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# Committee & Council Updates

#### GENERAL ASSEMBLY PLENARY

The Concurrent General As-The Concurrent General Sembly Plenary passed draft resolution GAPlen/I/5 Monday morning. The draft resolution calls for enforcement of all existing resolutions and encourages collaboration among Member States.

#### **GA FIRST COMMITTEE**

The General Assembly First Committee continues discourse on Preventing the Acquisition by Terrorists of Radioactive Sources. It has yet to consider its first topic area, dealing with biological and toxic weapons.

#### GA SECOND COMMITTEE

The GA Second Committee began Monday morning, 19 November, by voting down a Libya-sponsored draft resolution advocating for the avoidance of economic sanctions when threatening food security. The result of the roll call vote was 28/30/35.

#### GA THIRD COMMITTEE

4 The Third Committee is debating resolutions on the topic of the United Nations Literacy Decade: Education for All. Several representatives have stated that this process is going more slowly than necessary due to problems with bureaucracy.

#### GA FOURTH COMMITTEE

5 On Monday morning, the Fourth Committee changed topics from the Occupation of the Syrian Golan to Assistance in Mine Action. Much of the Committee's time was devoted to caucusing.

#### HUMAN RIGHTS COUNCIL

Representatives were work-6 Representatives were working to complete their reports and have 14 signatures on their sponsorship forms by the 8:00 pm deadline. All reports are to be presented to the General Assembly tomorrow.

#### **ECOSOC**

The Economic and Social The Economic and occur.
Council passed a number of utions, including one by cor sensus. Much work remains before the body, however, as there are still a number of draft resolutions that have yet to be voted on by the Council.

## **ESCAP**

Pacific brought draft resolution ESCAP/I/1 to the floor Monday morning. The committee is currently discussing potential amend-

### **CPD**

The Commission for Population and Development is currently focusing its efforts on debating resolutions and writing reports on the topics of healthcare, education, and migration. The Members of the Commission have been actively seeking consensus through compromise.



Representatives from Peru address the Press and call for better plans for disaster prevention and response.

## PERU CALLS FOR BETTER NATURAL DISASTER RESPONSE

Grace Pastoor

Reporter for GA Plenary & ESCAP

Representatives Erin Burneson and Melissa Runnion of Peru, who sit on the Concurrent General Assembly Plenary, held a press conference the morning of Monday, 19 November to promote awareness of their draft resolution calling

for a revision to the cluster approach, a strategy for dealing with natural disasters that involves categorizing countries into regions.

The representatives hope the draft resolution will help avoid passing money through unstable governments while promoting state sovereignty by allowing individual nations to choose the organization that will have fiscal responsibility for disaster relief.

The draft resolution has garnered support from 20 countries, including the Philippines, Singapore, Somalia, Haiti and Mexico.

# **ECOSOC** A RESOLUTION PASSING MACHINE

ECOSOC passes three draft resolutions Monday morning.

#### By Shane Sundholm Reporter for ECOSOC

In the past 24 hours, ECO-SOC has passed resolutions ECOSOC/I/1, ECOSOC/I/2 and ECOSOC/I/3. After a slow start, the body has since become efficient and goal orientated, as evidenced by resolution ECOSOC/I/3 passing by consensus.

There are still a number of proposed resolutions that have not been brought to the floor for debate, however. This is of concern for representatives because the Council has temporarily decided to move onto topic area two, which pertains to gender perspectives. The body has agreed this issue de-

serves adequate attention as well.

A main concern for representatives is the specific language within each resolution. Most agree with the purpose or idea of the resolution, but remain persistent on getting the wording right. If the body is to make significant progress on topic area two, it is vital that holdups are limited.

# CIVIL WAR IN SYRIA CONFLICT PROBLEMATIC FOR SC

By Benjamin Theobald Reporter for Security Council

The Security Council is working on a resolution to deal with the violence in Syria occurring between the government and rebel groups.

The Russian Federation, and Guatemala are sponsoring the resolution, which seeks to stabilize the region by calling for an immediate ceasefire imposed upon both sides of the conflict.

Representative Eric pert of the Russian Federation said that they are working closely with a number of different states to "reach a consensus" on helping the people of Syria.

