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SUMMARY RECORD OF THE EIGHTEENTH MEETING

Corrigendum

Page 4, statement of Mr. Press (New Zealand)

Delete the last sentence and substitute the following:

"His delegation would abstain on the issue of adopting the Working Party report and would reserve its position as regards signature of the Declaration".

Page 5, statement of Baron Bentinck (Netherlands)

Delete the last two sentences and substitute the following:

"In connection with what he had said before, it was clear that those circumstances will present themselves as far as the Netherlands are concerned, but in his opinion there would be no doubt that the safeguards in the report would apply to the Antillian case. He therefore was confident that as soon as a request for renegotiations on the Antillian concessions would be made, such a request would be dealt with in a favourable way. His delegation would be very grateful, if the CONTRACTING PARTIES would take note of their position by recording this statement in the minutes and would give sympathetic consideration to an application for renegotiations on behalf of the Netherlands Antilles, when this in due time would be made. Trusting that that would result in a satisfactory solution of their problem his Government was prepared to sign the Declaration at the close of the Eighth Session".