ODUMUNC Sample Resolution

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Body: General Assembly, Fourth Committee
Topic: Anti-Colonialism in all its Elements
Title: Question of Palestine
Sponsoring States: Egypt, German Democratic Republic, Jordan, Libya, Tunisia, Viet Nam, Zambia

The General Assembly,

Having considered the question of Palestine,

Having heard the statement of the Palestine Liberation Organization, the representative of the Palestinian people, and other statements made during the debate,

Deeply concerned that no just solution to the problem of Palestine has yet been achieved and recognizing that the problem of Palestine continues to endanger international peace and security,

Recognizing that the Palestinian people is entitled to self-determination in accordance with the Charter of the United Nations,

Recalling its relevant resolutions which affirm the right of the Palestinian people to self-determination,

1. Reaffirms the inalienable rights of the Palestinian people in Palestine, including the right to self-determination without external interference, to national independence and sovereignty;
2. Reaffirms also the inalienable right of the Palestinians to return to their homes and property;
3. Recognizes that the Palestinian people is a principal party in the establishment of a just and lasting peace in the Middle East;
4. Further recognizes the right of the Palestinian people to regain its rights by all means in accordance with the purposes and principles of the Charter of the United Nations;
5. Appeals to all States to extend their support to the Palestinian people in its struggle to restore its rights, in accordance with the Charter;
6. Decides to include the item entitled “Question of Palestine” in the provisional agenda of its thirtieth session.

Note: This controversial but short example became UN General Assembly resolution 3236 (Session XXIX). Question of Palestine, passed 22 November 1974.

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