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We will develop national policies of inclusion for migrants ensuring access to all types and levels of education, access to health care and employment at all skill levels, which will support their livelihood opportunities. We will guarantee cultural orientation and language training with the aim of ensuring an adequate inclusion, as a positive asset to the host society.

(Based on Paragraphs 65 and 103 (e) SG Report for HLMMR, 70/59).

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We reaffirm our commitment to protect the human rights of migrant children, given their vulnerability, particularly unaccompanied migrant children, and to provide for their health, education and psychosocial development, ensuring that the best interests of the child are a primary consideration in policies of integration, return and family reunification.

(Based on Paragraph No. 13 , High Level Dialogue on Migration and Development, A/68/4)

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We further emphasize the potential of adolescents and young migrants to build social economic and cultural bridges of cooperation and understanding across societies.

(Based on Paragraph No. 19 , High Level Dialogue on Migration and Development, A/68/4)

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We recognize the need to address the special situation and vulnerability of migrant women and girls by, inter alia, incorporating a gender perspective into migration policies and strengthening national laws, institutions and programmes to combat gender-based violence, including trafficking in persons and discrimination against women and girls;

(Based on Paragraph No. 11 , High Level Dialogue on Migration and Development, A/68/4)

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We affirm that children should not be criminalized or subject to punitive measures because of their or their parents' migration status. The detention of children because of their or their parent's migration status is a violation of children's rights and always contravenes the principle of the best interests of the child. States should adopt alternatives to detention that fulfil the best interests of the child and guarantee treatment with humanity and respect for their inherent dignity.

(Based on paragraph No. 78 of the General Discussion CRC, 2012 and in Art. 37 c) CRC)

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While recognizing the contribution of civil society, including non-governmental organizations, to promoting the well-being of migrants and their integration into societies, especially at times of extreme vulnerable conditions, and the support of the international community to the efforts of such organizations, we commit to deepen the interaction between Governments and civil society to find responses to the challenges and the opportunities posed by international migration.

(Based on Paragraph No. 21 , High Level Dialogue on Migration and Development, A/68/4)

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We reaffirm that remittance flows constitute sources of private capital and are instrumental in improving the well-being of recipients, but cannot be equated to foreign direct investment, official development assistance, or other public sources of financing for development. We commit to further address and promote conditions for cheaper, faster and safer transfers of remittances in both source and recipient countries. In line with the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and the Addis Ababa Action Agenda, by 2030 we will work towards reducing the average transaction cost of migrant remittances to less than 3 per cent and we will ensure that no remittance corridor requires charges higher than 5 per cent.

Addis Abeba Action Agenda (para. 40), target 10.c SDGs and pp12 y pp13 of A/RES/69/229 on international migration and development.

<p>3. <u>Commitments for migrants</u></p>	
<p>3.1 We commit to protecting the safety, dignity, and human rights and fundamental freedoms of all migrants, regardless of their migratory status, at all times. We will cooperate closely with each other to facilitate and ensure safe, orderly and regular and responsible migration, including return and readmission.</p>	<p>Delete “responsible” to keep it in line with para. 29 of the Agenda.</p> <p>Argentina, Brasil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Mexico, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela.</p>
<p>3.2 We acknowledge reaffirm our responsibility to safeguard the rights, protect the interests, and assist, our migrant communities abroad, including through consular protection, assistance and cooperation. We also reaffirm that everyone has the right to leave any country, including his or her own, and to return to his or her country. We underline the right of migrants to return to their country of citizenship. We recall also that States must readmit their returning nationals who have no right to stay in other countries and ensure that they are duly received and they must ensure the readmission of their nationals without undue delay.</p>	<p>Add from Vienna Convention: “protection, assistance and”</p> <p>Add from A/RES/70/147 “We also reaffirm that everyone has the right to leave any country, including his or her own, and to return to his or her country.”</p> <p>Delete “We underline the right of migrants to return to their country of citizenship.”</p> <p>Argentina, Brasil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Mexico, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela.</p>
<p>3.3 We will address the conditions that create, or exacerbate, large movements of migrants. We will analyse, and respond to, the factors which lead to, or contribute to, these movements. We believe migration should be a choice, not a necessity. We will respect and safeguard, in the first instance, the right of people to remain in safety in their homes. We will take measures, inter alia, to implement the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, whose objectives include eradicating extreme poverty and hunger everywhere, and inequality, promoting peaceful and inclusive societies, creating conditions for balanced inclusive and economic growth and employment, combatting environmental degradation and ensuring effective responses to natural disasters and climate change. In the latter respect, we will support efforts by Member States at risk to mitigate, and adapt to, the effects of climate change.</p>	<p>Delete second half for streamlining the text as the Agenda was already mentioned. Also we cannot pick and choose from the Agenda.</p> <p>Important to highlight the right to migrate, going back to the zero draft.</p> <p>Argentina, Brasil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Cuba, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay.</p>

