



American Model United Nations
Economic and Social Council

ECOSOC/II/2

SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: Mainstreaming A Gender Perspective Into All Policies
and Programmes In The United Nations System

SUBMITTED TO: The Economic and Social Council

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1 *Having adopted* the Millennium Development Goals in order to promote better living
2 circumstances throughout all Member-States,

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4 *Continuing* the initial fervor created by these goals as well as the initial progress,

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6 *Having analyzed* the implementations and effects of the Millennium Development
7 Goals in Member States,

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9 *Recognizing* each Member-States' initial commitment and desire for progress on the
10 Millennium Development Goals,

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12 *Taking into consideration* the progress made on some aspects of Goal 3, such as an
13 increase in primary education for women,

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15 *Concerned* with the lack of progress in other aspects of Goal 3, such as the low
16 percentage of women in high ranking positions within Member States,

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18 *Commending* the work previously accomplished by Member States on the
19 Millennium Development Goals,

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21 1. *Calls upon* Member States to reaffirm their commitment to the Millennium
22 Development Goals and reestablish their initial fervor toward the completion of the
23 Millennium Development Goals;

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25 2. *Notes* the body's original goal aspiration to accomplish the Millennium
26 Development Goals by 2015;

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28 3. *Encourages* Member States to coordinate with the United Nations Development
29 Programs, UN Women, and/or other organizations which promote international gender
30 quality;

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32 4. *Expresses its hope* for a high level of progress, similar to that of previous
33 accomplishments in working with the Millennium Development Goals;

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35 5. *Asks* that developed countries and non-governmental organizations establish and
36 support (monetarily and in-kind), an incentive program, with the help of the office of the
37 Secretary-General and United Nations Women, to provide needed funding to developing
38 nations in order to increase the representation of women in international and domestic
39 offices;

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41 6. *Calls for* United Nations Women to establish monitoring systems for determining
42 the effectiveness of the program and to increase transparency of the program's
43 implementation;

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45 7. *Encourages* Member States to reprioritize support for Millennium Development
46 Goal Three: Promote Gender Equality and Empower Women.

Passed, Yes: 16 / No: 2 / Abstain: 9