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THE ROLE OF PARLIAMENTS IN STRIKING A BALANCE BETWEEN NATIONAL SECURITY, HUMAN SECURITY AND INDIVIDUAL FREEDOMS, AND IN AVERTING THE THREAT TO DEMOCRACY

Amendments to the revised preliminary draft resolution submitted within the statutory deadline by the delegations of Algeria, Argentina, Armenia, Canada, China, France, Germany, India, Indonesia, Islamic Republic of Iran, Japan, Jordan, Morocco, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Romania, South Africa, Sweden, Switzerland and Venezuela

TITLE

Amend the title to read as follows:

THE ROLE OF PARLIAMENTS IN STRIKING A BALANCE ACHIEVING COHERENCE BETWEEN NATIONAL SECURITY, HUMAN SECURITY AND INDIVIDUAL FREEDOMS HUMAN RIGHTS, AND IN AVERTING THE THREAT TO DEMOCRACY: THE ROLE OF PARLIAMENTS

(Switzerland)

PREAMBLE

Preambular paragraph 1

Amend to read as follows:

(1) Recalling the purposes and principles enshrined in the Charter of the United Nations and the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, in particular the right to life, liberty and security of person, and that everyone has the right to a standard of living adequate for the health and well-being of himself the person and of his/her family,

(Armenia and South Africa)

New preambular paragraph (1bis)

Add a new paragraph after preambular paragraph 1 to read as follows:

(1bis) Considering the struggles of peoples who have endured unspeakable suffering and who have made enormous sacrifices in order to regain their right to freedom and dignity,

(Algeria)

Add a new paragraph after preambular paragraph 1 to read as follows:

(1bis) Noting the resolutions dealing with national institutions for the promotion and protection of human rights institutions, adopted by the United Nations Commission on Human Rights and the General Assembly, in particular Commission resolutions 1993/55 of 9 March 1993 and 1994/54 of 4 March 1994, as well as UNGA resolution 48/134 of 20 December 1993, respectively,

(Morocco)

Preambular paragraph 2

Amend to read as follows:

(2) Recognizing the multidimensional nature of human security and noting that the understanding of human security must be dynamic and flexible in order to meet the many different human security priorities challenges in of different regions,

(Armenia)

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(2) Recognizing the multidimensional nature of human security and noting that the understanding of human security must be dynamic and flexible in order to meet the many different human security priorities of different regions, and that the right to life of all persons must be protected by the constitutions of the countries concerned,

(Morocco)

Amend to read as follows:

(2) Recognizing the multidimensional nature of human security i.e. economic, health, environmental, personal, community and political security and noting that the understanding of human security must be dynamic and flexible in order to meet the many different human security priorities of different regions,

(South Africa)

Amend to read as follows:

(2) Recognizing the multidimensional, **plural and complex** nature of human security and noting that the understanding of human security must be **broad**, dynamic and flexible in order to meet the many different human security priorities of different regions,

(Venezuela)

New preambular paragraph 2bis

Add a new paragraph after preambular paragraph 2 to read as follows:

(2bis) Recalling the final report of the Commission on Human Security (May 2003),

(Japan)

Add a new paragraph after preambular paragraph 2 to read as follows:

(2bis) Stressing that the empowerment of women and gender equality are central to human security,

(Romania)

Preambular paragraph 3

Amend to read as follows:

(3) Also recognizing that factors such as poverty, unemployment, HIV/AIDS and other pandemics, pollution and natural disasters, and human rights violations, and factors such as inter-State and intra-State conflicts, terrorism, illegal migration, human trafficking, trafficking in human beings, the illegal arms trade and organized crimes adversely affect democracies across the world,

(Armenia)

Amend to read as follows:

(3) Also recognizing that factors such as poverty, unemployment, HIV/AIDS and other pandemics, pollution and natural disasters, and human rights violations, and factors such as inter-State conflicts, terrorism, illegal migration, human trafficking, and organized crimes adversely affect democracies across the world are obstacles to the full realization of human rights,

(China)

Amend to read as follows:

(3) Also recognizing that factors such as poverty, unemployment, HIV/AIDS and other pandemics, pollution and natural disasters, and human rights violations, and factors such as inter-State conflicts, terrorism, illegal migration, human trafficking, and organized crimes are obstacles to democracy democracies across the world,