Sippert believes that it is important to make sure the UN does not overstep any boundaries by violating the state sovereignty of Syria.

"We believe that state sover-eignty is one of the founding principles of the United Nations," Sippert said. "We must be extremely cautious to not overstep that." Sippert noted that the reb-

el forces in Syria are not the 'voice" of the Syrian people. "They are not united," Sipsaid. Permanent Representative Lemi Tilahun of Turkey spoke to the Security Council on the issue of Syria fir-

ing into the territory of Turkey.
"We hope that the Security Council can empathize enough with Turkey to understand that we will have to act in the best matter to protect our national security, which is a priority," Tilahun said. "We need to make sure our innocent civilians and also the refugees that are flowing away from the tension get the best possible protection."

# HSC90 **Esteemed Representatives:**

**OPEN LETTER TO** 

While I have enjoyed sitting in on your Council and documenting your progress over the past few days, I feel like the recent draft resolution and respective amendments need to be addressed.

This resolution is rather one sided. You are all quick to condemn South Africa's actions in invading Namibia, but you neglect to acknowledge the fact that everything it is doing is in response to Cuba's actions. South Africa would not have militarized had Cuba not refused to move above the 13th parallel. In addition, it is troublesome to watch a resolution and multiple amendments pass unanimously without any mention of Cuba's part in this conflict. Cuba is also culpable and deserves the same level of condemnation and sanctions applied to South Africa.

While the rest of the world may consider Namibia sovereign, the reality is that they are functionally a part of South Africa and thus cannot be sovereign unless South Africa allows it. It is not as if South Africa is unwilling to do this. However, Cuba must uphold its end of the agreement. This game of "my gun is bigger" must stop before the Namibian capital falls and there is no longer hope. Both sides need to agree to withdraw in a timely fashion and honor their agreement as established by the New York Accords.

As a member of the press, I have no say in the council. However, I do have the power of the written and published word. I urge you all to consider this letter and take to heart the suggestions above.

Respectfully, Tory Martinez,

Reporter for HSC48

go to this Expo?

International Press Delegation

# THE AMUN GRADUATE SCHOOL AND CAREER EXPO By Darren Meeker

Success is easier to achieve when you have a plan laid out in advance, and the schools present at tomorrow's AMUN Graduate School and Career Expo can help you develop that plan. With schools such as the University of Kentucky, Pepperdine University, and the John Marshall Law School

coming tomorrow, who would not

Located on the Ballroom Promenade of the hotel, the Expo will take place from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm on Tuesday, 20 November. As the General Assembly committees transition into the General Assembly Plenary and the Conference comes to a close, stop by and speak with the visiting schools and organizations. These organizations will help you to follow your passions and pursue a career you love.

# THE IGNOBLE ART OF DELAY

#### By Mark Bochucinski Reporter for GA1

In General Assembly First Committee, Representative Sam Mulopulos from Chad was giving a speech and was interrupted for not wearing his suit jacket. In this situation, using Rule 6.1, Point of Order, will slightly disrupt the speaker. Similar situations may give rise to stalling tactics, or filibustering. The ultimate goal of using rules in this manner can be to take away as much time as possible from the current resolution. For example, when draft resolutions are up for consideration, opposing Member States may try to move Rule 7.1, Suspension of the Meeting, for the reason of informal caucusing.

When informally caucusing, a representative will try to persuade as many Member States to join his or her side as possible. After a representative on the floor speaks in favor of a draft resolution he or she may accept points of inquiry and others will attempt to ask as many questions as possible and to speak in opposition to the draft. These delaying tactics serve for nothing more than to waste time and act on hopes that the body will become exhausted with the topic and move on. Speakers feel pressed for time when limits are set on debate, because this does not allow them to convey ideas with the same liberty which limited debate allows. the failure of such motions can help the body reach the final goal is to gain precious time, which is extremely valuable tool. However, using these tactics will most likely yield some frustrated representatives.

When You Go To The Dance...

Remember that Rule 2.2 Diplomatic Courtesy remains in effect at all times. Additionally you **must** wear your credentials to gain admittance to the dance. Happy Halloween!

