

Resolution GA/3/2.1

General Assembly Third Committee

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Topic 2: Agenda Item 65: Rights of Indigenous People

The General Assembly, calling to the forefront the challenges that have been faced by and continue to be challenges for, Indigenous peoples, and noting that attention continues to bring improvement regarding these areas of concern, remains,

Deeply concerned that indigenous people's (IP) culture is soon to be lost,

Aware of the rights that IP have on their land,

Recalling IP right to have their issues taken into account,

Noting with deep concern the fact that many IP don't have access to healthcare,

1. Draws the attention to teach all children indigenous languages from their community as an optional after school program;
2. Encourages IP to sell and show on display indigenous cultural items, as a way to obtain economical compensation and to raise awareness for their cultural reality;
3. Recommends lawyers to represent IP in court for free and in exchange for their work attorneys could be given tax incentives;
4. Approves organizations involving IP to share indigenous and modern medicine as a way to exchange knowledge in that field;
5. Encourages schools to include both IP and non IP in the same school in order to enhance the community bonding and better understanding of both realities;
6. Emphasizes that IP should have access to medical care and education; and
7. Calls upon inspections to promote improvement of the job conditions in which IP work.