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Simla Agreement and its Suspension:

Pakistan and India entered into an agreement in 6 months of 1971 War at Simla called as Simla agreement. Zulfikar Ali Bhutto and Indira Gandhi agreed to maintain peaceful relations. The Simla agreement - ent compel both countries to maintain peace, respect each others integrity, non interference with each others internal affairs and prevent conflict. The agreement also ensures to settling all the disputes bilaterally including Kashmir issue.

Despite this agreement Pakistan and India entered into a multiple conflicts that includes Kargil War, Siachen glacier dispute, Pulwama attack. The agreement has failed to maintain peace but it can be argued unable to prevent few conflicts.

The ~~most~~ ~~important~~ crucial aspect of this agreement. It allows both countries to solve Kashmir issue bilaterally — eliminating United Nations role in solving Kashmir dispute. Pakistan — after the

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amendment by India on Kashmir -
believed that Simla agreement has
tied Pakistan hands to international-
alized the matter because united
nations and other international bodies
countries are not to solve disputes
bilaterally.

Pakistan - 96% the suspension
of Indus water treaty - has threaten
to suspend the Simla agreement.
This suspension is serious concern
for India as it will affect the
international involvement on Kashmir
issue. In addition to this, it will
pressure for Pakistan to take the
Kashmir issue to the United Nation -
which already suggested Plebiscite in
Kashmir which is against the
interest of India. However, I believe
there will be no direct escalation
of threat of war on its suspen-
sion.