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Title: An act to amend the Charter of the United Nations: Chapter Five, Article Twenty-Seven, Section Three.

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Subject: A proposal to amend a charter of the United Nations: Chapter Five, Article Twenty-seven, Section Three.

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Justification Clause: Since the world is such an interconnected place, no veto by a single country should be the end all, be all voice for the decisions the Security Council makes. With the veto power, The Big Five are not focusing on the eminent issues being addressed but the petty politics surrounding their relationship with one another and the vote. Taking out the veto will allow less hostility in the Security Council and more things to be accomplished.

Section One: Article Twenty-Seven, Section Three currently reads: "Decisions of the Security Council on all other matters shall be made by an affirmative vote of the permanent members; provided that, in decisions under Chapter Six, and under paragraph Three of Article Fifty-Two, a party to a dispute shall abstain from voting."

Section Two: The amendment made to this section will be as follows: The phrase "including the concurring votes of the permanent members" will be removed.

Section Three: After amending, the new charter for Chapter Five, Article Twenty-Seven, Section Three will read as follows: "Decisions of the Security Council on all other matters shall be made by an affirmative vote of nine members provided that, in decisions under Chapter Six, and under paragraph Three of Article Fifty-Two, a party to a dispute shall abstain from voting."

Section Four: This amendment will be enacted in the Security Council immediately after passage in the General Assembly.