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**I**

Prohibition to use force: article 2(4) UN Charter; Resolution 3314(XIX): Definition of Aggression.

Secretary-General: powers, in particular, article 99 UN Charter; admissibility.

Security Council: composition, articles 31 and 32 UN Charter; voting: article 27; procedural and non-procedural questions; veto power and mandatory abstentions (practice and caselaw); articles 2(1), 2(4) and Chapter VII UN Charter; resolution rejected.

Right to self-defense: concept; legal basis; conditions and requirements (practice and caselaw); admissibility.

General Assembly Resolution 377A(V) "Uniting for peace"; conditions; initiative; Secretary-General has no power to request such session; General Assembly powers; articles 11, 12, 14 UN Charter and compatibility with UN Charter.

**II**

UN's Pact for the future: adoption; 5 chapters and 2 annexes (Global digital compact and Declaration on Future generations); 363 specific commitments for follow-up action; implementation by Members States and UN system; critical analysis; discussion on foreseeability and progress in challenging times.

Duration: 120m

I – 14;

II – 5;

Writing and systematization – 1.