

REVISIONS TO A/C.3/60/L.36: THE RIGHT TO DEVELOPMENT

1. In the first footnote, at the end of the sentence, please add the words “and China”.
2. Since the introduction of this draft resolution on the 11th of November, three new preambular paragraphs have been added to this text. The new preambular paragraphs are:

pp1bis **“Recalling the Universal Declaration on Human Rights as well as the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights and the International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights,”**

pp1ter **“Recalling also the outcomes of all the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic and social fields,”**

pp4bis **“Reaffirming the universality, indivisibility, interrelatedness, interdependence and mutually reinforcing nature of all civil, cultural, economic, political and social rights, including the right to development,”**

3. In the current preambular paragraph 5, which has now become preambular paragraph 8 after the insertion of the new preambular paragraphs mentioned earlier, replace the word “welcoming” with “**recalling**”. Similarly, in the now renumbered preambular paragraph 9, also replace the word “welcoming” with “**recalling**”.
4. In the operative section of the text, amendments have also been made in OP3. Replace current operative paragraph 3 with the following text:

OP3. **“Notes with appreciation that the high-level task force, at its second meeting examined Millennium Development Goal 8 on a global partnership for development and suggested criteria for its periodic evaluation with the aim of improving the effectiveness of global partnership with regard to the realization of the right to development,”**

5. Operative paragraph 6 has been updated to take note of the last session of the Social Forum, which was held in Geneva in July of this year.
6. The operative paragraph 5 in the original text have also been revised to note that the Sub-Commission on Human Rights has decided to submit the concept document, the paragraph would now read as follows:

OP5. **“Notes with appreciation that the Sub-Commission on the Promotion and Protection of Human Rights has decided at its fifty-seventh session to submit the concept document establishing options and their feasibility for the implementation of the right to development to the Commission on Human Rights at its sixty-second session and in this regard calls on the Commission to give due consideration to the options contained therein and requests the Secretary-General to report on progress in this regard to the General Assembly at its sixty-first session,”**

7. In operative paragraph 9, in the first line, replace the word “basic” with “**primary**”.
8. Operative paragraph 10 has been amended to read as follows:

OP10. “*Reaffirms the **primary responsibility of** States to create national and international conditions favourable to the realization of the right to development **as well as** their commitment to **cooperate** with each other to that end,”*

9. In operative paragraph 26, in the first line, add the following words “**and effective,**” after the word “concrete”, replace the words “fight against” with “**prevent, combat and criminalize**” as well as replace “national and international” with “**all**” so it would read “all levels”. Lastly, in this paragraph, after the “international cooperation I asset recovery” in the fourth line add “**consistent with the principles of the United Nations Convention against Corruption, particularly Chapter V**” and the rest of the paragraph follows as is. So the operative paragraph 26 would now read:

OP26. “*Emphasizes the urgent need for taking concrete **and effective** measures to **prevent, combat and criminalize** all forms of corruption **all** levels, to prevent, detect and deter in a more effective manner international transfers of illicitly acquired assets and to strengthen international cooperation in asset recovery **consistent with the principles of United Nations Convention against Corruption, particularly Chapter V**, stresses the importance of a genuine political commitment on the part of all Governments through a firm legal framework, and in this context urges States to sign and ratify as soon as possible, and States parties to implement effectively, the United Nations Convention against Corruption”*

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