

American Model United Nations General Assembly Second Committee

GA Second/II/2

SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: International migration and development

SUBMITTED TO: The General Assembly Second Committee

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1 Acknowledging the crisis of migration that has left many Asian nations, among others, diminished of impor-2 tant labor forces and others overflowing with migrant populations,

3 Deeply concerned with the maltreatment and conditions of vulnerable migrants,

- 4 *Establishes* the need to uphold and work towards achieving:
 - 1. Sustainable Development Goal 8, Decent Work and Economic Growth,
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2. Sustainable Development Goal 9, Industry, Innovation, And Infrastructure,

Reaffirming the International Organization for Migration's (IOM) Regional Strategy for Asia and Pacific
Islands to support migrants through collaborations between regional and multilateral partners, key UN counterparts,
civil society, the private sector, academic and research institutions,

10 1. *Encourages* Asian nations to review their migration policies, patterns, and procedures;

11 2. *Establishes* the IOM as the primary body for the implementation of this resolution;

12 3. Suggests the enhancement of regional labor and economic stability through means of reform and research 13 regarding guiding and facilitating international migration;

4. *Discourages* the movement of skilled personnel from underdeveloped nations to developed nations that would limit depletion of skilled labor forces within their nation of origin;

5. *Suggests* incentives in order to increase retention of migrant communities through infrastructure policies, when deemed appropriate for the individual nation, such as:

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(a) Establishing labor protection laws to ensure job security and safe working conditions;

- 19 (b) Producing subsidized housing options for those in need;
- 20 (c) Creating subsidized stable healthcare protection policies to maintain health standards;

6. *Encourages* the designation of safe transportation vessels for immigrants and returning citizens;

7. *Expresses* hope that nations will implement said strategies, if they feel it is applicable, to improve the living and working conditions of those seeking economic prosperity and safety.

Passed, Yes: 35 / No: 25 / Abstain: 16