



## **Human Rights Council**

### **10/28. United Nations Declaration on Human Rights Education and Training**

*The Human Rights Council,*

*Recalling* resolution 6/10 of the Human Rights Council of 28 September 2007 by which the Council requested the Human Rights Council Advisory Committee to prepare a draft Declaration on Human Rights Education and Training, to be presented to the Human Rights Council for consideration,

*Mindful and appreciative* of the efforts made on this issue by the International Labour Organization, the United Nations Children's Fund, the United Nations Development Programme and the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights as well as by other relevant stakeholders, including educators and non-governmental organizations,

*Underlining* in particular the role of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization in promoting human rights education,

*Welcoming* the interest expressed by a high number of stakeholders in their answers to the questionnaire prepared by the Advisory Committee seeking their views and inputs on the possible elements of the content of the draft Declaration on Human Rights Education and Training,

*Welcoming with satisfaction* the progress report on the draft Declaration on Human Rights Education and Training presented to the Council by the Committee at the current session,

1. *Urges* all relevant stakeholders that have not yet done so to submit their responses to the questionnaire prepared by the Advisory Committee on the possible elements of the content of the Declaration and to take into account existing relevant instruments;

2. *Welcomes* the initiative of the Platform for Human Rights Education and Training to organize a seminar, with the participation of experts and specialists and the assistance and expertise of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights and all interested parties, in order to further the reflection on elements to be included in the draft Declaration;

3. *Requests* the Human Rights Council Advisory Committee to submit its draft Declaration on Human Rights Education and Training to the Council for consideration at its thirteenth session in March 2010.

*45th meeting*  
*27 March 2009*  
[Adopted without a vote.]

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