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Agenda item 159

**Observer status for the International Institute for Democracy  
and Electoral Assistance in the General Assembly**

**Australia, Belgium, Burkina Faso, Canada, Chile, Costa Rica, Denmark,  
Finland, Germany, Namibia, Netherlands, Nigeria, Portugal, Republic of Korea,  
South Africa, Spain and Sweden: draft resolution**

**Observer status for the International Institute for Democracy and  
Electoral Assistance in the General Assembly**

*The General Assembly,*

*Wishing* to promote cooperation between the United Nations and the International Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance,

1. *Decides* to invite the International Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance to participate in the sessions and the work of the General Assembly in the capacity of observer;
  2. *Requests* the Secretary-General to take the necessary action to implement the present resolution.
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