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**Historical Security Council – 1956**

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**Statement by the President of the Security Council**

1           At the meeting of the Security Council, held on 12 July 1956, in connection with the Council's consideration  
2 of the item entitled "Situation in Palestine," the President of the Security Council made the following statement on  
3 behalf of the Council:

4           " In light of the recent developments in the Near-East, the Security Council strongly condemns the forced  
5 conscription of displaced persons into the Syrian Army, as it is an immoral violation of their human rights.

6           If Syria fails to immediately cease this flagrant violation of human rights, the Security Council is prepared  
7 to act within its powers enumerated in Chapter VII of the United Nations Charter."

8           The Security Council will continue to pay close attention to developments.

Passed by consensus, with 0 abstentions