American Model United Nations
General Assembly Plenary (Concurrent)

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SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: Review of the United Nations peacebuilding architecture

SUBMITTED TO: The General Assembly Plenary (Concurrent)

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Recognizing the United Nations Peacebuilding Commission’s past and current initiatives,

Bearing in mind every Member States’ sovereignty and religious freedom,

Seeking peacebuilding operations to prevent relapsing and future conflicts,

Acknowledging the importance of post-conflict reconciliation,

Reaffirming General Assembly Resolution A/70/1 of 21 October 2015,

Fully believing in the power of peace,

Guided by a deep desire for a better world,

Having examined previous attempts at peace building,

Regretting the lives already lost to the lack of peace,

Promoting Member State cooperation,

1. Requests that all Member States formulate policies to take preventive measures against conflict by:
   (a) Establishing common goals for Member States;
   (b) Having transparent communication between Member States;
   (c) Encouraging collaboration among Member States;

2. Urges all Member States to strive for proper living standards for all citizens with respect to:
   (a) Respecting their individualized religions and contrasting cultures;
   (b) Acknowledging different perspectives and moral standards;

3. Recommends the Establishment of the Cultural Religious Ethnic Gender Discrimination Association (CREGDA) which will:
   (a) Mediate issues of discrimination such as;
      (i) Cultural discrimination;
      (ii) Religious discrimination;
      (iii) Ethnic discrimination;
      (iv) Gender discrimination;
   (b) Promote dialogue between different parties and actors involved;
   (c) Not play the role of arbitrators or jurors, and that the mediation results should not be binding;
   (d) Recruit only neutral of volunteer mediators, which is crucial to CREGDA’s mission;

4. Strongly suggests that Member States contribute to preventive measures by means of:
   (a) Monetary contributions;
   (b) Enacting relevant policies;
(c) Joining, acknowledging and contributing to CREGDA;

5. *Calls upon* Member States to create and maintain conditions in which the transition from peacekeeping to peacebuilding is supported through state behaviors that:

(a) Raise awareness of tactics to create peace;
(b) Ensure proper training of peacekeepers in regional and cultural differences;
(c) Create a safe environment to talk about cultural differences;

6. *Recommends* that funding for CREGDA is provided by Member States in an effort to:

7. Effectively transition from peacekeeping to peacebuilding;
8. Accommodate Member States with different forms of government;
9. Incorporate Member States with different forms of religion;
10. Help further peacebuilding between actors;
11. Build lasting peacebuilding measures;
12. *Endorses* Member States to consider lifting sanctions in view of peacekeeping actions taken;
13. *Emphasizes* the necessity of state transparency regarding issues categorized under CREGDA’s parameters of conflicts such as but not limited to:

(a) Border disputes;
(b) Terrorism;
(c) Embargos;
(d) Armed conflicts;
(e) Genocide;
(f) Ethnic cleansing;

14. *Stresses* how transparency can minimize collateral damage in conflicts, and facilitate peacebuilding efforts.

Passed, Yes: 22 / No: 0 / Abstain: 2