

Permanent Mission of Monaco to the United Nations



Permanent Mission of Tunisia to the United Nations

New York, 01 August 2013

Excellencies,

We have the honor to enclose herewith the revised draft text of the Resolution on "International Day of Sport for Development and Peace" which reflected the views and proposals expressed by different delegations during the last informal consultations held 22nd July 2013.

The co-facilitators will convene the third meeting for the informal consultations on **Monday 12th**August 2013, from 10.00 to 13.00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

We look forward to an active participation and a productive and constructive discussion.

Please accept, Excellencies, the assurances of our highest consideration.

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International Day of Sport for Development and Peace

The General Assembly,

PP1 Recalling its resolutions 48/10 of 25 October 1993 in which it proclaimed 1994 as the International Year of Sport and the Olympic Ideal, 48/11 of 25 October 1993 entitled "Observance of the Olympic Truce", 49/29 of 7 December 1994 and 50/13 of 7 November 1995 entitled "The Olympic Ideal", as well as its resolutions entitled "Building a peaceful and better world through sport and the Olympic ideal", 52/21 of 25 November 1997, 54/34 of 24 November 1999, 56/75 of 11 December 2001, 58/6 of 3 November 2003, 60/8 of 3 November 2005, 62/4 of 31 October 2007, 64/4 of 19 October 2009 and 66/5 of 17 October 2011,

PP2 Recalling also its resolutions entitled "Sport as a means to promote education, health, development and peace", 58/5 of 3 November 2003 in which it proclaimed 2005 the International Year for Sport and Physical Education, 59/10 of 27 October 2004, 60/9 of 3 November 2005, 61/10 of 3 November 2006, 62/271 of 23 July 2008, 63/135 of 11 December 2008, 65/4 of 18 October 2010 and 67/17 of 28 November 2012,

PP3 Reaffirming its resolutions 60/1 of 16 September 2005 entitled "2005 World Summit Outcome" in which it recognized the potential of sport to contribute to the achievement of the Millennium Development Goals, underlining that sports can foster peace and development and can contribute to an atmosphere of tolerance and understanding, 65/1 of 22 September 2010 entitled "Keeping the promise: united to achieve the Millennium Development Goals" in which it recognized that sport, as a tool for education, development and peace, can promote cooperation, solidarity, tolerance, understanding, social inclusion and health at the local, national and international levels and 66/2 of 19 September 2011 entitled "Political Declaration of the Highlevel Meeting of the General Assembly on the Prevention and Control of Non-communicable Diseases" in which it promotes healthy lifestyles, in particular through physical activity,

PP3bis Reaffirming also Economic and Social Council resolution 1980/67 of 25 July 1980 on the proclamation of international years and anniversaries as well as General Assembly resolutions 53/199 of 15 December 1998 and 61/185 of 20 December 2006,

PP4 Recalling the role of the International Olympic Committee in placing sport at the service of humankind, promoting a peaceful society and healthy lifestyles by associating sport with culture and education and safeguarding human dignity and welcoming the partnerships it has established with many United Nations system organizations, including the International Forum on Sport for Peace and Development, jointly organized with the United Nations Office on Sport for Development and Peace,

- 1. Decides to proclaim 6 April as the International Day of Sport for Development and Peace,
- 2. Invites all Member States, the United Nations system and in particular the United Nations Office on Sport for Development and Peace, relevant international organizations as well as international, regional and national sports organizations, civil society, including non-governmental organizations and the private sector, and all other relevant stakeholders to cooperate, observe and raise awareness of International Day of Sport for Development and Peace,
- 3. Stresses that the costs of all activities that may arise from the implementation of the present resolution should be met from voluntary contributions, subject to the availability and provision of voluntary contribution for this specific purpose,
- 4. Requests the Secretary-General to include in his report to be submitted to the General Assembly at its seventy-first session under agenda item entitled "Sport for development and peace" a summary on the implementation of the present resolution,
- 5. *Requests also* the Secretary-General to bring the present resolution to the attention of all Member States and the United Nations system.