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Topic: Disaster Risk Reduction

Emphasizing the need for risk reduction and regulation systems,

Seeking the implementation of early warning systems and post-disaster responses,

Fully aware of the work being done to improve disaster risk reduction systems,

Fully aware of all countries which are affected by natural disasters,

Noting the fact that climate change is the main cause of natural disasters and technology to combat climate change needs development,

Further recalling the fact that underdeveloped countries are struggling with the preparations for natural disasters,

Recognizing with deep concern that underdevelopment in infrastructure contributes to the effects of natural disasters,

Alarmed by rising water levels worldwide, which is something natural disasters are responsible for,

Advancing Systems of Regulation in Risk Reduction Systems

- I. Affirms the structures that have already been created and acknowledges the fact that we need new infrastructure;
- 2. Encourages the utilization of satellites to predict disasters;
- 3. Encourages member countries with higher GDPs to invest resources towards advancing technologies;

Preparation and Restoration of the Impact of Natural Disasters

- 4. Notes the substantial impact of natural disasters on people;
- 5. Suggests education on natural disasters;
- 6. Directs member states to have a complete system for disaster response;

Causes and Effects of Natural Disasters

- 7. Encourages member states to invest in prevention over cleanup;
- 8. Strongly urges member states to reduce their carbon emissions;
- 9. Calls upon member states to implement early warning systems for natural disasters;
- 10. Invites nations to improve their weather predictions;

Collaboration Between Member States

- 11. Strongly encourages the exchange of ideas and solutions between neighboring nations regarding natural disasters;
- 12. Recommends that nations delegate more money to their preparation;
- 13. Advises the implementation of procedures and cooperation between nations in the same region;
- 14. Emphasizes the need for generating attention to underlooked disasters and how they affect underdeveloped countries;
- 15. Recommends using technology to generate attention to all member states, specifically through media;
- 16. Encourages providing sufficient funding to organizations such as the Red Cross to assist underdeveloped countries;
- 17. Requests that nations with a higher GDP aid less developed countries with technology, funding, and other necessary resources.