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### Draft resolution submitted by the Chairman of the Commission on Sustainable Development

The Commission on Sustainable Development recommends to the Economic and Social Council the adoption of the following draft resolution:

### Support for the travel of representatives from developing countries and countries with economies in transition to future sessions of the Commission on Sustainable Development

*The Economic and Social Council,*

*Recalling* General Assembly resolution 59/227 of 22 December 2004, in which the Assembly encouraged, inter alia, a broad-based participation of Government representatives and experts in the meetings of the Commission on Sustainable Development,

*Emphasizing* that such broad participation of representatives and experts from developing countries is key to a balanced review of thematic clusters of issues of the implementation cycles,

1. *Invites* donor Governments, institutions and other organizations to provide contributions to the Trust Fund to Support the Work of the Commission on Sustainable Development;

2. *Recommends* that the General Assembly decide that support to participants from developing countries, with priority to the least developed countries, as well as from countries with economies in transition, may be provided from the Trust Fund for travel from funds designated for that purpose.