Resolution presented by the delegation of the

Federal Republic of Germany

Topic Conflicts and international security

Concerns the distribution of the number of refugees among all States with reception capacity

The General Assembly,

Deploring the growing number of refugees driven from their countries by armed conflict or forced to flee for other reasons,

Alarmed by the lack of solidarity of many States with a clear capacity to receive refugees, such a reception being particularly important in this period of multiple armed conflicts,

Accusing of lack of humanity and non-respect of the rights of refugees, in particular the Geneva Convention, the too many States that do not welcome a number of refugees corresponding to their reception capacity,

Recalling that the reception of refugees is able to contribute in the medium term to economic growth as well as to the cultural and social development of the host States,

Decides to distribute the number of refugees equitably among all States with reception capacity and, to this end:

- to convene an international meeting to determine the respective refugee reception capacities of the States concerned and to establish the criteria and procedures for distributing the number of refugees between these States;

- to take concrete and immediate measures to ensure the professional integration of refugees in the host States;

- to support the States through which the refugees transit by all appropriate means in order to organize the distribution of the latter among the host States.

The French version is authorative.