



American Model United Nations
Sixth Committee

GA 6th/I/8

SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: Responsibility of States for Internationally Wrongful Acts

SUBMITTED TO: The Sixth Committee

SUBMITTED BY: Albania, Bangladesh, Afghanistan, Croatia, Bosnia-Herzegovina

The Sixth Committee

1 *Affirming* state sovereignty and recognizing the importance of not infringing on
2 independent nations,
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4 *Noting* with concern the political, social, and humanitarian problems of human
5 trafficking on a regional and international level as well as the complexities of addressing
6 non-state actors,
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8 *Affirming* the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, specifically Article 3,
9 which states that everyone has the right to life, liberty, and security,
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11 *Encouraging* all Member States to work towards their Millennium Development
12 Goals as stated in the Millennium Declaration,
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14 *Urging* to promote regional dialogue, cooperation, and information exchange
15 among Member States and commending Member States that provide aide to nations and
16 victims of human trafficking,
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18 *Further encouraging* all Member States to take action against human trafficking
19 and to ratify and adhere to all relevant treaties and protocols,
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21 1. *Recognizes* the importance of regional and local organizations while hoping to
22 expand and further develop regional programs, especially privately funded programs,
23 such as Daphne Initiative in The Republic Albania which specifically work to stop human
24 trafficking through violence prevention education, and public awareness campaigns and
25 further encourages Member States to strengthen existing regional programs and NGOs;
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27 2. *Suggests* voluntary participation in regional councils with the final intent of
28 developing cases to be submitted to the International Criminal Court and International
29 Court of Justice;
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31 3. *Notes* the economic factors involved in human trafficking as trafficking is often
32 the result of unemployment, lack of education, and vulnerability of women and children
33 and hopes that such incentives promote cooperation in regional councils;
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35 4. *Recommends* that Members States strive to meet their Millennium
36 Development Goals by the 2015 deadline;
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38 5. *Further recommends* that Members States in need of assistance for meeting the
39 Millennium Goals create national and regional organizations with the purpose of meeting
40 their Millennium Development Goals;
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42 6. *Draws* the attention of the international community to the children victimized
43 by human trafficking and further recommends that regional organizations, NGOs, and
44 national programs take action by introducing media campaigns and youth action plans in
45 order to education and aide in the prevention of human trafficking, specifically of
46 children;
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48 7. *Further requests* that Member States create and expand national legislation
49 regarding the protection of citizens, border control, training local officials, and
50 procedures for punishing acts of trafficking;
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52 8. *Recognizes* current work of Member States in aiding nations in times of
53 national crisis and urging further cooperation and assistance specifically to refugees and
54 displaced persons;
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56 9. *Commends and thanks* Member States for their work and participation while
57 emphasizing a further need for international cooperation.

Passed, Yes: 57 / No: 14 / Abstain: 18