

THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

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SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: High-Level Segment: The Contribution of Human Resources Development, Including in the Areas of Health and Education, to the Process of Development

SUBMITTED TO: The Economic and Social Council

SUBMITTED BY: Pakistan, Argentina, Cuba, Nepal, Peru, Guatemala, Ukraine, Saudi Arabia, Chile, Ethiopia, India, Islamic Republic of Iran, Ghana and Zimbabwe

The Economic and Social Council

- 1 *Affirming* the ideals of Millennium Development Goals 1 and 2,
- 2 *Promoting* the importance of an integrated approach to rural development,
- 3 *Recognizing* that rural communities represent 75% of the world's poor,
- 4 1. *Accepts* the report submitted by the Special Committee on Rural Development 24 November
- 5 2003.

Passed by consensus; to be accompanied by the aforementioned report