

### SAMPLE RESOLUTION 3

QUESTION OF: Enhancing the process of dismantling nuclear weapons as established by UN Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons dated 7<sup>th</sup> July, 2017 and addressing armed conflict in the Ukraine

THE DISARMAMENT COMMITTEE,

Fully aware of the catastrophic consequences of the use of nuclear weapons on humanity and the detrimental effects caused by contamination on the environment,

Believing most nations agree that the prohibition of nuclear weapons is the only way to ultimately eliminate them,

Noting with satisfaction that the NPT is a binding multilateral treaty showing a commitment by the nuclear weapon states to the ultimate goal of disarmament,

Convinced that the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons is a solid step forward in achieving an international goal for a world free of weapons of mass destruction,

Emphasizing that adherence to past treaties and memorandums assures the success of future ones by instilling trust among nations,

Deeply concerned by the ongoing conflicts in Ukraine as a result of non-adherence to the Budapest Memorandum and the Minsk Protocol,

Further imploring the implementation of the peacemaking measures agreed upon in the Minsk Protocol,

1. Emphasizes the importance of all nations to join the Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons especially nuclear states which would consolidate their commitment to a future free of catastrophic nuclear destruction;

2. Regrets a failure to come to a consensus substantive outcome during the 2015 review conference on the Non Proliferation Treaty which emphasizes a greater need for nations to work together in order to make successful progress to deeper commitments through legally binding treaties such as the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons possible;
3. Reminds nations that the non-adherence to past commitments breeds mistrust among nations leading to conflict:
  - a. Enforcement of cease-fires and removal of heavy artillery as agree upon in the Minsk protocol are vital for establishing stability in Ukraine;
  - b. Continue talks in order to find realistic and acceptable solutions to the Donbass crisis that can be adhered to;
4. Reminds signatories of the Budapest Memorandum of the commitments made relating to Ukraine's sovereignty and borders in return for Ukraine's complete disarmament;
5. Calls upon all UN nations to pursue peaceful dialogue as a means to solutions to conflicts;
6. Requests leaders of UN nations to focus on resolving the humanitarian economic and environmental crisis caused by years of armed conflict in the Ukraine in order to end the human suffering and move forward with a view to economic growth and prosperity for the Ukraine and Europe:
  - a. all humanitarian aid needs to be supervised on its way to its destination in order to avoid theft;
  - b. access to essential food has to be made available by offering financial assistance to poverty-stricken households;
7. Expresses its hopes in a weapons-free world with a continued effort in disarmament offering future generations a solid

foundation on which to build stronger mutually beneficial international relations.