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Military and Paramilitary Activities in and  
against Nicaragua (Nicaragua v. United States of America)

Declaration of Intervention of El Salvador

The following information is made available to the press by the Registry of the International Court of Justice:

On 4 October 1984 the International Court of Justice decided by nine votes against six not to hold a hearing on the declaration of intervention submitted by El Salvador in the case concerning Military and Paramilitary Activities in and against Nicaragua (Nicaragua v. United States of America).

The same day, it decided by 14 votes to one to defer further consideration of the question of the admissibility of the intervention by El Salvador until a later stage of the proceedings.

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On the first point, Judges Ruda, Mosler, Ago, Schwebel, Sir Robert Jennings, de Lacharrière voted against.

On the second point, Judge Schwebel voted against.

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The text of the Order, containing the decisions of the Court, to which declarations or opinions of Judges will be annexed, will be distributed later.