3.4 We recall the emphasis in the 2030 Agenda on the positive contribution made by migrants to inclusive growth and sustainable development. We reiterate that emphasis today. Migrants make a profound contributions to economic and social development in their host societies and to global wealth creation. They help to respond to demographic trends, labour shortages and other challenges in host societies and they add fresh skills and dynamism to the latter's economies. We would like ~~this~~ **these** contributions to be more widely recognized and, indeed, strengthened in the context of implementation of the 2030 Agenda.

Put "contributions" in plural
Change "this contribution" with "these contributions"

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3.5 We will ensure that all aspects of migration and reintegration after return are ~~mainstreamed~~ are **incorporated in national, regional and** global, regional and national sustainable development plans and humanitarian policies and programmes.

Replace "migration and reintegration after return" with "all aspects of migration"
Change "mainstreamed" with "incorporated"
Delete "humanitarian"

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We will ensure that development cooperation is not linked or conditioned by agreements on readmission, stronger border control or other areas not directly associated with efforts to promote sustainable development, eradicate poverty and combat inequality.

Proposal for new para. Argentina, Brasil, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Paraguay, Uruguay.

3.6 We welcome the work done by the Global Migration Group to develop principles and practical guidance on the protection of the human rights of migrants in vulnerable situations within large and/or mixed movements.

To incorporate in 3.9 at the end of the paragraph.
 Keep the reference to the 3 initiatives.

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3.7 Reaffirming the importance of a strong normative framework to **protect the rights of support** migrants, we call upon States that have not done so to consider **signing**, ratifying, or acceding to, the 1990 Convention on the Protection of the Rights of All Migrant Workers and Members of their Families. We call also on States that have not done so to consider acceding to relevant International Labour Organization conventions, as appropriate. We note, in addition, that migrants enjoy rights and protection under various **instruments** branches of international law.

Move up in the text after 3.3

Keep reference to conventions.

Change “protect the rights of” en lugar de “support”

Replace “branches” with “instruments”

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3.8 We ~~wish~~ **commit** to strengthen global governance for migration. We therefore warmly support and welcome the [agreement] to bring the International Organization for Migration, an organization with a global leading role in the field of migration, into a closer legal and working relationship with the United Nations. We look forward to the implementation of this [agreement] which will assist migrants, help Member States to address migration issues and promote better coherence between migration and related policy domains.

Replace “wish” with “commit”

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3.9 We will assist migrants in countries which are experiencing conflicts or natural disasters. We welcome in this regard the “Migrants in Countries in Crisis” initiative, whose valuable contribution has included the recent publication of detailed guidelines to protect migrants in this predicament. We welcome also the Agenda for the Protection of Cross-Border Displaced Persons in the Context of Disasters and Climate Change emanating from the Nansen Initiative.

3.10 ~~We will develop guidelines, in accordance with the existing rules of international law, on the treatment of migrants in vulnerable situations who are not in need of international protection as refugees and who may need assistance. These could be developed using a State-led process with the involvement of all relevant stakeholders.~~

Delete the paragraph as the issue is covered on resolutions of HRC and GA on migrants on vulnerable situations, as well as in the initiatives mentioned in the previous paragraphs.

