriew of the establishment of the United Nations

3- The United Nations has failed in averting war in the world (Thesis)

- a) The United Nations has failed to stop countries from attacking sovereign territories
- b) Hegemony of P5 Countries has led to peace disturbance in averting war
- c) The United Nations has not succeeded in stopping

- ing military funds for war
- d) The advancement of military technology is out of the hands of the United Nations
- e) The United Nations has not averted nuclear proliferation

4- The United Nations has succeeded in averting war in the world (Anti-thesis)

- a) The United Nations has posed sanctions to countries for ~~peace-keeping~~ mission
- b) The UNCA has questioned on the hegemony of P5 members
- c) The FATE and other organizations are associated with the United Nations for peace-keeping
- d) The United Nations has checks and balances on military advancement
- e) The United Nations has successfully controlled nuclear proliferation by NPT

5- The United Nations has still not succeeded in averting war in the world. (Synthesis)

- a) Despite sanctions, wars are ongoing in the

world

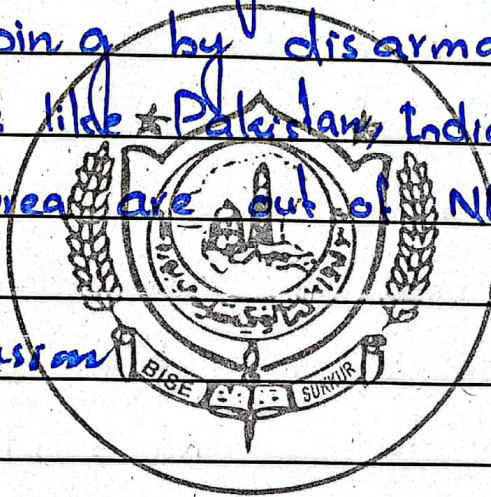
b) P5 can veto the UNGA's decision as it is only advisory, not binding

c) According to the UN-Charter Article 2(7) the United Nations can not interfere in domestic affairs

d) P5 members are out of such checks and balances as they are regarded for peace-keeping by disarmament

e) Members like ~~Pakistan~~ India, Israel, and North Korea are out of NPT membership

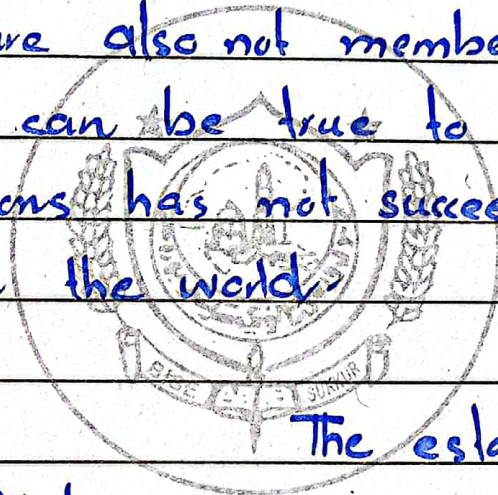
6- Conclusion



Essay:

"O, people! do not kill each other for the temporal world" (Al-Qur'an, Surah Al-Maid 5:32). The United Nations has failed in averting war in the world. Several evidences including, ongoing wars, hegemony of P5, war funding etc are proven facts of it. Hence, the United Nations has not succeeded in averting war in the world. In fact, the United Nations has failed to stop countries from attacking sovereign territories, P5-hegemony has disturbed peace by unilateral support, and the UNs has not succeeded in stopping war funds. Moreover, the advancement of military technology and nuclear proliferation are also evidences of its failure. However, the United Nations has imposed sanctions, the UNCA has questioned on P5-hegemony, the FATF and other organizations have supervision, the United Nations has checks over military advancement etc for peace-keeping mission. Despite all above, the United Nat

ons has still not succeeded in averting war in the world. Wars are ongoing in the world even after sanctions, P5 hegemony has vetoed the UNGAs resolution, the United Nations has given discretionary powers to countries etc. Not only these, the United Nations has also made P5 responsible for peace-keeping in the world. Moreover, some countries are also not member of NPT. Therefore, it can be true to say that the United Nations has not succeeded in averting wars in the world.

