

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

GA3/I/8

SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: Implementation of the Outcome of the World Summit For Social Development and of the Twenty-Fourth Special Session of the General Assembly

SUBMITTED TO: The Third Committee

SUBMITTED BY: Syrian Arab Republic, Yemen

The Third Committee

1 *Reaffirming* article 25 of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights which specifies that
2 everyone has the right to a standard of living that provides adequate healthcare for themselves and their
3 families,

4 *Deeply Concerned* with the current lack of preventative healthcare policies,

5 *Taking into Consideration* the need for quality physicians, facilities, and access to necessary
6 supplies,

7 *Noting* that adequate healthcare is a significant issue affecting all nations across the globe,

8 1. *Reaffirms* the link between healthcare and social development;

9 2. *Draws Attention to* the devastation caused by the spread of diseases and the importance
10 of prevention of such diseases;

11 3. *Declares Accordingly* the need for antibiotics, immunizations, vaccines, and any other
12 such preventative healthcare methods;

13 4. *Calls Upon* regional cooperation to create a mechanism to facilitate information sharing
14 in the spheres of medical technology and for an open discussion on medical issues
15 pertaining to the region;

16 5. *Further Encourages* cooperation beyond the regional level and the importance of
17 international cooperation for social development;

18 6. *Endorses* the formation of regional bodies to assess and allocate regional medical
19 resources and knowledge based on the needs of member states;

- 20 7. *Reminds* nation-states of the necessity of infrastructure reform within the country to help
21 better facilitate the development of healthcare;
- 22 8. *Requests* all willing and able nations as well as non-governmental organizations such as
23 Doctors Without Borders, Red Cross, and UNICEF to help provide aid and information
24 to countries who need these medical benefits;
- 25 9. *Expresses* hope that all nations can use this resolution to further development of health
26 care within their nation and for the international community.

Final Vote: 73 - 4 - 14