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Review of issues pertinent to the subsidiary structure of the Commission, including the work of the regional

institutions: energy

## **Draft resolution**

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## Implementation of the outcomes of the Second Asian and Pacific Energy Forum

The Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific,

Recalling General Assembly resolution 67/215 of 21 December 2012, in which the Assembly declared 2014–2024 the United Nations Decade of Sustainable Energy for All, as well as Assembly resolution 71/233 of 21 December 2017 on ensuring access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all,

Recalling also resolution 67/2 of 25 May 2011 of the Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific, on promoting regional cooperation for enhanced energy security and the sustainable use of energy in Asia and the Pacific, and Commission resolution 70/9 of 8 August 2014, in which it decided to convene the Second Asian and Pacific Energy Forum in 2018,

*Recalling further* the successful outcome of the First Asian and Pacific Energy Forum, hosted by the Government of the Russian Federation in Vladivostok from 27 to 30 May 2013,<sup>1</sup>

Welcoming the successful outcomes of the Second Asian and Pacific Energy Forum, held in Bangkok from 3 to 5 April 2018, <sup>2,3</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> E/ESCAP/70/28.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> ESCAP/74/27.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> ESCAP/74/27/Add.1.

Noting with satisfaction the high-level participation by member States in the Second Asian and Pacific Energy Forum and the contribution of key stakeholders and regional and subregional organizations to the preparatory process for the Forum,

- 1. *Endorses* the Ministerial Declaration on Regional Cooperation for Energy Transition towards Sustainable and Resilient Societies in Asia and the Pacific, adopted by the Second Asian and Pacific Energy Forum;<sup>3</sup>
- 2. *Invites* members to follow up and implement the Ministerial Declaration on Regional Cooperation for Energy Transition towards Sustainable and Resilient Societies in Asia and the Pacific;
  - 3. *Requests* the Executive Secretary:
- (a) To accord priority to the implementation of the Ministerial Declaration on Regional Cooperation for Energy Transition towards Sustainable and Resilient Societies in Asia and the Pacific;
- (b) To seek cooperation from and ensure coordination with United Nations bodies, funds, programmes and specialized agencies, in line with their respective mandates;
- (c) To report to the Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific at its seventy-seventh session on progress in the implementation of the present resolution.

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