

**35TH SESSION - UNESCO GENERAL CONFERENCE
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Date	Monday, 19 October 2009	Room	XII
N° meeting	Sixth Meeting	Hour	From: 3 pm To: 8.30 pm
Chairperson(s)	Ms Salwa Saniora Baassiri	Country	Lebanon

SUMMARY OF DEBATE ON ITEM 4.2

Items examined	Item 4.2 – Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2010-2011 – Part II. A: Major Programme III – Social and Human Sciences Biennial sectoral priority 1: Responding to critical global social challenges (Main Line of Action 1: Promoting human rights in UNESCO's domains and fostering dialogue on emerging social issues)
Debate status	Continuation
Related documents	35 C/5 Rev. and Corr. 35 C/6 and Add 35 C/8 35 C/8 SHS 35 C/INF.10 35 C/INF.13 35 C/INF.21
DRs examined	35 C/DR.50 35 C/DR.75
Countries that took floor	-
Summary of debate	1. After examination of draft resolution 35 CDR.50, it was adopted as amended by the Commission. 2. After examination of draft resolution 35 C/DR.75, it was withdrawn by the author.

SUMMARY OF DEBATE ITEM 5.7

Items examined	Item 5.7 – Report of the Director-General on the activities carried out to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights
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Debate status	Start + end of
Related documents	35 C/44
DRs examined	35 C/COM.SHS/DR.2
Countries that took floor	Austria, Algeria, Zambia, United States of America, Cuba, Republic of Korea, Canada, Netherlands, Philippines, Russian Federation, Togo, Colombia, Brazil, Pakistan, Benin, France, Côte d'Ivoire. One observer: the Holy See.
Summary of debate	<p>1. Mr Sané, Assistant Director-General for Social and Human Sciences (ADG/SHS), introduced the debate on Item 5.7 – Report of the Director-General on the activities carried out to celebrate the 60th anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. He recalled that the commemoration achieved to mobilize a dense network of partners. It brought to light that the Universal Declaration remains, even after 60 years, a valid reference today. And UNESCO's work on human rights seems all the more pertinent in the perspective of the current economic crisis.</p> <p>2. The following seventeen countries and one observer took the floor: Austria, Algeria, Zambia, United States of America, Cuba, Republic of Korea, Canada, Netherlands, Philippines, Russian Federation, Togo, Colombia, Brazil, Pakistan, Benin, France, Côte d'Ivoire, the Holy See (observer).</p> <p>3. After examination of draft resolution 35 C/COM.SHS/DR.2, it was adopted as amended by the Commission.</p> <p>4. After an extensive examination of the draft resolution contained in document 35 C/44, it was adopted as amended by the Commission.</p>

SUMMARY OF DEBATE ON ITEM 4.2

Items examined	Item 4.2 – Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2010-2011 – Part II. A: Major Programme III – Social and Human Sciences Biennial sectoral priority 1: Responding to critical global social challenges (Main Lines of Action 2 [Strengthening research-policy linkages for the management of social transformations] and 3 [Promoting policies on physical education, sports and anti-doping])
Debate status	Continuation
Related documents	<p>35 C/5 Rev. and Corr. 35 C/6 and Add 35 C/8 35 C/8 SHS 35 C/INF.5 35 C/INF.10 35 C/INF.13</p> <p>35 C/REP/17 35 C/REP/18</p>
DRs examined	35 C/DR.23

Countries that took floor	<p>Jordan, Indonesia, Belgium, Poland, Sweden, Republic of Korea, Mongolia, Switzerland, Finland, Ecuador, Madagascar, New Zealand, Zambia, Algeria, Russian Federation, Colombia, Germany, Côte d'Ivoire, Canada, Nigeria, Jamaica, Saudi Arabia, Philippines, Cuba, Greece, Turkey, Guinea, Kenya, Spain, Pakistan, Norway.</p> <p>Two observers: International Social Science Council (ISSC), International Fellowship of Reconciliation (IFOR).</p>
Summary of debate	<p>1. Mr Sané, Assistant Director-General for Social and Human Sciences (ADG/SHS), introduced the debate on Item 4.2 – Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2010-2011 – Part II. A: Major Programme III – Social and Human Sciences – Biennial sectoral priority 1: Responding to critical global social challenges (Main Lines of Action 2 [Strengthening research-policy linkages for the management of social transformations] and 3 [Promoting policies on physical education, sports and anti-doping]). He particularly insisted on the fact that the articulation between policy and research and the development of public policies is the priority of the UNESCO programmes related to this item.</p> <p>2. The following thirty-one countries and two observers took the floor: Jordan, Indonesia, Belgium, Poland, Sweden, Republic of Korea, Mongolia, Switzerland, Finland, Ecuador, Madagascar, New Zealand, Zambia, Algeria, Russian Federation, Colombia, Germany, Côte d'Ivoire, Canada, Nigeria, Jamaica, Saudi Arabia, Philippines, Cuba, Greece, Turkey, Guinea, Kenya, Spain, Pakistan, Norway, International Social Science Council – ISSC (observer), International Fellowship of Reconciliation – IFOR (observer).</p> <p>3. Mr Justin A. Ordoyo, delegate from the Youth Forum, presented the conclusions and recommendations of the Youth Forum, contained in the report 35 C/INF 5, to the Commission.</p> <p>4. The Chairperson informed the Commission that draft resolution 35 C/DR.23 had been withdrawn by its author.</p> <p>5. The discussion on Item 4.2 – Biennial sectoral priority 1 – Main Line of Action 2 and 3 was adjourned until the afternoon session of Tuesday 20 October.</p>

DETAILS NEXT MEETING

Date	Tuesday, 20 October 2009	Room	XII
N° meeting	Seventh Meeting	Hour	From: 3 pm To: 6 pm
Items to be examined	<p>(Continuation + End of) Item 4.2 – Consideration and adoption of the Draft Programme and Budget for 2010-2011 – Part II. A: Major Programme III – Social and Human Sciences Biennial sectoral priority 1: Responding to critical global social challenges (Main Lines of Action 2 [Strengthening research-policy linkages for the management of social transformations] and 3 [Promoting policies on physical education, sports and anti-doping])</p> <p>- Noting of reports of MOST and CIGEPS</p> <p>(Start + End of) Item 5.6 – Establishment of Category II Centres under the auspices of UNESCO</p> <p>(Start + End of) Item 5.8 – Revision of the statutes of the Intergovernmental Committee for Physical Education and Sport</p>		
Debate status	See 'Items to be examined'		
Related documents	35 C/5 Rev. and Corr.		

	35 C/6 and Add 35 C/8 35 C/8 SHS 35 C/INF.5 35 C/INF.10 35 C/INF.13 35 C/REP/17 35 C/REP/18 35 C/20 part XI 35 C/45
DRs to be examined	35 C/COM SHS/DR.1