(France)

Amend to read as follows:

(3) Also recognizing that factors such as poverty, unemployment, HIV/AIDS and other pandemics, pollution and natural disasters, and human rights violations, and factors such as **foreign occupation,** inter-State conflicts, terrorism, illegal migration, human trafficking, and organized crimes adversely affect democracies across the world,

(Islamic Republic of Iran)

Amend to read as follows:

(3) Also recognizing that factors such as poverty, unemployment, HIV/AIDS and other pandemics, pollution and natural disasters, and human rights violations, and factors such as inter-State **and regional** conflicts, terrorism, illegal migration, human trafficking, and organized crimes adversely affect democracies across the world,

(Japan)

Amend to read as follows:

(3) Also recognizing that factors such as poverty, unemployment, HIV/AIDS and other pandemics, pollution and natural disasters, and human rights violations, and factors such as inter- and intra-State conflicts, terrorism, illegal migration, human trafficking, racism, sexism and colonialism, as well as organized crimes adversely affect democracies across the world,

(South Africa)

Amend to read as follows:

(3) Also recognizing that factors such as inequality, exclusion, discrimination, poverty, unemployment, inaccessibility, HIV/AIDS and other pandemics, global warming, pollution and natural disasters, ignorance of international law, interference, violation of sovereignty, self-determination of peoples and human rights, invasions, violations, and factors such as

inter-State conflicts, massacres, crimes, pre-emptive wars, drug trafficking, parallel police, terrorism, disregard for cultural differences, international migration and labour flexibility, illegal migration, human trafficking, and organized crimes adversely affect democracies across the world,

(Venezuela)

Preambular paragraph 3bis

Add a new paragraph after preambular paragraph 3 to read as follows:

(3bis) Recognizing that poverty, massive unemployment, pandemics such as HIV/AIDS, large-scale pollution and natural disasters can weaken States and their democratic institutions over time,

(France)

Preambular paragraph 4

Amend to read as follows:

(4) Aware that international terrorism poses a major threat to national security, human security and individual freedoms all over the world, and *mindful* that emphasis on human security makes it possible to identify the root causes of terrorism,

(Japan)

Amend to read as follows

(4) Aware that international terrorism **in all its forms** poses a major threat to national security, human security and individual freedoms all over the world,

(Morocco)

Amend to read as follows:

(4) Aware that international **and domestic** terrorism pose a major threat to national security, human security and individual freedoms all over the world,

(Philippines)

Amend to read as follows:

(4) Aware that international terrorism, and the factors and conditions that give rise to it, pose a major threat to national security, human security and individual freedoms all over the world,

(South Africa)

Amend to read as follows:

(4) Aware that international terrorism poses a major threat to national security, human security and individual freedoms human rights all over the world,

(Switzerland)

(4) Aware that international terrorism poses a major threat to national overall security, human security and individual freedoms all over the world,

(Venezuela)

Preambular paragraph 4bis

Add a new paragraph after preambular paragraph 4 to read as follows:

(4bis) Recalling Article 3 of the Convention for the Protection of Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms as amended by Protocol No. 11, which states that "No one shall be subjected to torture or to inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment",

(Morocco)

Preambular paragraph 5

Amend to read as follows:

(5) Profoundly concerned at human rights violations, including detention without trial, secret detention centres, and surveillance impinging on individual rights, and extradition to countries which practise torture,

(India)

Amend to read as follows:

(5) Profoundly concerned at human rights violations, including **foreign occupation**, **policies of collective punishment**, detention without trial, secret detention centres, surveillance impinging on individual rights, and extradition to countries which practise torture,

(Islamic Republic of Iran)

Preambular paragraph 6

Amend to read as follows:

Affirming its belief that torture **in all its forms** has no place in the 21st century as it is one of the most abhorrent violations of human rights and human dignity,

(South Africa)

Preambular paragraph 7

Amend to read as follows:

(7) Acknowledging the interdependence between national security, human security, individual freedoms human rights and democracy,

(Switzerland)

Amend to read as follows:

(7) Acknowledging the interdependence between national overall security, human security, individual freedoms and democracy,

