

## **Draft Resolution SPECPOL/2/1.1**

### **Fourth Committee Special Political and Decolonization**

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**Topic:** "United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East"

Deeply concerned that when the UNRWA began operations in 1950, it was responding to the needs of about 750,000 Palestine refugees, but based on the continued conflict, there are now 5,000,000 Palestine refugees in need of UNRWA services,

Taking into account that 94% of UNRWA's funding is sourced from private contributions that are inconsistent year to year, the level of funding and resources has not kept up with the 700% increase in the number of eligible refugees,

Noting with deep concern that around 50% of Palestine refugees are below the poverty line,

Deeply disturbed that since 2013, the UNRWA's financial crises have worsened dramatically, threatening to disrupt critical services to a vulnerable population of 5 million refugees,

Keeping in mind that Israel and Palestine have been at war for 69 years and counting,

1. Encourages the refugees to develop smart ways for survival;
2. Requests that Palestine refugees receive education;
3. Supports independence for Palestine refugees;
4. Further recommends that Israel gives Palestine 25% of their territory and after Palestine rebuilds, they will pay a fee;
5. Further invites that the UN should promote economic development through loans

and other means;

6. Recommends that Palestine and Israel stop the violence and instead solve their conflicts through peaceful ways;

7. Further requests that more NGOs be established to help provide jobs for Palestine refugees;

8. Encourages that efforts should be made to raise awareness of the situation;

9. Requests that more affordable housing should be built for refugees;

10. Expresses its hope that refugee camps will improve their refugee application systems;

11. Supports that medical services be provided to refugee camps;

12. Further requests that refugee camps should be renewably powered;

13. Strongly recommends that countries should donate money to UNRWA based on their GDP;

14. Further recommends that neighboring countries should provide basic living conditions to refugees in need;

15. Expresses its hope that countries will respect the rights of refugees;

16. Calls upon Israel and Palestine to stop killing innocent civilians and instead have peace talks to resolve their conflicts.