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**Commission for Social Development acting as the
preparatory committee for the Second World
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Preparations for the Second World Assembly on Ageing**

**Draft decision submitted by the Chairman on the basis of
informal consultations**

The Commission for Social Development acting as the preparatory committee for the Second World Assembly on Ageing recommends to the Economic and Social Council the approval of the following draft decision for adoption by the General Assembly:

United Nations Trust Fund for Ageing

The Economic and Social Council recommends to the General Assembly the adoption of the following draft decision:

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolution 54/262 of 25 May 2000, which encouraged Member States and other actors to, inter alia, provide voluntary contributions to the United Nations Trust Fund for Ageing in support of preparatory activities of the Second World Assembly on Ageing, including the participation of least developed countries,

Noting the importance of the participation of developing and least developed countries in the preparatory process and in the Second World Assembly itself,

1. *Urges* all States, and public and private organizations to contribute generously to the United Nations Trust Fund for Ageing, to support preparatory activities for the Second World Assembly and, in particular, to facilitate the fullest participation from least developed countries;



2. *Also urges* all States and public and private organizations to contribute to the Trust Fund to support public information activities to promote the Second World Assembly and its outcomes.
