



American Model United Nations

Economic and Social Council

ECOSOC/I/2

SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: High Level Segment: Coordination Segment:
Sustained Economic Growth for Social
Development Including the Eradication of Poverty
and Hunger

SUBMITTED TO: The Economic and Social Council

SUBMITTED BY: Tunisia, Chad, China, Cuba, Guinea-Bissau,
Iceland, Indonesia, Italy, Mauritania, Republic of
Korea, Thailand, United Arab Emirates

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1 *Noting with appreciation* the successes of such institutions as the Grameen
2 Development Bank in demonstrating the ability of disadvantaged parties to utilize funds
3 responsibly with minimum oversight,
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5 *Further noting* the efficient and beneficial use of aid given on the terms of the
6 Beijing Declaration,
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8 *Recognizing* the central importance of solidarity and well-defined goals to the
9 effective use of aid to facilitate growth,
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11 *Affirming* the commitment of the IMF and the World Bank to development as per
12 the Millennium Development Goals, while concerned by the lack of representation
13 afforded to countries most affected by their policies,
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15 1. *Recommends* that developed countries give a greater credence to the
16 responsibility of developing countries with regard to aid;
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18 2. *Urges* that restrictions on aid be minimized when reasonable so as to maximize
19 the efficiency of such aid;
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21 3. *Declares* a commitment to growth and solidarity as being as essential to
22 effective use of aid;
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24 4. *Calls upon* the IMF and the World Bank to reconsider their policies to give
25 greater representation to developing countries proportional to their degree of socio-
26 economic status;
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28 5. *Recommends* that aid be based on the specific needs of the recipient in support
29 of their national investment and growth strategies.

Passed, Yes: 24 / No: 5 / Abstain: 14