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*Chairperson:* Ms. Ogwu . . . . . (Nigeria)

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*The meeting was called to order at 10.20 a.m.*

**Agenda item 48: Follow-up to and implementation of the outcome of the 2002 International Conference on Financing for Development and the preparation of the 2008 Review Conference** *(continued)* (A/C.2/63/L.37)

*Draft resolution on the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus*

1. **Ms. Greenaway** (Antigua and Barbuda) introduced draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.37 on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

**Agenda item 49: Sustainable development** *(continued)* (A/C.2/63/L.24)

*Draft resolution on the oil slick on Lebanese shores*

2. **Ms. Greenaway** (Antigua and Barbuda) introduced draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.24 on behalf of the Group of 77 and China. She pointed out a few amendments to the text. The beginning of paragraph 7 should read “*Decides to establish an Eastern Mediterranean oil spill restoration voluntary trust fund in order to provide ...*” and the words “*at the General Assembly*” should be added at the end of that paragraph. In paragraph 8, the final clause should read “*to ensure that the Eastern Mediterranean oil spill restoration voluntary trust fund has sufficient and adequate resources*”.

**(a) Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development** *(continued)* (A/C.2/63/L.27)

*Draft resolution on implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development*

**(c) International Strategy for Disaster Reduction** *(continued)* (A/C.2/63/L.28 and A/C.2/63/L.30)

*Draft resolution on the International Strategy for Disaster Reduction*

*Draft resolution on natural disasters and vulnerability*

**Agenda item 50: Implementation of the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) and strengthening of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat)** *(continued)* (A/C.2/63/L.26)

*Draft resolution on implementation of the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) and strengthening of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat)*

3. **Ms. Greenaway** (Antigua and Barbuda) introduced draft resolutions A/C.2/63/L.26, L.27, L.28 and L.30 on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

**Agenda item 51: Globalization and interdependence** *(continued)*

**(a) Role of the United Nations in promoting development in the context of globalization and interdependence** *(continued)* (A/C.2/63/L.29 and A/C.2/63/L.33)

*Draft resolution on development cooperation with middle-income countries*

4. **Ms. Greenaway** (Antigua and Barbuda) introduced draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.29 on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

5. She introduced draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.33 on behalf of the Group of 77 and China and said that the end of paragraph 8 should read “... including paragraph 7 above”.

*Draft resolution on the role of the United Nations in promoting development in the context of globalization and interdependence*

**(b) International migration and development** *(continued)* (A/C.2/63/L.31)

*Draft resolution on international migration and development*

**(d) Preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of assets of illicit origin and returning such assets, in particular to the countries of origin, consistent with the United Nations Convention against Corruption** *(continued)* (A/C.2/63/L.32)

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*Draft resolution on preventing and combating corrupt practices and transfer of assets of illicit origin and returning such assets, in particular to the countries of origin, consistent with the United Nations Convention against Corruption*

6. **Ms. Greenaway** (Antigua and Barbuda) introduced draft resolutions A/C.2/63/L.31 and L.32 on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

**Agenda item 49: Sustainable development** (*continued*)

**(c) International Strategy for Disaster Reduction**  
(*continued*) (A/C.2/63/L.36 and A/C.2/63/L.14)

*Draft resolutions on international cooperation to reduce the impact of the El Niño phenomenon*

7. **The Chairperson** introduced draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.36, which was being submitted by Mr. Andrei Metelitsa (Belarus), Vice-Chairperson of the Committee, on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.14. The draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

8. *Draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.36 was adopted.*

9. *Draft resolution A/C.2/63/L.14 was withdrawn.*

*The meeting rose at 11 a.m.*