



American Model United Nations
Commission on Population and Development

CPD/II/3

SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: Population, food security, nutrition and sustainable development

SUBMITTED TO: The Commission on Population and Development

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- 1 *Understanding* that conflict creates mass amounts of food insecurity,
- 2 *Declaring* that conflict is defined by the United Nations 2020 Global Report on Food Crises as interstate
3 conflicts, internal violence, regional or global instability, civil unrest or political crises leading to displacements,
- 4 *Noting with approval* Security Council Resolution 2417 which outlawed starvation as a weapon of war,
- 5 *Bearing in mind* that Member States not facing famine but still in conflict, such as Ukraine or Afghanistan,
6 have had limited access to food resources include grain,
- 7 *Noting with concern* that the historical conflict occurring in Gaza is leaving over 2.2 million displaced civilians
8 with no access to food or water,
- 9 *Deeply disturbed by* sanctions which have raised the cost of staple crops for civilians around the world,
- 10 *Reflecting that* civilians in war-stricken countries should not have to struggle for basic food,
- 11 *Emphasizing* that 60 percent of individuals suffering from food insecurity are in states affected by conflict,
- 12 *Encouraging* initiatives to support refugee-receiving countries in obtaining sufficient food and resources to
13 alleviate hunger of internally displaced people and ease the burden of the countries,
- 14 1. *Stresses that* those living in conflict-stricken countries such as Burkina Faso, Nigeria, Palestine, South
15 Sudan and Yemen now face an elevated risk of famine;
- 16 2. *Proposes* that humanitarian aid is funded through the World Food Programme (WFP) and Non-
17 Governmental Organizations (NGOs) to civilians in situations comparable to those in Gaza, who are displaced
18 from their homes;
- 19 3. *Reaffirms* that the aid is strictly for food and water to ensure food security to civilians in areas of conflict;
- 20 4. *Emphasizes* the need for Member States to avoid sanctioning agricultural products, tools and industries;
- 21 5. *Urges* the international community to assist in rebuilding agricultural assets by encouraging countries and
22 international organizations to provide financial assistance to fund agriculture Artificial Intelligence recovery projects,
23 and help with supply seeds and livestock;
- 24 6. *Encourages* the use of diplomatic initiatives to prevent food shortages caused by international disputes.

Passed by consensus, with 0 abstentions