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The Human Rights Council,

Recalling all previous resolutions on internally displaced persons adopted by the General Assembly, the Commission on Human Rights and the Human Rights Council, including Assembly resolution 66/165 of 19 December 2011 and Council resolutions 14/6 of 17 June 2010 and 20/9 of 5 July 2012,

Recalling also General Assembly resolution 46/182 of 19 December 1991 on the strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian emergency assistance of the United Nations, and the Guiding Principles on Internal Displacement annexed thereto,

Emphasizing that States have the primary responsibility to provide protection and assistance to internally displaced persons within their jurisdiction, including through the facilitation of durable solutions, and to address the root causes of the displacement problem in appropriate cooperation with the international community,

Deeply disturbed by the alarmingly high number of internally displaced persons throughout the world, for reasons including armed conflict, generalized violence, violations of international law, in particular human rights law, and natural or human-made disasters, who receive inadequate protection and assistance, and conscious of the serious challenges that this is creating for the international community,

- 1. Calls for recognition of the IDPs status in International Law,
- 2. *Proposes* to make the Guidance Principles on Internal Displacement and use them as the main grounds for the regulation of such movement,
- 3. *Calls for* continuation of cooperation with the UN member-states, UN agencies and other relevant actors in order to strengthen further international assistance as an essential part of durable solutions,
- 4. Asks all the countries to support IDPs with humanitarian help,
- Calls upon creation of a permanent committee which will collect data and monitor supporting system of IDPs in countries, which have IDPs or under a risk of their appearances,
- 6. Recommends to provide necessary legal basis for cooperation with national and international humanitarian partners, including provisions to facilitate the immediate entry of humanitarian personnel and goods,
- 7. Asks governments to provide:
 - (a) good conditions (clothes, medical treatment, accommodation, etc.),
 - (b) transportation of IDPs to safe places,
 - (c) protection of certain displaced persons such as children, women, persons with disabilities and elderly persons,
- 8. *Encourages* to continue development and implementation of domestic legislation and policies dealing with all stages of displacement in non-discriminatory way.