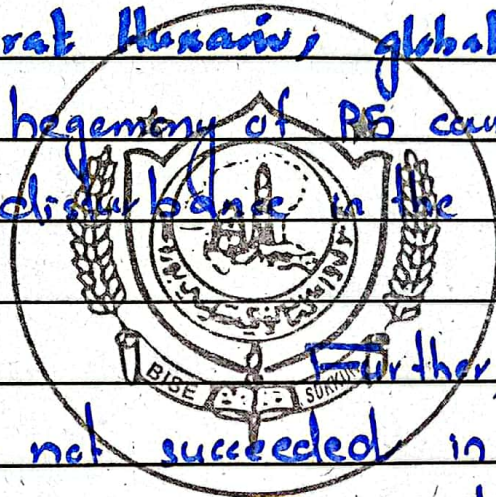


The establishment of the United Nations purpose was to avoid the world-wide wars. Not only this, but the United Nations also make peace in the living globe. After the WWII, the need of an organization for peace-keeping paved a way for the establishment of the United Nations. "The failure of the 'League of Nations' in stopping the world war

after the WWI led to the world in a new era of WWII." (An overview of background of the UN's establishment). Thus, the United Nations establishment is to maintain peace and avoid wars in the world.

The United Nations has failed in averting war in the world as it has not succeeded in stopping countries from attacking sovereign territories. The United Nations, unfortunately, has no effective control over world powers to stop them from attacking. In consequence, the countries are leading to wars. "Annexation of Crimea, is a huge evidence of discretionary power of Russia that posed threat to Crimea by annexing it in 2014." (The CNN, The World in Weapons, 2020). Thus, the United Nations has failed to stop countries from attacking sovereign territories.

Not only this, but hegemony of P5 - countries also leads to peace disturbance in averting wars. In fact, hegemony of P5 is more political interest based. Abuse of responsibility of P5 also disturbs peace of the world. "Veto power of P5 members is personal interest based rather than uniform performance." (Dr. Ishrat Husain, global governance, 2019). Hence, hegemony of P5 countries has led to peace disturbance in the world.



Further, the United Nations has not succeeded in stopping military funds for wars. The countries are more bonded with each other in unilateral support. In consequence, one-sided military funds has made peace almost in compulsion. According to the latest reports, "NATO and its allies have funded about \$13 billion military fund to the Ukraine in support of war against Russia."

(The CNN, Russian-Ukraine conflict, 2022). Thus, the United Nations has not succeeded in stopping military funds for wars.

Furthermore, the advancement of military technology is out of the hands of the United Nations. Unfortunately, the United Nations has no influence over control of technological advancement. As a result, the world is more attracting towards military advanced weapons. As per the statement of SIPRI, "The global investment for military advancement is reached at about \$ 23 trillions in 2023." (The SIPRI, 2023). Therefore, the the United Nations has also not controlled advancement of military.

Moreover, the United Nations has also not averted nuclear proliferation. In fact, the world is more readily moving towards nuclear proliferation. Unfortunately,

growing nuclear proliferation has threatened the world peace. Resultantly, countries are in search of more advanced nuclear proliferation that make a huge threat to peace of the world. Thus, the United Nations has not succeeded in averting nuclear proliferation.

However, the United Nations has imposed sanctions on countries for peace-keeping mission. The United Nations has a well-structured plan to maintain peace in the world by taking several measures. The purpose of sanctioning to make peace as a responsible need of the world. "The United Nations imposed economic sanctions on Russia due to violating sovereignty of Crimea in 2014." (The Economist of the world, 2022). Thus, the United Nations has succeeded in averting wars by imposing sanctions.

Moreover, the UNGA has questioned on the hegemony of P5 members. In fact, the UNGA has power to pass resolution as advisory to the UNSC for peace maintenance. As a result, the UNGA has always played its efficient role in averting war in the world. "The UNGA has successfully passed a resolution against Russia in the context of Russia-Ukraine war with a great majority except 32 members as abstain and 9 only against." (The UNGA, Resolution Against Russia, 2022). Hence, the UNGA has questioned on P5 hegemony, too.

