Commission: Health and Population

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QUESTION OF: REINFORCING THE UNITED NATIONS CONVENTION PROTOCOLS AGAINST TRANSNATIONAL ORGANISED CRIME TO PREVENT AND SUPPRESS HUMAN TRAFFICKING, ESPECIALLY CONCERNING WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

The General Assembly,

<u>Taking into account</u> the fact that despite the variety of international instruments with rules and practical measures to combat the exploitation of people, especially women and children, there is no universal instrument that addresses all aspects of such trafficking,

<u>Alarmed</u> that the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crimes (UNODC) states that human trafficking is all over the world in forms of 'Trafficking of Children', 'Sex Trafficking', 'Forced Marriage', 'Labour Trafficking', and 'Trafficking of Organ',

<u>Grieved</u> by the fact that despite the advent of human rights, there is still gender discrimination as far as education is concerned though the Human Rights Charter states that everyone has the right to education,

<u>Fully alarmed</u> that some 8.4 million children were engaged in the worst forms of child labour,

1. <u>Emphasizes</u> that Human Trafficking happens because of economic exploitation, injustice, and political marginalization, as well as an unstable economy and poor education,

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2. <u>Draws the attention of the UN to create organizations to help the victims</u> of Human Trafficking by providing them counselling for physical and emotional needs, and medical care, in order for them to re-stabilize themselves;

3. <u>Appeals</u> to security forces to collaborate with victims of Human Trafficking to be able to trace and locate national and international traffickers;

4. <u>Endorses</u> further researches and assessments to understand and monitor better movement of national and international traffickers and create new laws for the protection of citizens;

5. <u>Calls</u> for the development of a United Nations Trust Fund that will be invested in security of women and children who are at risk of trafficking;

6. <u>Expressing its appreciation</u> to United Nations Global Initiative to Fight Human Trafficking (UN.GIFT) for fighting to eradicate human trafficking by supporting the prosecution of criminals involved, while respecting the fundamental rights of all persons;

7. <u>Calls</u> for Anti-Slavery International organization and other organizations that encourage voluntary donations from the private transnational sector to aid in funding the eradication of human slavery and its causes from the world;

8. <u>Recommends</u> the creation of undercover an inter-governmental organization made up of specialized units to infiltrate criminal groups involved in human trafficking;

9. <u>Urges</u> member states to to set up effective mechanisms to help immigrants victims of human trafficking get justice and eventually return to their respective native countries;

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10. <u>Directs</u> member states to amend anti-trafficking laws to remove sentencing provisions that allow fines in lieu of imprisonment and to increase the penalties prescribed for trafficking crimes to include a minimum of no less than four years imprisonment;

11. <u>Further appeals</u> to all member states and regional economic organizations to sign and ratify the United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime and the protocols thereto as soon as possible to ensure the speedy entry into force of the Convention and the protocols thereto.