Resolution GA/4/1.1

General Assembly Fourth Committee


Topic: International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space

Alarmed by the rising quantity of space debris in the solar system,

Keeping in mind that space debris will affect the future generations,

Confident that our lack of actions towards this growing problem will negatively affect our planet,

Bearing in mind that developing member states do not have the same financial opportunities as developed member states to fund their own outer space programs,

Noting with deep concern the lack of space technology in developing countries due to certain circumstances (needing support),

Alarmed by the lack of cooperation between developed and developing member states when referring to space,
Affirming the definition for weapons in space as any piece of technology launched with malicious intent towards a useful active object or human population,

1. Calls upon nations to develop new technology such as a laser program capable of removing small space debris from orbit and magnetic nets to remove a larger quantity of space debris;

2. Endorses the use of small spacecraft and GPS transponders to attach to inactive satellites and other large space debris to guide in a controlled re-entry;

3. Recommends a $500,000 fee for the destruction of any launched satellite for every satellite launched by a nation for the purpose of removing space debris;

4. Further recommends that all member states sign all previous UN treaties regarding the peaceful use of outer space;

5. Encourages all member states to attend workshops on the peaceful uses of outer space;

6. Supports the sending of space program workers to more advanced space centers;

7. Encourages that anyone can gain interest in astronomy and space through cost-efficient options;

8. Encourages developing member states to form regional space agencies and asks developed member states to assist them;

9. Further recommends and encourages creating new treaties to build off of the outer space treaty;

10. Recommends developed countries be willing to lease their satellites to developing countries;

11. Noting the possibility of sending foreign workers to more advanced space centers;
12. Supports producing metal dust to send into orbit to destroy space debris without damaging satellites and hurting life.