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# Security Council & ICJ Updates

CONTEMPORARY SECURITY COUNCIL

1 The Security Council passed resolution SC/5 by a vote of 12 in favor, 0 opposed, and 3 absentions. The resolution promotes financial stabalization in order to create peace and security in African nations.

HISTORICAL SECURITY COUNCIL '48

After World War II, the United Kingdom had to decolonize the Indian subcontinent, but kept India in the Commonwealth. Shortly thereafter, the British turned control over to Pakistan and India, allowing the Princely States to decide which of the two countries to accede too. After many riots in Kashmir, the Maharajah asked India for help, later acceding to India.

#### HISTORICAL SECURITY COUNCIL '90

The Historical Security Council of 1990 voted on several amendments to Resolution HSC90/II/3, which concerns the situation in Namibia. This resolution has the potential to ease tensions in the Sub-Saharan African region.

#### INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE

The ICJ spent Monday evening debating the case of The Democratic Republic of the Congo v. Uganda, which was decided in favor of the DRC. The Court also heard the case of The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia v. Greece. The decision will be announced Tuesday at 2:45 pm.

Home Government: Your source for role players, information on your country's policies, and information on any of the AMUN topics under debate.

#### Press Releases

GA1 - Ukraine

Ukraine is extremely pleased with the passage of resolution GA First/II/1 in the General Assembly First Committee. As a nation which has already completed nuclear disarmament, Ukraine is excited to see other nations begin along the same road. Ukraine believes that proceeding toward nuclear disarmament is critical to impairing terrorists from obtaining nuclear sources, and that the fear of terrorist organizations obtaining nuclear weapons is very real and must be considered. The resolution's transparency clauses, especially operative clause 4, which encourages adopting a transfer verification protocol for nuclear sources, are much to Ukraine's liking and a critical step toward identifying both the methods by which peaceful non-state organizations obtain nuclear sources and preventing terrorist organizations from obtaining nuclear sources by similar methods. As a signatory of the Non-Proliferation Treaty, Ukraine also supports the resolution's encouragement of nations to sign onto and ratify the treaty. Ukraine would like to restate its pleasure at the passing of resolution GA First/II/1 in the GA First Committee and is excited to continue doing good work with all committees throughout the conference. GA4 - China

The People's Republic of China has worked diligently with other nations throughout this conference. As we have seen in the Fourth Committee, one problem with the topic of the Golan Heights is pointing out the largest underlying issue: Korea. China is strong on

uniting these countries this week. GAPlen - Tanzania

The United Republic of Tanzania believes there is an ongoing conspiracy when it comes to a discussion of the effects of global warming on natural disasters. Instead of deliberating about how to mitigate climate change, which is real and anthropogenic, GA Plenary representatives have spent their time worrying about specific disasters. All of these impacts are exacerbated by global warming. This silence seems to be deliberate and betrays the blindness of the international community to the biggest and most widespread risk to humanity.

GA1 - Palestine
Earlier today, 18 November, the United States of America in the General Assembly First Committee remained in a co-operative silence as the nation of Israel was called a terrorist-state. The nation of Palestine clearly appreciates this open show of support by the United States of America. Palestine looks forward to future cooperation with the United States of America in the push for putting an end to the occupation of Palestine.

HSC90 - Cote d'Ivoire

With regard to South Africa's continuing aggression in Namibia and further advance towards the Namibian capital, we actively denounce and will not tolerate the South African disregard for international law and deplore their disrespect of the Namibian people's inherent right to self-determination. We encourage the international community to suspend diplomatic ties with South Africa until it makes strides to withdraw its troops from Namibia.

Furthermore, we support the suspension of South Africa from the United Nations until South Africa officially recognizes Namibia's independence and withdraws its military presence. We also repeat our strong conviction that South Africa alone does not know what is best for sub-Saharan Africa, as it is a single state attempting to assert its dominance over the region. The people of sub-Saharan Africa are the only legitimate body that should decide the area's future, and all external influence is viewed by the Organization of African Unity as imperialistic and unproductive. **GA1 - United States** 

The United States of America strongly condemns the action that the USSR has taken on the issue of the situation in Palestine. They do not have the means or the action to care about the people in the region. The USSR has lost all focus and responsibility on the issue at hand. They have pressured us and other nations to support equality, and we have done that and now they have vetoed a draft resolution in the interest of the body. As of now the United States has taken military action under our own reasoning and will help the United Kingdom to help re-stablize Palestine. In regard to Berlin, the United States will not create a war or a cause to start a nuclear war. We will follow the Truman Doctrine and our allies the United Kingdom, China and France in solving the issues surrounding Berlin.