(Venezuela)

Preambular paragraph 7bis

Add a new paragraph after preambular paragraph 7 to read as follows:

(7bis) Reaffirming that it is the responsibility of parliaments to ensure, on the one hand, that counter-terrorism measures do not in any way jeopardize the right to asylum or the principles underlying the protection of refugees, and on the other, that such protection is not refused to those in need, while recalling that international refugee law provides for excluding from refugee protection measures persons having committed atrocities or serious crimes,

(Switzerland)

Preambular paragraph 8bis

Add a new paragraph after preambular paragraph 9 to read as follows:

(8bis) Considering that the aim of parliaments is to strike a balance between human security, national security and individual freedoms and that one of the means of attaining that goal is through the protection and development of human rights and fundamental freedoms,

(Morocco)

OPERATIVE PART

Operative paragraph 1

Amend to read as follows:

 Urges parliaments to enact legislation that will assist countries in ensuring a balance between **national security**, human security, national security and individual freedoms;

(China)

Amend to read as follows:

1. Urges parliaments **that have not yet done so** to enact legislation that will assist countries in ensuring a balance between human security, national security and individual freedoms;

(Jordan)

Amend to read as follows:

1. Urges parliaments to enact legislation that will assist countries in ensuring a balance between coherent approach to human security, national security and individual freedoms human rights;

(Switzerland)

Amend to read as follows:

1. *Urges* parliaments to enact legislation that will assist countries in ensuring a balance between human security, national overall security and individual freedoms;

(Venezuela)

Operative paragraph 1bis

Add a new paragraph after operative paragraph 1 to read as follows:

1bis. Encourages parliaments to pass laws on combating terrorism while respecting human rights and human dignity;

(Morocco)

Amend to read as follows:

 Strongly urges parliaments to commit to the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals as a means of addressing underdevelopment, external debt, unemployment, unfair distribution of social wealth, and preventing the imposition of economic models, external control of natural resources and the marginalization of many in the developing world;

(Venezuela)

Operative paragraph 3

Amend operative paragraph 3 as follows and move it to the place of operative paragraph 1:

3. Calls on parliaments to acknowledge the link between security, development and human rights as recognized in the World Summit Outcome Document, with an understanding that the key is to establish the causes and sources of human insecurity and work to address these effectively; and further calls on parliamentarians to strive to address human security by tackling all current forms of insecurity globally in the **political**, economic, social and humanitarian spheres;

(Indonesia)

Amend to read as follows:

3. Calls on parliaments to acknowledge the link between security, development and human rights as recognized in the World Summit Outcome Document, with an understanding that the key is to establish the causes and sources of human insecurity and work to address these effectively; and further calls on parliamentarians to strive to address human security by tackling all current forms of insecurity globally in the **political**, economic, social and humanitarian spheres;

(Jordan)

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3. Calls on parliaments to acknowledge the link between security, development and human rights as recognized in the World Summit Outcome Document, with an understanding that the key is to establish the causes and sources of human insecurity and work to address these effectively; and further calls on parliamentarians to strive to address human security by tackling all current forms of insecurity globally in the economic, social, environmental, political and humanitarian spheres;

(South Africa)

New operative paragraph 3bis

Add a new paragraph, after operative paragraph 3, to read as follows:

3bis. Underscores the need for parliaments to work towards a situation where States refrain from resorting to the threat and use of force in international relations, settle their differences through peaceful means and respect the rights of peoples still under colonial rule or foreign occupation to self-determination;

(Algeria)

Add a new paragraph, after operative paragraph 3, to read as follows:

3bis. *Urges* parliaments to see to it that the human security approach incorporates a gender perspective;

(Romania)

Amend to read as follows:

4. Strongly emphasizes that parliaments need to oversee executive action, including budget votes **and monitoring thereof**, to ensure that all these instruments actually strike a balance between national security, human security and individual freedoms, and to avert the threat to democracy;

(South Africa)

Amend to read as follows:

4. Strongly emphasizes that parliaments need to oversee executive action, including budget votes, to ensure that all these instruments actually strike a balance help ensure coherence between national security, human security and individual freedoms human rights, and to avert the threat to democracy;

(Switzerland)

