

STATEMENT OF
THE DELEGATION OF THE REPUBLIC OF INDONESIA
ON THE SECOND RESUMED SESSION OF THE SIXTH COMMITTEE
TO CONTINUE ITS CONSIDERATION OF AGENDA ITEM 80
ON CRIMES AGAINST HUMANITY

Recommendation
of the International Law Commission Draft Articles
on the Prevention and Punishment of Crimes against Humanity

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Thank you, Mr. Chair,

On behalf of my delegation, I wish to express our sincere gratitude and congratulations to you, Mr. Chair, and the Bureau members, Co-Facilitators, as well as the Secretariat... for the diligent efforts in coordinating the program and logistics of this meeting.

We also wish to thank all members of the International Law Commission and Special Rapporteur, Mr. Sean D. Murphy, for their dedication and relentless work... in preparing the "Draft Articles on Prevention and Punishment of Crimes against Humanity," as reflected on the Report of the ILC (Doc. A/74/10).

Throughout our deliberations on the five clusters, the substantive exchanges have been thought-provoking, providing valuable insights into the multifaceted nature of the ILC Draft Articles.

Truly, these exchanges have been instrumental in helping us understand many aspects and complexities of the Draft Articles.

As we conclude the discussions on the clusters and now continue our discussions on the Recommendations, let us, **first**, continue prioritizing **respect for sovereignty and non-intervention principles**, in this Draft Articles, **as also enshrined in the UN Charter**.

It is essential that we uphold these principles, to ensure a fair and just international order that adheres to international law.

Second, it is crucial for us to continue recognizing the **primary jurisdiction of States** where crimes occur. Empowering States to address crimes within their borders is essential for promoting accountability and justice.

Indonesia, therefore, remains steadfast in its commitment to justice, accountability, and ending impunity.

Moving forward, Indonesia cannot emphasize enough the importance of **consensus**, in responding to the Recommendations contained in paragraph 42 of the ILC Report, regarding the Draft Articles on the Prevention and Punishment of Crimes against Humanity.

Indonesia stands ready to support and contribute to our common resolves, aiming at addressing Crimes Against Humanity, including, on any future actions taken by the Sixth Committee and the General Assembly regarding this Draft Articles.

Let us work together and demonstrate that multilateralism delivers.

I thank you.
