

Progress Hungry Committee Debates Global Debt

A committee ready to begin falls quickly into session. The Economic and Social Committee was full of poised and determined delegates, ready to get to work. Understanding the sensitivity of what needed to be achieved in the allotted amount of time, debate over the topic of discussion order did not last long.

Considering the topics of this Committee, Global Competition for Food Resources, Global Debt, Microloans, and the Digital Divide, many delegates believed certain topics were of far more vitality than others. The delegate from China said she believes that global competition for food resources was a topic that could not be put off. However, many delegates thought that attacking global debt would create a long lasting solution to global competition for food resources. This logic could not be denied by the rest of the committee, thus global debt would be the opening topic for the Economic and Social Committee.

Hungry for progress, the committee dove into debate. The delegates of this committee wanted time to consider the various resolutions of this topic in the hopes of deciding on one

that would appropriately mend the problem at hand, so a ten minute un-moderated caucus was called and passed.

Immediately after the caucus, resolution R-2/7 was brought into consideration by the delegate from India. The rest of the committee seemed to disagree as the consideration of this resolution was opposed by most nations. Following the denial of resolution R-2/7, resolution R-2/10 was brought into consideration. This resolution passed into consideration easily as it was widely supported by the committee. In order to more closely examine the resolution and discuss amendments, the delegates of this committee decided the best approach was to call a ten minute un-moderated caucus. A sense of determination swept across the room as delegates filed into groups, debating the future of the world. Disagreements were had, and objections were voiced, but nothing would slow this committee in attempting to better their lives, and yours.

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