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Economic and Financial Committee of the General Assembly

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Topic: “Sustainable Development- Disaster Risk Reduction”

The General Assembly Third committee is expressing its satisfaction of the 2015-2030 UN adopted Sendai Framework for disaster risk reduction,

Alarmed by the high death rates between 2001-2011 from natural disasters,

Fully aware the infrastructure needs improvement, for it endangers the lives of citizens,

Observing that women need to be included in the handling of a crisis,

Having considered disasters [ADD:PERU] halt the production of agriculture,

Reaffirming natural hazards are unavoidable but disasters can be prevented,

Deeply concerned about the destruction natural disasters cause,

Taking into consideration that people in poverty or low income situations lack supplies to recover from natural disasters,

Notice with regret that disasters cause deaths, destroy infrastructure and cost a lot to repair damages,

Taking into account that developing countries lack the basic research and technology to predict natural hazards,

Recognizing the cost to recover from disasters and repair damages,

1. Calls upon the establishment of workshops to educate citizens to handle a crisis;

2. Encourages countries to educate youth for handling disasters;

3. Emphasizes the importance of educating youth of safety during hazards;

4. Expressing its need for spreading disaster awareness throughout each country;

5. Expresses its hopes for countries to have better infrastructure;
6. Recommends funding and supplies to victims of disasters;

7. Promotes funding towards the research and prediction of natural hazards;

8. Supports the communication and planning of when disasters [ADD: PER] strikes [DEL: PER];

9. Requests for the support of economically stable countries to fund developing and hazard inclined countries;

10. Further recommends the implementation of crisis drills and improved alarm systems;

11. Considers better communication through social media and the internet; and [ADD: PER],

12. Calls upon the building of shelters for victims.