# How AMUN COMPARES

By Hannah Bates Reporter for GA4

Many representatives who are attending the AMUN conference this year have attended numerous other Model UN conferences. Some have attended conferences at the high school level, and others have attended college-level conferences. The opinions on how AMUN compares to various other conferences are completely different, depending on who is asked. Representative Connor Gordon of Nigeria said, compared to high school, "This is taken a lot more seriously."

Kimberly Adkins, a representative from Cote d'Ivoire also said "debate has been more mature" at AMUN than in high school conferences. On the college level, some representatives found that AMUN had a larger variety of schools than other conferences they had attended. Many representatives noted that certain features of the Conference, such as rules and organization, are different than other conferences they had attended.

#### **#AMUN Tweets:**

And the question comes up again as to why I don't live in Chicago. Best city.

Every time I see Kazakhstan here I start singing the Borat national anthem to myself.

I swear if I am told to waste one more piece of paper I'm going to stage a damn riot.

Congratulations to my fellow delegates; we have efficiently become less efficient than the US congress.

Just ran up 16 flights of stairs to get to committee on time.

Model United Nations is just LARPing for political science nerds.

Debating what to debate is my least favorite kind of debate.

For once I made my deadline.

#### Personal Ads:

'Shout out to the AW in HSC48. So Adorable!" - Apartment 1215-12

The real United Nations should consider sending some of there own representatives to AMUN to witness how diplomacy is really displayed

AMUN Dance tonight and I need a date, who would like to be my pirate mate??

Megwards aka our favorite Cool Aunt. When do you turn 28????

JB, the Sickly African Traveler & the Blue Eyed Giant,
Our handshake is almost complete, due to the integration of the Ohio dream team into the Committee.

Sass on, Cruiser

# Focus Shifts to Passing Resolutions and Monitoring Global Conflicts



HSC90

Cuba ponders the situation in HSC90.

Personal Ads:

While not everyone enjoys a pickle, they are my

bread and butter meal,

and I always relish the time spent masticating

one. -- Mr Vlassic

Kazakhstan delegates to the General Plenary are the best

delegates representing the

best country in the world.

We encourage anyone to

send them praise. Shout out

to Panama!!

It was a dark day in 4th committee.

Two Gavels to the Face!



CPD

CPD votes on a draft resolution in their last session.



ESCAP

Members deliberate on draft resolutions in ESCAP.



**GA Plenary** 

Debate continues on all topics in General Assembly Plenary.

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#### CRISIS IN KASHMIR

By Darren Meeker Reporter for HSC48

Rebels invaded Kashmir, which led to Kashmir's accession to India. According to a transmission from India, the rebels have caused chaos and disorder, and Pakistan is to blame. These rebels allegedly received support in the form of food, clothing, military supplies and more from Pakistan. Representative Janessa Dennis of Pakistan stated quite the contrary, however: "India is trying to figure out where all of this is coming from, blaming Pakistan because it is most logical to them. These allegations are completely false."

Representatives on the Historical Security Council of 1948 have passed a resolution establishing peace talks in Ottowa, Canada. Representatives from the parties involved will be asked to attend. The representative of India, however, was adamant they would be representing Kashmir, as Kashmir is now a state of India. Representative Janessa Dennis of Pakistan hopes there can still be a representative of Kashmir, seeing as it only recently became a state of India.

Representative Nicholas Petsas of Argentina is worried about Pakistan's attendance at the peace talks if Kashmir is unable to send a representative. "The security council is between a rock and a hard place," Representative Petsas said, based on India's assertion of representing Kashmir at the peace talks.

"Our primary goal is to have the violence in the area cease," said Representative Kelcey Bailey of the United Kingdom. She is more hopeful than before, due to the news that Pakistan is in support of sustaining a peaceful area.

