SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: Strengthening International Economic Cooperation for

Development Through Partnership

SUBMITTED TO: The Second Committee

SUBMITTED BY: Sri Lanka, Australia, New Zealand, Viet Nam, Singapore,

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## The Second Committee

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1 Recognizing that developed nations are reluctant to invest funds in countries whose industries are lacking proper training,

- 3 Taking into consideration that education only grows with time,
- 4 Desiring the support of developed nations to invest in technology in lesser developed countries,
- 5 Believing that the benefits would eventually outweigh the risks after sufficient education of all people,
- *Recognizing* that the success of lesser developed countries does not only require funds, but also education and training,
- 9 *Emphasizing* that this training will help integrate lesser developed and developing countries in the multilateral trading system,
  - 1. *Requests* from developed countries the sponsorship of less developed countries and developing countries, to help them gain the necessary education and training;
- 2. *Requests* permission of developed member nations to host citizens of lesser developed countries for educational training in industry, education, commerce, technology, science, medicine, and other applicable fields;
  - 3. *Requests* that members of this program be required to return to their home countries at the end of the training period;
- 18 4. *Recommends* a partnership between countries to ensure the actual transfer of technology from developed to developing and lesser developed countries, in order to facilitate the

20		training;
21 22	5.	Affirms that the investment value of education and technology transfer will only increase with time;
23 24	6.	<i>Endorses</i> the expansion of already existing educational programs in the global community.\

Final Vote: 65 in favor / 13 opposed / 12 abstentions