

ECOSOC Discusses Debt

The Economic and Social Committee was all about change and communication for their first resolution on Global Debt. This was not the original topic on the agenda for the night. Instead of beginning with Global Competition for Food Resources, they went ahead to Global Debt. A majority of the delegates supported the resolution submitted by Libya, but there was quite the debate on removing and adding operative clauses from Libya's resolution to Greece's. The delegate from Greece brought his resolution to the other delegate's attention once he saw it was towards the end.

Unfriendly amendments were floating around the room quite frequently while other delegates were providing their opinion on a possible fourth amendment for Libya's resolution. Global debt may or may not be fixed by wealthier countries if it is a voluntary action, but a proposed resolution with specific detail and possibly a little more demanding language could get the job done. Up to this point the committee has only worked on one resolution, which may or may not get passed by the end of the night.

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