

THE HISTORICAL SECURITY COUNCIL

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SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: Situation in Tunisia
SUBMITTED TO: The Historical Security Council
SUBMITTED BY: Presidential Statement

The Historical Security Council

1 At the meeting of the Security Council, held on 22 April 1961, in connection with the Council's
2 consideration of the item entitled "The Situation in Tunisia," the President of the Security Council
3 made the following statement on behalf of the Council.

4 The Security Council welcomes the positive outcome regarding the situation in Tunisia. In light of
5 the complaint brought by Tunisia to the Council in regard to heightened tensions and the question of
6 dispute over the sovereignty of France's military base, we congratulate both France and Tunisia for
7 their rapid and amicable resolution of the dispute.

8 The Council expresses its sadness for the unfortunate losses suffered by both parties to the dispute,
9 but highly praises both parties for their openness to discussion and applauds the achievement of the
10 immediate cease-fire. Much gratitude is in order for the United States' instrumental mediation provided
11 to France and Tunisia. Their willingness to provide a neutral perspective serves as a fine example of
12 diplomacy and actuating compromise.