United Nations A/HRC/31/L.42



Distr.: Limited 22 March 2016

Original: English

## **Human Rights Council**

Thirty-first session
Agenda item 3
Promotion and protection of all human rights, civil,
political, economic, social and cultural rights,
including the right to development

China, Cuba, Egypt,  $^*$  Pakistan,  $^*$  Russian Federation: amendment to draft resolution A/HRC/31/L.28

## 31/... Protecting human rights defenders addressing economic, social and cultural rights

Delete the third and fourth preambular paragraphs, and insert a new paragraph reading

Recalling General Assembly resolution 53/144 of 9 December 1998, by which the Assembly adopted by consensus the Declaration on the Right and Responsibility of Individuals, Groups and Organs of Society to Promote and Protect Universally Recognized Human Rights and Fundamental Freedoms, and all previous General Assembly and Human Rights Council resolutions on this subject,

<sup>\*</sup> Non-member State of the Human Rights Council.





