



American Model United Nations
General Assembly Plenary

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SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East

SUBMITTED TO: The General Assembly Plenary

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1 *Confident* that the creation of a Nuclear Weapon Free Zone (NWFZ) in the Middle
2 East is possible,

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4 *Believing* that defining the Middle East is critical, that definition should come
5 from regional negotiations of any and all parties, and that the Middle Eastern region is of
6 particular importance to the maintenance of international peace and security,

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8 *Recognizing* the importance of the Treaty on Non-Proliferation of Nuclear
9 Weapons in an effort to realize the end goal of both regional and international peace and
10 stability,

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12 *Recognizing* the technical expertise of the International Atomic Energy Agency
13 (IAEA) as it relates to nuclear technology,

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15 *Further recognizing* the Treaty of Tlatelolco and all other treaties that establish
16 NWFZ,

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18 *Bearing in mind* the inalienable right of all Member States to acquire and develop
19 nuclear energy for peaceful purposes,

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21 *Emphasizing* the necessity of a forum for negotiations including the participation
22 of all Middle Eastern Member States,

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24 1. *Calls upon* the importance of all Middle Eastern Member States to accede to
25 the Treaty on the Non-Proliferation of Nuclear Weapons;

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27 2. *Urges* the re-establishment of negotiations between all Middle Eastern Member
28 States on this topic;

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30 3. *Welcomes* Member States' peaceful use of nuclear energy;

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32 4. *Further requests* that any negotiations conducted within the Middle East
33 include include all parties in the region;

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35 5. *Encourages* all Middle Eastern Member States to work together to create a

39 mutually agreed upon system for the reliable verification concerning the tenants of the
40 possible NWFZ;

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42 6. *Recognizes* the necessity of transparency and inspections pending the creation
43 of a NWFZ in the Middle East.

Passed, Yes: 63 / No: 23 / Abstain: 16