

SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: International Drug Control

SUBMITTED TO: The Third Committee

SUBMITTED BY: Belgium, Columbia, Peru, United States, United Kingdom,
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Poland, Brazil

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- 1 *Deeply concerned* by the production, abuse, and trafficking of illegal narcotics throughout the
2 world,
- 3 *Deeply upset* by the social and economic problems that individuals, nations, and international
4 organizations have faced due to illegal narcotics,
- 5 *Deeply concerned* that the social and political stability as well as the national security and
6 sovereignty of countries, is being undermined by the influx of illegal drugs across borders,
- 7 *Emphasizing* developing a more effective strategy in combating the continual threats of
8 widespread disease and armed conflict through drug control,
- 9 *Believing* that a solution exists while still respecting national sovereignty,
- 10 *Realizing* that no solution to the drug problem exists unless the demand for narcotic use is
11 reduced worldwide,
- 12 *Recognizing* that by enforcing drug control a large source of monetary support for armed conflict
13 around the world would be eradicated;
- 14 1. *Supports* the UN office for Drug Control and Crime Prevention promoting workable,
15 realistic solutions to the proliferation of illegal drugs;
- 16 2. *Recommends* that international organizations focus more specifically on the effects of
17 drug abuse relating to the spread of HIV/AIDS and the financial connections to armed
18 conflict;
- 19 3. *Encourages* states to reduce the demand for illegal narcotics by providing education on

- 20 the dangers of drug abuse and providing treatments for those addicted to drugs;
- 21 4. *Encourages* interested states and organizations to offer assistance to those nations unable
22 to effectively secure their borders against drug trafficking, where assistance of such
23 groups is requested by the sovereign state;
- 24 5. *Emphasizes* the necessity of utilizing agricultural assistance and alternative crop
25 programs and education to make countries more self sufficient and profitable after the
26 eradication of narcotics in order that citizens may replace the loss of capital as a result of
27 desisting in the production of illicit crops;
- 28 6. *Promotes* the cooperation of sovereign member states and international organizations in
29 the sharing of information dealing with drug production and abuse, organizations which
30 traffic drugs and the supplies used to produce them, money laundering and illegal arms
31 dealings so as to create a network of information that national law enforcement agencies
32 may draw upon.
- 33 7. *Calls* for a larger proportion of the ODCCP's budget to be directed towards the ODCCP
34 Alternative Development Programme so as to further assist developing nations, ensuring
35 that farmers will be able to replace illicit crops with others, to create an alternative
36 sources of income;
- 37 8. *Encourages*, with respect to sovereignty under the United Nations charter, regional and
38 multilateral agreements regarding international drug control with focus on:
- 39 a. Sharing best practices between regionally, culturally, and socially similar
40 societies;
- 41 b. Working to ensure tighter security at entry points such as airports and harbors,
42 and moving towards effective monitoring of land borders to control the flow of
43 illicit drugs;
- 44 10. *Encourages* individual states and international organizations who request to work
45 together to combat drug trafficking in international territories; including waters and
46 airspace.

Final Vote: 74 in favor / 8 opposed / 4 abstentions