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84TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. RES. 116

[Report No. 621]

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 20, 1955

Mr. McCARTHY submitted the following resolution; which was referred to the
Committee on Foreign Relations

JUNE 21 (legislative day, JUNE 20), 1955

Reported adversely by Mr. GREEN

RESOLUTION

Whereas under the Constitution of the United States, the Congress and more particularly the Senate, has concurrent responsibility with the executive branch for the formulation of the international policies of the United States; and

Whereas the safety, peace, and independence of the United States are seriously threatened by the aggressive world Communist movement under the leadership of the Soviet Union; and

Whereas the United States is pledged to seek the freedom of the millions of people who have already been enslaved by the world Communist movement; and

Whereas the safety, peace, and independence of the United States can never be permanently secured, nor the goal of the United States to obtain the freedom of oppressed peoples realized, so long as certain areas of the world remain under Communist control; namely, Estonia, Latvia, Lithu-

ania, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Bulgaria, Rumania, Albania, Eastern Germany, Northern Korea, Northern Indochina, China, and the Soviet Union; and

Whereas the President has determined to confer with the heads of state of the Soviet Union, the United Kingdom, and France at Geneva, Switzerland, on July 18, 1955, with the objective of relieving world tensions and thus of attempting to make more secure the safety, peace, and independence of the United States; and

Whereas the government of the Soviet Union announced on June 13, 1955, and on several occasions prior thereto, that the subject of areas under Communist control would not be discussed by the Soviet Union at said conference between the heads of state; and

Whereas failure to discuss said areas under Communist control at said Geneva meeting implies de jure recognition of Communist domination of said areas, and thus the establishment of a permanent threat to the safety, peace, and independence of the United States; and

Whereas the Secretary of State is meeting with the Foreign Ministers of the Soviet Union, the United Kingdom, and France beginning June 20, 1955, at San Francisco, reportedly to discuss, inter alia, an agenda for the conference between the heads of state: Now, therefore, be it

1. *Resolved*, That it is the sense of the Senate that at said
2. Foreign Ministers' meeting at San Francisco or at such other
3. meeting or occasion as may be appropriate, prior to any
4. such conference between the heads of state, the Secretary of



- 1 State should secure the agreement of the Soviet Union, the
- 2 United Kingdom, and France that the present and future
- 3 status of the nations of Eastern Europe and Asia now under
- 4 Communist control shall be a subject for discussion at such
- 5 conference between the heads of state.

January 30, 1953

The Secretary submitted the following resolution which was referred to the Committee on Foreign Relations

January 31 (Legislative day, January 30), 1953

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By Mr. McClellan

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Presence of the Senate of the United States
 Resolving question of the coming Communist Con-

RESOLUTION

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RESOLUTION

Favoring discussion at the coming Geneva Conference of the status of nations under Communist control.

By Mr. McCARTHY

JUNE 20, 1955

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