

United Nations Economic and Financial Committee

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Topic: Agriculture Development, Food Security and Nutrition

The United Nations Economic Financial Committee,

Alarmed by the fact that one in nine people in the world are in a constant state of emaciation, Emphasizing the negative effects the problem will have in the future, Noting with deep concern that 25% of the world is overweight, Bearing in mind that there are many locations that lack the resources to obtain the technology necessary to improve their farms, Deeply disturbed by the amount of food that is going to waste, Noting with satisfaction that many organizations, such as UNICEF, WFP, the Human Development Foundation, Africa Rice, and FAO, have attempted to end hunger, Keeping in mind the progress made with the Millennium Development Goals, Guided by the second Sustainable Development Goal to end hunger, achieve food security, improve nutrition and promote sustainable agriculture by 2030, Confident that the world will achieve zero hunger, Welcoming new ideas to help end hunger;

1. Urges countries' governments to continue or increase action on combating climate change, a significant catalyst of food insecurity;
2. Strongly suggests that countries' governments reinforce the sustainable usage of land to avoid wasting resources and causing land degradation;
3. Urges governments to promote healthy and nutritious living to reduce the amount of overweight people;
4. Calls upon the construction of greenhouses with an adaptable climate in order to produce a variety of crops, and the promotion of sustainable aquaculture and other innovative ways to grow food;
5. Invites all member states in the committee to promote agricultural jobs by providing increased pensions;
6. Calls upon the implementation of policies to strengthen agriculture that will support small scale farmers, which if provided with the right targeted assistance could greatly increase crop yields;

7. Approves the investment of money in farming technologies and education;
8. Urges funding to come from developed countries in exchange for products from developing countries;
9. Requests for developed countries to donate funds to the Human Development Foundation to help the organization expand globally;
10. Further recommends that food banks are opened in war torn countries and provided with seeds to create farms until they are self-sufficient;
11. Encourages farmers to learn about crops best suited to their environment;
12. Reaffirms the importance of raising awareness of obesity and malnutrition;
13. Calls upon volunteer teachers to educate students with mandatory food and nutrition classes;
14. Supports funding competitions as a way of earning money;
15. Requests that a partial amount of money raised goes to providing water filtration systems that ensure safe drinking water;
16. Further requests the use of drones to deliver seeds and formulas to hostile areas;
17. Supports the importing of food to countries with high desert percentages;
18. Recommends instituting farming programs that teach the fundamentals of efficient farming in schools.