Many of the other representatives in committee have commended the council on their work so far this morning. After the committee passed resolution HSC-1948/I/2, representatives were glad to finally reach a decision on a pressing issue, regardless of the months of effort put into this resolution.

Personal Ads:

Tim-

Your child is already normally way more adorable than you. When you dress him up in a wee business suit he becomes a cute overload.

-IPD Tea Lovers Unite DS-

You went above and beyond today. Love the people who take advantage of you.

I thought she was going to throw the gavel at me like she was wielding Mjölnir. The GA First Chair scares the hell out of me.

The Rapp department has been winning hardcore. All night long.

HG has the cutest baby. Did you see him in the little vest?!?!

The Elevators in this place smell like a cattle farm. I don't know why...

BAHRAIN! You don't have to put out the red light!

Actually, I don't know. Are there any songs about Chicago?

The IPD Room smells delicious. She's got a binder full of men!

# GA3 - POLITICS AND BUREAUCRACY HEAVY

By Emily Moorhead Reporter for GA3 & CPD

The Third Committee is currently focusing its efforts on reviewing, amending and passing resolutions. GA 3rd/I/1 failed, GA 3rd/I/2 passed with an amendment, GA 3rd/I/3 passed, and GA 3rd/I/4 passed by dividing the question. The Third Committee is currently debating GA 3rd/I/5,

but one representative said that the Committee will probably change topic areas in the near future.

Although the Committee is moving through its resolutions relatively quickly, Representative Sam Jones of Norway expressed concerns that politics is playing too strong a role.

"Right now, certain members of the committee are being unnecessarily bureaucratic,"

Representative Jones. "Representatives are stroking each other's egos just to get people to agree."

Another representative echoed the sentiments of Representative Jones. She said it would be much easier to accomplish their designated tasks if representatives would stop being prideful and consider the seriousness of the topics at hand.

# GA1 Still in Discussion of Weapons of Mass Destruction

By Mark Bochucinski Reporter for GA1

On Monday morning of 19 November, the General Assembly First Committee was interested in moving from topic area two, Radioactive Sources, to topic area one, Biological and Toxic Weapons. When a representative moved to change topic areas, however, the motion failed 10/78/14. It discussed issues of radioactive materials and the best disposal methods for these items. Almost immediately, a motion was made and accepted to caucus informally.

Representative Eric Skalka of Bolivia was disgruntled by Monday morning's proceedings. He said, "First Committee needs to actually do something within its purview, but here we are defining borders, talking about small arms and the elimination of nuclear weapons."

As evidenced by Bolivia's motion for a decision of competence and failed attempts to adjourn debate, Representative Skalka would like to depart from the current discourse and focus more on the issue of Biological and Toxic Weapons. He said, "There is much work to be done on the first topic, as it has yet to be addressed during session."

## HEALTHCARE IS PARAMOUNT TO CPD

By Emily Moorhead Reporter for GA3 & CPD

Several representatives from the Commission on Population and Development are currently working on an amendment to a healthcare resolution, CPD/I/1. A representitve said that amending the document will hopefully allow it to pass. Additionally, there is another healthcare resolution in the works.

There are also two education resolutions currently being written. One resolution involves building community centers for developing nations, while the other discusses the roles of schools and teachers.

One of the main roles of the CPD is writing reports. Representative Laura Kurtzberg of Georgia recently finished writing a report on migration, which includes a diagram. "The diagram encourages a circle approach in regards to education and migration. We want to educate and train people who can then, in turn, do the same for others," said Representative Kurtzberg. "Then, if these people still need to migrate, they can become part of the skilled working class rather than the unskilled working class."

This plan came as a compromise from the earlier proposed temporary visas. Some Member States were not in favor of temporary visas, and while they are still encouraged, they are not mandatory, as stated in the report.

# **ESCAP WORKING TOGETHER FOR ENERGY SYSTEMS**

By Grace Pastoor

Reporter for GA Plenary & ESCAP

The Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific brought draft resolution ESCAP/I/1 to the floor Monday morning and began discussing potential amendments.

The draft calls for cooperation

among nations in the creation and implementation of alternative energy sources, asks developed nations to aid undeveloped ones in the creation of infrastructure, calls upon developed nations to invest in technology that has the potential to improve energy security, and urges the creation of a subcommittee to guide developing nations in their creation of energy systems.