Further, the FATF and other organizations have also associated with the UNGA for peace-keeping mission. In fact, the United Nations has a structured framework to avert wars in the world. These organizations have regulations over countries as to search financing purpose

that might leads to wars. "The FATF has recently suspended Russian membership on Russia-Ukraine war." (BBC, 2023).

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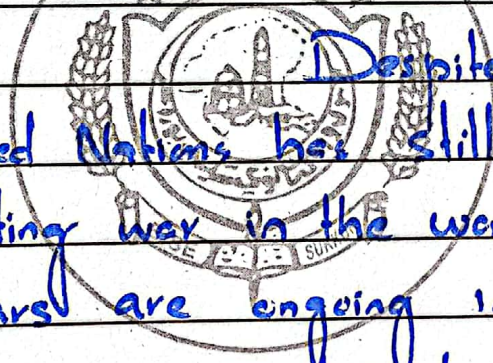
Furthermore, the United Nations has checks and balances on military advancement. In fact, the United Nations has succeeded on maintaining these balances to stop advancement of military. As a consequence, countries have bounds regarding abuse of military advancement. These have restrictions on their oversteps toward advancement of military-based technology. Therefore, the United Nations has checks and balances to avert military advancement.

Besides these, the United Nations has successfully controlled nuclear

proliferation by NPT. In fact, the regulation on 'Non-Proliferation Treaty' has helped the United Nations to maintain peace of the world. Consequently, the world countries also supported the regulation of NPT.

"About 199 members are significantly obligated to the NPT." (The NPT-overview)

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Despite all above facts, the United Nations has still not succeeded in averting war in the world. Despite sanctions, wars are ongoing in the world. Countries are using discretionary powers on own decision without caring of the UN's sanctions. As the United Nations imposed sanctions on Russia on annexation of Crimea, Russia still did not care and led to war in Ukraine. Resultantly, the sovereignty of countries is at stake. Thus, despite sanctions, the United Nations

has not succeeded in averting war in the world.

Along with ongoing wars, according to the Article 2(7), the United Nations can not interfere in domestic matters. This, as a result, makes countries to acquire more discretionary powers. Consequently, abuse of such powers has put peace of the world at stake. It makes the whole world vulnerable to world wars. Therefore, the United Nations has not succeeded in averting war in the world.

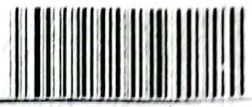
Moreover, P5-members are out of such checks and balances as they are regarded for peace keeping by disarmament. But, unfortunately, P5 have abused the given powers most of the time. In consequence, wars are continued without any crucial deterrence. "Article

vi of the NPT has almost failed due to not disarming by P-5 in averting wars." (An overview of the NPT mechanism). Thus, P-5 members are out of such checks and balances to avert war in the world.

Last but not the least, Members like Pakistan, India, Israel, and North Korea are not members of NPT. However, such nuclear countries including Pakistan and India can pose threat to peace of the world. Both nuclear countries can disturb the whole Asian region due to nuclear race. "When a nuclear country aims to fire, it has far border affects" (Imran Khan, addressing the UNGA). Therefore, some countries like Pakistan, India, Israel, and North Korea are not members of the NPT, can lead to war in the world.



In conclusion, the United Nations has failed in averting war in the world. As the United Nations has not succeeded in stopping countries from attacking sovereign territories like, annexation of Crimea and Ukraine war. Along with it, hegemony of P5 countries has disturbed peace of the world by abusing veto power. Moreover, the United Nations has no control over military funds etc. However, the United Nations has attempted to maintain peace by imposing sanctions on countries like Russia. Not only this, but the United Nations General Assembly has decisions over the United Nations Security Council for peace-advocacy. Further, the association of the FATF and the UN checks and balances have made peace-keeping mission successful. Despite all above fact, the United Nations has still not succeeded in averting war in the world. Several proven facts such as,



Ongoing wars even after sanctions, veto-power of PS members, no checks and balances on PS etc have evidences of it. Thus, the United Nations has not succeeded in averting war in the world. "Killing one person without any sound reason is equal to killing humanity." (Prophet Mehammed, P.B.U.H.):

