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## **Future operation of the International Research and Training Institute For the Advancement of Women**

*The General Assembly,*

*Recalling* all of its previous resolutions on the situation of the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women, in particular resolutions 55/219 of 23 December 2000, 56/125 of 19 December 2001, 57/175 of 18 December 2002, 58/244 of 23 December 2003 and 59/260 of 23 December 2004,

*Reaffirming* its resolution 57/311 of 18 June 2003 on the financial situation of the Institute,

*Taking note with appreciation* of the progress report on the Institute by its Director with respect to the implementation of the programme of work for the period October 2004-May 2005,<sup>1</sup> which measures progress through the utilization of indicators of achievement as established in the workplan for 2005,

*Welcoming* the approval by the Executive Board of the Institute of the proposed workplan for 2006 and its endorsement of the operational budget for 2006,<sup>2</sup>

*Reaffirming* the importance of seeking medium-term sustainable financial resources for the Institute,

*Welcoming* the decision of the Executive Board to actively promote a fund-raising strategy for the Institute,

*Bearing in mind* the recommendation made by the Executive Board at its second session held on 1 June 2005 that the report of the Director of the Institute,

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\* On behalf of the States Members of the United Nations that are members of the Group 77 and China.

<sup>1</sup> INSTRAW/EB/2005/R.2/Rev.1.

<sup>2</sup> INSTRAW/EB/2005/R.3/Rev.1.

the proposed operational budget for 2006 and other relevant documents be submitted to the General Assembly,

*Recognizing* that the implementation of the programme of work and strategic plan for the Institute will contribute to a comprehensive discussion on international migration and development from a gender perspective,

1. *Welcomes* the report of the Secretary-General;<sup>3</sup>
2. *Requests* the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women, in accordance with its mandate, to actively participate in and contribute to discussions on issues related to international migration and development, in particular in the high-level dialogue thereon to be held in September 2006 during the sixty-first session of the General Assembly;
3. *Also requests* the Institute, in accordance with its mandate, to actively participate in and contribute to the examination of the special theme for the thirty-ninth session of the Commission on Population and Development in 2006 entitled “International migration and development”;
4. *Stresses* the critical importance of voluntary financial contributions by Member States to the United Nations Trust Fund for the International Research and Training Institute for the Advancement of Women to enable it to carry out its mandate;
5. *Urges* Member States to make voluntary contributions to the Trust Fund, particularly during this critical transitional period;
6. *Decides* to provide its full support to the current efforts to revitalize the Institute and, in this regard, to provide it with the requisite funds to enable it to carry out its core functions for at least the next three years;
7. *Requests* the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its sixty-first session on the implementation of the present resolution.

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<sup>3</sup> A/60/372.