



American Model United Nations
Economic Commission for Europe

ECE/II/2

SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: Sustainable energy

SUBMITTED TO: The Economic Commission for Europe

The Economic Commission for Europe,

1 *Focused on* designing strategies and frameworks for allocating spending on infrastructure and energy devel-
2 opment,

3 *Reiterating* that many developing Member States have the neither the capital nor the expertise necessary to
4 begin this transition on their own,

5 *Acknowledging* the neccessity to create an open and viable international market for renewable and sustainable
6 energy,

7 *Focused on* designing strategies and frameworks for allocating spending on infrastructure and energy devel-
8 opment,

9 *Deeply disturbed* by the corruption and possible misallocation of investment funds,

10 *Emphasizing* that all Member States should be involved in a fair investment process,

11 1. *Calls upon* the Economic Commission for Europe to create and maintain a database to provide possible
12 investors with information that will be used to aid in investments in developing Member States' infrastructural costs
13 as identified by the Energy Infrastructure and Efficiency Committee of the Commission:

14 (a) *Urges* existing institutions such as the IMF, World Bankand the United Nations Development
15 Programme to utilize a low interest loan repayment schedule for the purpose of stimulating sustainable energy
16 development, with special focus on small and developing Member States;

17 2. *Involves* the Group of Experts on Energy Efficiency(GEEE) in the allocation and investment of funds for
18 sustainable energy:

19 (a) *Encourages* that the GEEE will provide consultation on sustainable energy policies and strategies
20 for Member States;

21 (b) *Emphasizes* that the GEEE can advise on policy recommendations to individual Member States;

22 3. *Urges* existing institutions such as the IMF, World Bankand the United Nations Development Program-
23 meto utilize a lowinterest loan repayment schedule for the purpose of stimulating sustainable energy development,
24 with special focus on small and developing Member States:

25 (a) In doing so support and facilitate a healthy degree of capital controls on creditor Member States
26 in order to prevent excessive speculation and other unstable borrowing practices;

27 4. *Further recommends* foreign investment tax reliefs to encourage investments in sustainable energy versus-
28 fossil fuels:

29 (a) *Encourages* that each Member State's central finance organization operates with the intent to
30 decrease trade barriers on importing and exporting sustainable energy equipments;

31 (b) *Recommends* governments with the cooperation of the private sector to create a tax relief op-
32 portunity for qualified foreign investors that will open factories for sustainable energy program;

33 5. *Affirms* that the program will remain exclusive to Member States of the Commission and will help the
34 Commission to better understand the successfulness of this attempt through research before sharing the technology
35 with the world market;

36 6. *Recommends* Member States increase investment in sustainable energy by 15% in 5 years.

Passed, Yes: 32 / No: 2 / Abstain: 6