Amend to read as follows:

4. Strongly emphasizes that parliaments need to oversee executive action, including budget votes, to ensure that all these instruments actually strike a balance between national overall security, human security and individual freedoms, and to avert the threat to democracy;

(Venezuela)

New operative paragraph 4bis

Add a new paragraph, after operative paragraph 4, to read as follows:

4bis. Recognizes that all human rights, the rule of law and democracy are interlinked and mutually reinforcing and that they belong to the universal values and principles of the international community; and acknowledges the need for universal adherence to and implementation of the rule of law at both the national and international levels;

(Japan)

Operative paragraph 5

Amend to read as follows:

5. Recognizes the importance of independent courts and independence of the courts in striking a balance between national security, human security and individual freedoms, and to avert the threat to democracy;

(France)

Amend to read as follows:

5. Recognizes the importance and independence of the courts judiciary in striking a balance between national security, human security and individual freedoms, and to avert the threat to democracy;

(Jordan)

5. Recognizes the importance and independence of the courts in striking a balance ensuring coherence between national security, human security and individual freedoms human rights, and to avert the threat to democracy;

(Switzerland)

Operative paragraph 6

Amend to read as follows:

6. Urges parliaments to ensure an effective system of public participation in the work of parliament; *invites* parliaments to play a pivotal role in sensitizing citizens to their constitutional rights, to open two-way channels of communication with citizens that are likely to strengthen parliamentary oversight of executive action, and to ensure that the government is committed to respecting the rights and freedoms of citizens; and *also invites* parliaments to use to this end modern information and communication technologies such as the Internet and **dedicated** satellite channels;

(France)

Amend to read as follows:

6. *Urges* parliaments to ensure an effective system of public participation in the their work of parliament; *invites* parliaments to play a pivotal role in sensitizing citizens to their constitutional rights, to open two-way channels of communication with citizens that are likely to strengthen parliamentary oversight of executive action, and to ensure that the government is committed to respecting the rights and freedoms of citizens; and *also invites* parliaments to use to this end modern information and communication technologies such as the Internet and satellite channels;

(Romania)

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6. *Urges* parliaments to ensure an effective system of public participation in the work of parliament; *invites* parliaments to play a pivotal role in sensitizing citizens to their constitutional rights, to open two-way channels of communication with citizens that are likely to strengthen parliamentary oversight of executive action, and to ensure that the government is committed to respecting the rights and freedoms of citizens **and to promoting human rights**; and *also invites* parliaments to use to this end modern information and communication technologies such as the Internet and satellite channels; **and encourages parliaments to enact enabling legislation to facilitate the process of public participation**;

(South Africa)

Operative paragraph 7

Amend to read as follows:

7. Encourages national governments and parliaments to redouble their efforts to reach international consensus on the speedy conclusion of an international convention dealing with all aspects of terrorism and giving it a precise definition a definition of terrorism through opportunities afforded by the work of presented by the United Nations;

(France)

7. Encourages national governments to redouble their efforts to reach international consensus on a definition of terrorism through opportunities presented by the United Nations, taking into consideration the reasons cited thereof;

(Jordan)

Amend to read as follows:

7. Encourages national governments to redouble their efforts to reach international consensus on a definition of terrorism that is balanced and alludes to all its forms and manifestations, with strict adherence to international law, to international standards of human rights protection and international humanitarian law, thereby strengthening the legal framework for preventing terrorist acts, through opportunities presented by the United Nations;

(Venezuela)

Operative paragraph 8

Move operative paragraph 8 to the place of operative paragraph 3bis.

(Indonesia)

Amend to read as follows:

8. Calls on parliaments to review the adequacy of the legal measures they have in place to protect people from terrorist attacks and to bring perpetrators to justice, and to take such measures as deemed necessary to provide adequate protection;

(Jordan)

New operative paragraph 8bis

Add a new paragraph, after operative paragraph 8, to read as follows:

8bis. Calls on parliaments to consider existing laws so as not to doubly punish crimes already punishable in existing laws;

(Philippines)

Operative paragraph 9

Amend to read as follows:

9. Urges national parliaments to enact effective anti-terrorism legislation, in keeping with relevant international instruments and commitments, including **relevant UN Security Council resolutions and** the United Nations Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy, and to assess such laws at regular intervals so as to ensure that they are fully compatible with national security and individual freedoms;

(China)

Move operative paragraph 9 to the place of operative paragraph 2bis.

