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Agenda item 87ALTERNATIVE APPROACHES AND WAYS AND MEANS WITHIN THE UNITED NATIONS
SYSTEM FOR IMPROVING THE EFFECTIVE ENJOYMENT OF HUMAN RIGHTS AND
FUNDAMENTAL FREEDOMSCanada: draft resolutionThe General Assembly,

Recalling the purposes and principles of the United Nations as set forth in the Charter, and in particular the need to promote and to encourage respect for human rights and fundamental freedoms for all without distinction as to race, sex, language or religion,

Mindful of the importance of the role of the Secretary-General in providing good offices and other assistance and services in accordance with his responsibilities,

1. Decides to invite the Secretary-General to appoint a Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Human Rights and Humanitarian Affairs, at a level of Under-Secretary-General, such person to be an eminent personage of international stature;
2. Decides also that the Special Representative shall carry out such tasks in the field of human rights, including good offices, as are assigned by the Secretary-General in accordance with the Charter of the United Nations;
3. Requests the Secretary-General to provide the Special Representative with such personnel and financial resources at United Nations Headquarters as are necessary for the effective discharge of the Special Representative's responsibilities.