The draft also focuses on the disparity between the abilities of developed and undeveloped nations to gain and implement energy technology.

## A Break from Diplomacy to Dance It Out

By Alexandria Witt Reporter for GA2 & ICJ

The AMUN Representative Dance will be held Monday, 19 November from 10 pm - 2 am in the River Exhibition Hall, lower level. The theme of this year's dance is "Halloween Revisited." Representatives are encouraged to dress in costume.

Representative Casey Crandell of the Democratic Republic of the Congo will be attending the event. Although he will not be dressing in costume, his school, the University of Arizona, wears matching Model UN-themed t-shirts. This year's shirt is a surprise, but last year's said, "Our caucus brings motions to the floor."

Representative George Allan, Jr. of Panama explained favorite dance move. "I'm a fan of the Dougie. Not

because it's popular or everyone knows about it, but because I do it so well it's just beautiful," said Allan.

Diplomatic courtesy and credentials will be required at all times during the dance.

# GA PLENARY - LIMITING THE LOSS OF LIFE IN NATURAL DISASTERS

By Grace Pastoor Reporter for GA Plenary & ESCAP

The General Assembly Concurrent Plenary passed draft resolution GAPlen/I/5 Monday morning with 51 votes in favor, 11 opposed and 24 abstaining.

The resolution calls for the enforcement of all existing resolutions and regulations in order to prevent loss of life due to natural disasters. In addition, it promotes awareness of the effects of natural disasters and of funds available to states in the event of a disaster.

The resolution also recommends collaboration of member states in order to develop a uni-

fied set of guidelines outlining the availability of emergency power supply, water treatment, medical outlets and evacuation routes.

Member States are also reminded of their responsibility to observe all resolutions.

# **ESCAP TALKING TO THE PRESS**

By Grace Pastoor Reporter for GA Plenary & ESCAP

The Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP) held a press conference to announce that it has passed draft resolution ESCAP/I/1. The resolution focuses on technol-

ogy sharing with the purpose of

creating secure energy systems. The resolution creates a network that allows ESCAP members to share information and blueprints of technology developments with other countries. This network would include all ESCAP Member States, including the United States and the United Kingdom.

Representative Rachel Sherman of the United Kingdom said the network will help address disparities between the technology of developed countries and their less developed counterparts. "It would allow countries that have been more successful to share the success," she said.

# Dressing Like **G**ROWNUPS



By Tory Martinez Reporter for HSC90

As all representatives are well aware, Western Business Attire (WBA) is required for recognition in committee. This requirement is important to the legitimacy of the AMUN Conference. Dressing like the professionals we strive to be, rather than the university students we are, is important practice for our release into the business world upon graduation. Interviews decide whether or not the dream job happens, and much of a potential employer's opinion is formed in the first 20 seconds. How one dresses is a crucial part of this initial opinion, and oftentimes it can be the deciding factor as to whether or not you get the job.

First, some basics for utilizing Western Business Attire. Black and brown do not match and never will. Nor will black and navy. Also, make sure your shades of black/ grey/brown/navy match each other.

For ladies, your skirt should hit your knees at least. Your heels should also be a respectable height and preferably closed toed. Nylons or tights are a must, and stay away from ostentacious prints and colors. Finally, leggings are not pants, no matter how much you dress them up.

Gentlemen, a well-tailored suit is key to looking professional. Ties are also crucial, and foregoing a tie is considered too casual for the business world. It is important to make sure your shirt and tie complement each other; this also applies to pocket handkerchiefs and suspenders. Dress shoes are also necessary, as sneakers are best suited for the gym rather than the board room. Along with this, dress socks are a small but crucial part of the equation; nothing is worst than a well-dressed man rocking the white crew socks with his dress loafers.

There are several AMUN staff members with infants and small children, all of whom are impeccably dressed. If a baby can achieve this level of professionalism, we should be able to as well. Please, follow these future representatives in their fashion choices, and don't forget to stay classy.

Remember to set your order for consideration of draft resolutions in the GA committees. The Dais Staff thanks you for your hard work!