



American Model United Nations  
**Second Committee**

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SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: Industrial Development Cooperation

SUBMITTED TO: The Second Committee

SUBMITTED BY: Belgium, Switzerland, Italy, Democratic People's  
Republic of Korea, Russian Federation, Greece,  
Bosnia-Herzegovina, Estonia, Serbia

*The Second Committee*

1           *Recalling* resolution A.RES.49/108 of 19 December 1994, A.RES.51/170 of 3 February  
2 1997, A.RES.59/249 of 22 December 2004, A.RES.61/215 of 8 March 2007 on industrial  
3 development cooperation,

5           *Reaffirming* the importance of industrialization as an essential factor in the continued  
6 economic growth and sustainable development of developing countries,  
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8           *Stressing* the need for enhanced international, regional, and subregional cooperation in  
9 the field of industrial development and further stressing the important role played by the United  
10 Nations system,  
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12           *Emphasizing* the role of United Nations and its related organizations, with emphasis on  
13 United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO), played in hastening industry  
14 development,  
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16           *Recognizing* the role of the business community, including the private sector, in  
17 enhancing the dynamic process of the development of the industrial sector, as well as  
18 underlining the importance of the benefits of foreign direct investment in that process,  
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20           1. *Encourages* UNIDO to continue to enhance its effectiveness, relevance and  
21 development impact by strengthening its cooperation with other institutions of the United  
22 Nations system at all levels;  
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24           2. *Calls upon* UNIDO to continue to carry out its mandate in the field of industrial  
25 development;  
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27           3. *Welcomes* any country offering any kind of resource or aid facilitating the  
28 improvement of the process of industrial development cooperation;  
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30           4. *Urges* the direction of funds, including grants and low interest loans, toward programs  
31 and initiatives that will promote industrial development;  
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33           5. *Facilitates* the process of industrial development in developing countries as follows:

- 34 (a) Requests that UNIDO offer annual reports of the situation of the industrial  
35 development in developing countries to monitor the usage of resources;  
36 (b) Encourages countries to continue and enhance regional conferences to form a  
37 platform for dialogue to share valuable experience or information with each other;  
38 (c) Supports the mutually beneficial transfer of technology to developing  
39 countries and the provision of assistance to strengthen the productive capacity of developing  
40 countries by scaling up the technical and financial resource flows for basic infrastructure, in  
41 addition to facilitating foreign direct investment;  
42 (d) Supports the establishment of educational programs and technical training in  
43 respective countries in accordance with each individual states' specific needs;  
44 (e) Also calls for the continued use of all other resources, including private,  
45 public, foreign and domestic resources to further industrial development in the developing and  
46 emerging countries;  
47 (f) Promotes South-South cooperation, North-South cooperation as well as  
48 triangular cooperation and regional cooperation in terms of trade, investment, technology and  
49 knowledge transfer;  
50 (g) Strengthens programs of technical and financial support to Small and  
51 Medium-sized Enterprises (SMEs) in developing countries;

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53 6. *Urges* continued consideration of the United Nations Development Program report on  
54 the 11 November 2007 which concluded that the nations most affected by global warming are  
55 still developing nations;

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57 7. *Stresses* the need for more sustainable use of natural resources in accordance with the  
58 Kyoto Protocols, development of green technology, and emphasis on issues regarding global  
59 warming and climate change in industry in an effort to reduce negative environmental impacts  
60 while reducing costs and increasing competitiveness when developing industries inside the  
61 countries;

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63 8. *Recognizes* the right of countries to decide their own industrial development strategies  
64 based on the level, rate, and pace of their development as well as capacity;

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66 9. *Reaffirms* that industrialization is an essential factor in sustained economic growth,  
67 sustainable development, eradication of poverty of developing countries, as well as the creation  
68 of productive employment, income generation, and the facilitation of social integration;

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70 10. *Encourages* member states to open markets to developing countries to promote  
71 industrial development to aid developing countries.

Passed, Yes: 58 / No: 12 / Abstain: 23