(Indonesia)

9. Urges national parliaments to enact effective anti-terrorism legislation, in keeping with relevant international instruments and commitments, including the United Nations Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy, and to assess such laws at regular intervals so as to ensure that they are fully compatible with national security and individual freedoms human rights;

(Switzerland)

Amend to read as follows:

9. Urges national parliaments to enact effective anti-terrorism legislation, in keeping with relevant international instruments and commitments, including the United Nations Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy, adopted in September 2006 by the General Assembly Resolution 60/288, and to assess such laws at regular intervals so as to ensure that they are fully compatible with national overall security and individual freedoms;

(Venezuela)

New operative paragraph 9bis

Add a new paragraph after operative paragraph 9 to read as follows:

9bis. *Urges* governments to combat terrorism, which jeopardizes security, without affecting the rights of citizens, given that the fight against terrorism can go hand in hand with respect for democratic institutions;

(Morocco)

Add a new paragraph, after operative paragraph 9, to read as follows:

9bis. Strongly urges national parliaments to enact legislation to ensure that surveillance is used only upon judicial approval and only for legitimate police operations;

(Philippines)

Operative paragraph 10

Amend to read as follows:

10. Calls on parliaments to scrutinize closely all measures to limit the freedoms of individuals and, in particular, ensure that such measures are justified by a recognized need, meet a precisely-defined general interest purpose, are proportionate to that purpose and are limited in time;

(France)

Amend to read as follows:

10. Calls on parliaments to scrutinize closely all measures to that limit the freedoms of individuals and to ensure that such limitations are consistent with international law;

(South Africa)

Amend to read as follows:

10. Calls on parliaments to scrutinize closely all measures to limit the freedoms of individuals-human rights;

(Switzerland)

New Operative paragraph 10bis

Add a new paragraph after operative paragraph 10 to read as follows:

10bis. Invites parliaments to support all recommendations and resolutions dealing with human rights in order to combat all affronts to human security and individual freedoms;

(Morocco)

Operative paragraph 11

Replace operative paragraph 11 with new paragraph to read as follows:

11. Encourages in particular national governments to respect international obligations regarding human rights and individual freedoms when preparing profiles of potential terrorists in order to prevent attacks from taking place;

(Canada)

Amend to read as follows:

11. Condemns the oppression and discrimination of which ethnic and religious minorities are victims and *urges* parliaments to pass laws that guarantee the rights of **persons belonging to** minorities, identify all acts of oppression and discrimination perpetrated against them and, consequently, provide for sanctions against the perpetrators of such acts;

(Romania)

New operative paragraph 11bis

Add a new paragraph, after operative paragraph 11, to read as follows:

11bis. Rejects the application of double standards in dealing with the issue of democracy and calls upon all States to respect the choice of all nations in democratically electing their governments;

(Islamic Republic of Iran)

Operative paragraph 12

Amend to read as follows:

12. *Invites* governments to certify formally that their proposals limiting liberty are indeed in compliance with international law, and in particular with international instruments that seek to protect human rights and human rights in particular;

(France)

Amend to read as follows:

12. *Invites* governments to certify formally ensure that their proposals limiting liberty are indeed in compliance with international law, and human rights in particular;

(India)

Amend to read as follows:

13. *Invites* national parliaments to consider whether any further improvements can be made within their own jurisdictions, such as the inclusion of a bill of rights in their constitutions, to protect both human security and individual freedoms;

(South Africa)

Amend to read as follows:

13. *Invites* national parliaments to consider whether any further improvements can be made within their own jurisdictions to protect both human security and individual freedoms human rights;

(Switzerland)

New operative paragraph 13bis

Add a new paragraph after operative paragraph 13 to read as follows:

13bis. *Invites* parliaments to support laws on human rights that prohibit all forms of torture and inhuman and degrading treatment;

(Morocco)

Operative paragraph 14

Amend to read as follows:

14. Encourages national parliaments governments to ratify and implement the Convention against Torture and its Optional Protocol (22 June 2006);

(India)

Move operative paragraph 14 to the place of operative paragraph 9bis.

