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World Peace is a choice of
Superpower

Outlines of essay

1- Introduction

(i) Absence of threat - Peace

(ii) Concept of peace.

"In a unipolar world order, global peace is a choice of superpower to a great extent"

2- Current plight of world peace

3- Role of superpower in conflicts - threat to global peace:

(i) Palestine

(ii) Ukraine

(iii) Yemen

(iv) Syria, Iraq

4- American unipolar world order - Anarchic world

(i) Dominance of a single country -

threat to world peace.

(ii) War economy: destabilization of

world

(iii) Containment of china -

growing threat to global peace

(iv) Presence of American military bases in Middle East - threat to regional peace

(v) American monopolization of United Nations Security Council - a major hurdle in global peace

5- Refutation

(i) Rise of multipolarity and peace

(ii) United Nations - Peacekeeper

(iii) International law - stepping stone for peace.

(iv) International Court of Justice - a mean to ensure peace.

6- Measures to ensure global peace

(i) Introduction of reforms in United Nations - especially in Security Council

(ii) Strengthening International law

(iii) Strengthening International Court of Justice.

7- Conclusion.

According to scholars from "Peace and Conflict Studies" - the absence of any form of threat is peace. In order to escape from threat and to ensure survival, sociologists believe that human beings started to live in societies and thus form states. With the emergence of the concept of nation-state, countries started to dominate weaker ones. In order to ensure their own national interests, this tug of war disturbed the global peace. Many scholars of "International Relations" are in the view that American unipolar world order ensures the peace and conflict in global scenario. As Americans are superpower of today's world - because of the dominance in all aspects, including military, economy, technology

and politics - they can disturb the global peace via imposing sanctions and war, and exporting weapons to countries. Opponents of this view believe that middle emerging powers and regional powers, and United Nations are decisive to global peace. In order to ensure global peace, world needs to strengthen International Law, International Court of Justice. The introduction of reforms in United Nations Security Council will prove to be decisive. In short, in a unipolar world order, global peace is a choice of dominant power to a great extent.