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# TERMS USED IN



ORGANISATION FOR THE PROHIBITION OF CHEMICAL  
WEAPONS RESOLUTIONS

# TERMS USED IN DECISIONS

## Verbs Used in Preambular Paragraphs



- 1. Acknowledging
- 2. Affirming
- 3. Cognisant that
- 4. Considering
- 5. Considering also
- 6. Determined
- 7. Emphasising
- 8. Expressing
- 9. Expressing grave concern
- 10. Further expressing grave concern
- 11. Having examined
- 12. Mindful
- 13. Noting
- 14. Reaffirming
- 15. Reaffirming its determination
- 16. Recalling
- 17. Recalling also
- 18. Recognising
- 19. Fully recognising
- 20. Stressing
- 21. Taking note
- 22. Underscoring

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## Verbs Used in Operative Paragraphs

- 1. Calls upon
- 2. Condemns
- 3. Decides
- 4. Decides also
- 5. Decides further
- 6. Emphasises
- 7. Emphasises also
- 8. Encourages
- 9. Notes
- 10. Recognising
- 11. Recommends
- 12. Requests
- 13. Stresses
- 14. Underscores
- 15. Welcomes
- 16. Welcomes also
- 17. Urges

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# TERMS USED IN DECISIONS

## Verbs Used in Sub-Operative Paragraphs

- 1. Acknowledges
- 2. Authorizes
- 3. Calls for
- 4. Calls upon
- 5. Also calls upon
- 6. Commends
- 7. Emphasizes
- 8. Also emphasizes
- 9. Further emphasizes
- 10. Encourages
- 11. Also encourages
- 12. Further encourages
- 13. Expresses concern
- 14. Highlights
- 15. Also highlights
- 16. Invites
- 17. Also invites
- 18. Further invites
- 19. Looks forward
- 20. Notes
- 21. Also notes
- 22. Further notes
- 23. Notes with concern
- 24. Notes with great concern
- 25. Promotes
- 26. Reaffirms
- 27. Also reaffirms
- 28. Further reaffirms
- 29. Reaffirms its commitment
- 30. Recognizes
- 31. Also recognizes
- 32. Further recognizes
- 33. Recommits
- 34. Recommends
- 35. Reiterates
- 36. Requests
- 37. Also requests
- 38. Further requests
- 39. Stresses
- 40. Strongly condemns
- 41. Strongly encourages
- 42. Takes note
- 43. Also takes note
- 44. Takes note with appreciation
- 45. Underlines
- 46. Underscores
- 47. Urges
- 48. Welcomes
- 49. Also welcomes
- 50. Further welcomes