(South Africa)

New operative paragraph 14bis

Add a new paragraph after operative paragraph 14 to read as follows:

14bis. *Encourages* parliaments to pass laws to combat terrorism while respecting human rights and human dignity;

(Morocco)

Operative paragraph 15

Amend to read as follows:

15. Welcomes the establishment of the Human Rights Council, which came into being by virtue of UN General Assembly resolution 60/251 of 15 March 2006, and the proposed universal periodic review mechanism, which should promote the Human Rights Council's handling of human rights issues in an objective, fair and non-selective manner through dialogue and cooperation;

(China)

15. Welcomes the establishment of the Human Rights Council, which came into being by virtue of UN General Assembly resolution 60/251 of 15 March 2006, and the proposed universal periodic review mechanism; and calls on governments to earnestly address the review and the recommendations made in reports on results;

(Japan)

Amend to read as follows:

15. Welcomes the establishment of the Human Rights Council, which came into being by virtue of UN General Assembly resolution 60/251 of 15 March 2006, and the proposed universal periodic review mechanism in the context of its role in monitoring and promoting improvements regarding respect for human rights;

(Venezuela)

New operative paragraph 15bis

Add a new paragraph, after operative paragraph 15, to read as follows:

15bis. Calls on parliaments to follow closely the national reporting process under the UPR mechanism, while seeing to it that it involves all relevant stakeholders, including non-governmental organizations and national human rights institutions; further invites parliaments to examine and debate the outcome of the review and to monitor its implementation;

(Romania)

Operative paragraph 16

Delete the existing paragraph.

(India)

Amend to read as follows:

16. Urges Encourages those parliaments that have not already done so to establish a standing committee on human rights that is invested with the necessary powers to oversee the action of State organs, ensuring that they respect and protect human rights and identifying any violation or disregard thereof;

(China)

Replace operative paragraph 16 with a new paragraph to read as follows:

16. Urges States to establish a mechanism, in the most appropriate way, to ensure that human rights are respected and that any violation or disregard thereof is dealt with;

(Sweden)

Amend to read as follows:

16. Urges those parliaments that have not already done so to establish a standing committee on human rights that is invested with the necessary powers to oversee monitor the political action of State organs, ensuring that they respect and protect human rights and identifying any violation or disregard thereof;

(Venezuela)

New operative paragraph 16bis

Add a new paragraph after operative paragraph 16 to read as follows:

16bis. *Encourages* governments to establish legal mechanisms that guarantee the promotion and protection of human rights;

(Morocco)

Operative paragraph 17

Amend to read as follows:

17. Calls on parliaments **States** to monitor the range and quantity of surveillance and data collection by public and private organizations and to gauge any changes in the balance between the citizen and the State-, **taking into account** Parliaments must ensure that laws are framed and enforced in such a way as to take account of fast-moving technological developments;

(Sweden)

Operative paragraph 18

Amend to read as follows:

18. Calls on parliaments to exercise oversight over the working of law enforcement and security agencies so as to enforce their accountability in protecting respecting fundamental individual freedoms while performing their public duties;

(Germany)

Operative paragraph 19

Amend to read as follows:

19. *Emphasizes* the need for training of security forces **and law enforcement actors** in order to sensitize them to human rights while dealing with terrorism and related activities;

(Indonesia)

Amend to read as follows:

19. Recognizes the need to counsel perpetrators of oppression, discrimination and other related acts against ethnic and religious minorities in order to raise their awareness of human rights and the need to counsel victims of oppression and discrimination in order to build their capacity to overcome their predicament and emphasizes the need for training of security forces in order to sensitize them to human rights while dealing with terrorism and related activities;

(Republic of Korea)

Amend operative paragraph 19 and move it to the place of operative paragraph 9ter:

19. *Emphasizes* the need for training of security forces **and intelligence agencies** in order to sensitize them to human rights while dealing with terrorism and related activities;

(South Africa)

New operative paragraph 19bis

Add a new paragraph after operative paragraph 19 to read as follows:

19bis. *Underscores* that in a constitutional State, the security organs must be considered as the principal guardians of citizens' rights;

(Morocco)

Add a new paragraph, after operative paragraph 19, to read as follows:

19bis. Urges national parliaments to pass legislation that will require law enforcement agents to deliver terror suspects to the judicial authorities immediately upon arrest to avoid them being taken anywhere else for interrogation or further detention;

(Philippines)

Operative paragraph 20

Move operative paragraph 20 to the place of operative paragraph 9quater.