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3.11 We ~~welcome~~ **encourage and support** the initiatives taken by ~~some~~ Member States in providing complimentary protection to ~~certain~~ migrants who do not qualify for ~~are not~~ refugees status . ~~with temporary protection against return.~~

Several draft suggestions. It should read:

“We **encourage and support** initiatives taken by Member States in providing complimentary protection to migrants who do not qualify for refugee status.”

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3.12 We will ~~build on existing~~ **promote** bilateral, regional and global cooperation mechanisms, **in accordance with international law, to ensure** for facilitating safe, regular and orderly migration. We will strengthen cooperation to this end among countries of origin, transit and destination, international organizations, regional economic organizations, local authorities, private sector recruiters and employers, labour unions, civil society and migrant and diaspora groups. ~~We recognize that support is particularly important for local authorities who are the first receivers of migrants.~~

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3.13 We recognise the progress made on international migration and development issues within the United Nations system, including the High-Level Dialogues on International Migration and Development. We will support enhanced global and regional dialogue and deepened collaboration on migration, particularly through exchanges of best practice and mutual learning and the development of national or regional initiatives. We note in this regard the valuable contribution of the Global Forum on Migration and Development.

3.14 We will foster more opportunities for safe, orderly and regular migration, including employment creation, labour mobility at all skill levels, circular migration, family reunification and education-related opportunities. ~~We will be sensitive to the needs of fragile states and countries and areas which are in crisis.~~ We will pay particular attention **to the protection of labor rights of migrants, regardless of their migratory status,** issues such as the ethical recruitment of migrants, the reduction of recruitment and other migration-related costs, ~~the facilitation and productive use of remittance flows,~~ enhanced transfers of skills and knowledge and the creation of employment opportunities for young people.

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We will present a proposal on the issue of **remittances** in the line with the commitments made in the 2030 Agenda and the AAAP

Proposal for new para. from **Argentina, Brasil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Mexico, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela.**

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3.15 We strongly encourage cooperation between, on the one hand, countries of origin or nationality and, on the other, countries of destination and other relevant countries in ensuring that migrants who do not meet the criteria for staying in the latter can return to their country of origin or nationality in a safe, orderly and dignified manner. Any type of return, whether voluntary or otherwise, must be consistent with international human rights standards. It must also respect the rules of international law and must in addition be in keeping with the best interests of children and with due process. We support enhanced reception and reintegration assistance for those who are returned.

3.16 We commit to launch a process of intergovernmental negotiations leading to the adoption of a Global Compact for Safe, Regular and Orderly Migration. This Global Compact will set out a range of principles and understandings among UN Member States regarding international migration in all its dimensions. It will make an important contribution to global governance on this set of issues, will deal with the humanitarian, developmental, human rights-related and other aspects of migration and will be rooted in the 2030 Agenda. It will build on the commitments we are making today and will take account also of other proposals and recommendations, including from civil society, the private sector and other relevant stakeholders.

3.17 The negotiation process, which will begin in the coming months, will culminate in an intergovernmental conference in 2018 at which the Global Compact will be adopted. This will be developed and negotiated with close reference to the Global Compact on Responsibility-Sharing for Refugees, which we are adopting today. Both Global Compacts have equal status and will be complementary to each other and also to this Declaration.

Reserve position on para. 2.15 Argentina, Brasil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Mexico, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay, Venezuela.

3.18 We invite the President of the General Assembly to make arrangements for determination of the modalities, timeline and other practicalities relating to the negotiation process. We note in this respect that the Third High-Level Dialogue on International Migration and Development is to be held at UN HQ in New York “by no later than 2019” and that a role could be envisaged for the HLD within the process. We expect that the International Organization for Migration would provide support for the negotiations. The Global Forum for Migration and Development and the Global Migration Group might also make contributions; and in addition we encourage regional consultations in support of the negotiations.

3.19 We note that the Special Representative of the Secretary General on International Migration will be providing a report on the issues within his remit before the end of the year.

To conclude, our countries are extremely concern on the lack of references to the situation of migrant children and the access to health and education. We will propose language on this regards in the upcoming informal meeting.

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