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Draft resolution submitted by the Vice-Chair of the Committee, Purnomo Ahmad Chandra (Indonesia), on the basis of informal consultations on draft resolution [A/C.2/70/L.44](#)

International trade and development

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolutions 56/178 of 21 December 2001, 57/235 of 20 December 2002, 58/197 of 23 December 2003, 63/203 of 19 December 2008, 66/185 of 22 December 2011, 67/196 of 21 December 2012, 68/199 of 20 December 2013 and 69/205 of 19 December 2014,

Taking note of its resolutions 59/221 of 22 December 2004, 60/184 of 22 December 2005, 61/186 of 20 December 2006, 62/184 of 19 December 2007, 64/188 of 21 December 2009 and 65/142 of 20 December 2010,

Reaffirming its resolution 70/1 of 25 September 2015, entitled “Transforming our world: the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development”, recognizing that it builds on the Millennium Development Goals and seeks to complete their unfinished business, and stressing the importance of the implementation of this new ambitious Agenda, which has poverty eradication at its core and aims at promoting the economic, social and environmental dimensions of sustainable development,

Reaffirming also its resolution 69/313 of 27 July 2015 on the Addis Ababa Action Agenda of the Third International Conference on Financing for Development, which is an integral part of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, supports and complements it and helps to contextualize its means of implementation targets with concrete policies and actions within the framework of a revitalized Global Partnership for Sustainable Development,



1. *Takes note* of the report of the Trade and Development Board of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development¹ and the report of the Secretary-General;²
2. *Reaffirms* the commitments made through the adoption of the Addis Ababa Action Agenda³ in, inter alia, international trade, as an important action area for sustainable development;
3. *Welcomes* the convening of the Tenth Ministerial Conference of the World Trade Organization, to be held from 15 to 18 December 2015 in Nairobi, and expresses its appreciation to the Government of Kenya for hosting the meeting;
4. *Also welcomes* the convening of the fourteenth session of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, to be held from 17 to 22 July 2016 in Kenya;
5. *Requests* the Secretary-General, in collaboration with the secretariat of the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development, to submit to the General Assembly at its seventy-first session a report on the implementation of the present resolution, and decides to include, under the item entitled “Macroeconomic policy questions”, the sub-item entitled “International trade and development” in the provisional agenda of its seventy-first session, unless otherwise agreed in the discussions on the revitalization of the Second Committee.

¹ [A/70/15](#) (Parts I-IV).

² [A/70/277](#).

³ Resolution 69/313.