Seventy-third session
Agenda item 14
Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields

Canada and Egypt: draft resolution
Commemoration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the International Conference on Population and Development

The General Assembly,

Considering that 2019 will mark the twenty-fifth anniversary of the International Conference on Population and Development, held in Cairo from 5 to 13 September 1994,

1. Decides to mark the twenty-fifth anniversary of the International Conference on Population and Development at a half-day, high-level plenary meeting of the General Assembly during its seventy-third session, in the afternoon session of 16 July, to be held in the General Assembly Hall;

2. Requests the President of the General Assembly, with support from relevant United Nations agencies, to finalize the organizational arrangements for the high-level plenary meeting in consultation with Member States;

3. Decides that the high-level plenary meeting shall feature statements by the President of the General Assembly, the Secretary-General, the Executive Director of the United Nations Population Fund, the Under-Secretary-General for Economic and Social Affairs, Member States, and invites observers of the General Assembly to address the high-level plenary meeting, as well as a representative of civil society to be identified by the President of the General Assembly, taking into consideration time constraints;

4. Requests the President of the General Assembly to draw up a list of interested representatives of non-governmental organizations in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council who may participate in the high-level meeting;

5. Also requests the President of the General Assembly, in a timely manner, to draw up a list of other representatives of relevant non-governmental organizations,
civil society organizations, academic institutions and the private sector who may attend the high-level plenary meeting, taking into account the principles of transparency and of equitable geographical representation, and with due regard to the meaningful participation of women, and to submit the list to Member States for their consideration on a non-objection basis.¹

¹ The list of proposed as well as final names will be brought to the attention of the General Assembly. Where a name is objected to, the objecting Member State will, on a voluntary basis, make known to the Office of the President of the General Assembly the general basis of its objections and the Office will share any information received with any Member State upon its request.