(South Africa)

Amend to read as follows:

20. Recommends that national governments work towards greater regional **and global** cooperation with regard to implementing anti-terrorism strategies and establishing anti-terrorism centres;

(Venezuela)

Operative paragraph 21

Delete the existing paragraph.

(France)

Move operative paragraph 21 to the place of operative paragraph 9quinquies.

(South Africa)

New operative paragraph 21bis

Add a new paragraph, after operative paragraph 21, to read as follows:

21 bis. *Underscores* the need to distinguish between terrorism and the struggles of peoples to liberate their land and regain their legitimate rights in accordance with international law;

(Algeria)

Amend to read as follows:

22. Calls on all parliaments and urges the Inter-Parliamentary Union to develop training programmes designed to build the capacity of parliamentarians in order to address complex issues in an effective manner; and welcomes the sharing among parliaments of best practices on such initiatives.

(Japan)

Amend to read as follows:

22. Calls on all parliaments and urges the Inter-Parliamentary Union to develop training programmes and to establish national human rights training centres designed to raise awareness of human rights and build the capacity of parliamentarians in order to help them strike a balance between national security, human security and individual freedoms and to address complex issues in an effective manner.

(Republic of Korea)

Amend to read as follows:

22. Calls on all parliaments and urges the Inter-Parliamentary Union to develop training programmes designed to build the capacity of parliamentarians in order to address complex issues the linkages between national security, human security and individual freedoms in an effective manner.

(Romania)

New operative paragraphs 22bis, 22ter, 22quater, 22quinquies and 22sexies

Add five new paragraphs after operative paragraph 22 to read as follows:

- 22bis. Invites parliaments and the governments of countries of origin of patented drugs for endemic and life-threatening diseases such as HIV, tuberculosis and malaria, among others, to cancel those patents and allow the free use of such drugs;
- 22ter. Encourages parliaments to reduce agricultural subsidies in order to foster greater international competition, thereby allowing countries unable to grant subsidies to contribute to such competition;
- 22quater. Requests the international financial and/or economic institutions, such as the International Monetary Fund and the Inter-American Development Bank, to refrain from advocating recessionary policies;
- 22quinquies. Recommends that appropriate measures be taken to prevent international tribunals from overstepping their jurisdiction so as to achieve the goals of reducing poverty, preventing recessionary policies and exercising closer parliamentary scrutiny;
- 22sexies. Expresses its concern at the action of international arbitral tribunals (ICSID) the offspring of multilateral lending agencies which have been distorted into instruments for gauging the policies of dominant States;

(Argentina)

New operative paragraphs 22bis and 22ter

Add two new paragraphs after operative paragraph 22 to read as follows:

22bis. Recommends that parliaments do not content themselves with framing several laws or adopting international conventions, recommendations and resolutions on human rights and human freedoms only to subsequently put them aside, but that they ensure that governments take the necessary measures for their implementation and execution, in order to prevent all cases of inhuman treatment;

22ter. Recommends that the United Nations, and in particular the IPU Committee on United Nations Affairs, cooperate more with the Member Parliaments of the Inter-Parliamentary Union in order to implement all resolutions dealing with human security;

(Morocco)

Add a new paragraph, after operative paragraph 22, to read as follows:

22bis. Recognizes the importance of establishing an independent national human rights institution and a National Action Plan for the promotion and protection of human rights in striking a balance between national security, human security and individual freedoms and seeking to complete the realization of democracy and urges parliaments to establish a national human rights institution and enact a law, upon which basic frameworks for national human rights policies can be based;

(Republic of Korea)

Add a new paragraph, after operative paragraph 22, to read as follows:

22bis. Requests that parliaments guarantee total respect of the principle of nonrefoulement established in the framework of international refugee law and international human rights law, while recalling that international refugee law provides for exclusion clauses;

(Switzerland)