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Recapitulation of amendments to article 24 of the draft Declaration (E/800)

(In the chronological order of their submission to the Committee)

Article 24:   (Text adopted by the Commission on Human Rights)

Everyone has the right to rest and leisure.

Amendments:

Union of Soviet Socialist Republics (E/800)

Add to the text adopted:

"Everyone shall be guaranteed rest and leisure either by law or by contractual agreements, particular provision being made for the reasonable limitation of working hours and for periodical paid holidays."

Philippines (A/C.3/239)

"Everyone has the right to good health and is entitled to due rest and leisure."

Argentina (A/C.3/251)

Substitute the following text:

"Every person has the right to leisure time, to wholesome recreation, and to the opportunity for advantageous use of his free time to his spiritual, cultural, and physical benefit."

Cuba (A/C.3/261)

Amend as follows:

"Every person has the right to leisure time and to the opportunity for advantageous use of his free time to his spiritual, cultural and physical benefit."

Egypt (A/C.3/264)

Replace this article by the following text:

"Everyone has the right to rest, reasonable leisure and the opportunity of using his leisure for his mental, cultural and physical development."

Panama (A/C.3/280)

Add after the word "leisure" the following phrase: in such measure

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as may be required for the maintenance of the physical and mental health and well-being of the working man or woman.

The article would then read as follows:

"Everyone has the right to rest and leisure in such measure as may be required for the maintenance of the physical and mental health and well-being of the working man and woman."

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