



American Model United Nations

Economic and Social Council

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SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: Annual Ministerial Review: Implementing the Internationally Agreed Goals and Commitments in Regard to Sustainable Development

SUBMITTED TO: The Economic and Social Council

SUBMITTED BY: Philippines

The Economic and Social Council

1 *Alarmed* by the increasing global food shortage,

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3 *Deeply disturbed* by the recent food riots in multiple countries in several regions,

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5 *Noting with concern* the use of scarce food products in biofuels,

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7 *Affirming* the role that the use of biofuels has on environmental degradation,

8 particularly deforestation,

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10 *Recognizing* that this proposal would improve worldwide food security,

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12 1. *Recommends* that States work to reduce in hopes, of eventual elimination of the
13 use of edible agricultural products for biofuel;

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15 2. *Encourages* States and the private sector to fully harness agricultural waste
16 products for biofuel;

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18 3. *Recognizes* that a reduction in the use of edible agriculture products in biofuels
19 discourages deforestation.

Passed, Yes: 19 / No: 5 / Abstain: 10