

Bangladesh

United Nations Security Council

Topic: Prevention of war between US and China in context to the outbreak

of Corona virus

In the recent months, the Covid-19 outbreak has caused the world a lot of damage. The economy has gone down, many people are left unemployed and governments around the world are getting a headache trying to control the virus. American President Donald Trump and officials reminding China of its role in spreading the coronavirus, it being a biological weapon created in a lab in Wuhan and demanding an investigation into the matter. China, however, has refused the allegations. The coronavirus has infected more than 7 million people, with US leading in the number of infections and our country with around 80.000 cases.

This US-China spat could easily turn into a war, with America and China representing liberalism and collectivism. The UN Security Council introduced a draft resolution for a 90-day humanitarian pause in conflicts worldwide in the face of the coronavirus pandemic but it was blocked by both countries. We have not taken any sides in this spat.

We have good relations with both US and China as of now and hope to continue the same in the future. The Coronavirus has caused many problems to our country's people, causing deaths, fear, monetary problems etc. The economy of Bangladesh has been weakened by these issues and, therefore, it would like to see the investigation asked by the United States being fulfilled.

When Bangladesh got independence in 1971, the country was in turmoil. The war to independence had led to the killing and displacements of lakhs of people. There was unemployment all over, economic instability was very high and there was chaos all over. As of now, we are in a much better situation but the Coronavirus threatens to plunge Bangladesh into a humanitarian crisis. This shall not be accepted.

We propose a solution to this problem. This will include the allowance of an investigation into the probable creation of coronavirus as a Chinese biological weapon. China and other developed countries have to help in containment of virus in other countries and boost the economy of developing countries by mass exporting of jobs there. Also, China and the US will be required to explain/justify their actions to the Security Council of accusing each other while letting developing countries around the world face the wrath of the virus. Failure to do so will result in the repealing of their vetoing powers and permanent membership. The people of this world have suffered enough due to this virus and they should not be denied justice.

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