

MUNiSC Resolution Guidelines

General Information

- All resolutions should be on a Microsoft Office Word document. The font should be Times New Roman with font size 12. All documents should be single spaced. Lastly, acronyms and abbreviations should be defined the first time they are used.

Sub-Clauses

- A sub-clause or a sub-sub clause is used to expand on the solution suggested in the main body of an operative clause. For a sub-clause or a sub-sub clause to be used, at least two are required. If there is only one sub-clause or sub-sub clause, it should be merged with the preceding clause. There are no sub-sub-sub clause.

Things Not To Do

- Throughout the resolution, no text should be bolded. Moreover, do not number lines or pages.

Approval

Resolutions approved by the chair will receive a “D”. Therefore, the resolution will be named (D-Forum-Issue #-Resolution # | D-GA II-01-02). At the approval panel, an “A” will replace the “D” when the advisor approves the resolution. Therefore, the resolution will be named (A-Forum-Issue #-Resolution # | A-GA II-01-02).

Operative Clause Format

Main body of the operative clause	1. -----
Sub-Clause	a. -----
	b. -----
Sub-sub Clause	i. -----
	ii. -----

A sample resolution has been provide below.
It is to be used only as format template.

FORUM: General Assembly

QUESTION OF: Promoting gender-neutral solutions to the issue of climate change

MAIN-SUBMITTED BY: Colombia

CO-SUBMITTED BY: Amnesty International, Argentina, Bahrain, Belgium, Bosnia Herzegovina, Cameroon, Denmark, Djibouti, Egypt, Iran, Jordan, Kenya

2 spaces

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,

The present participles of preambulatory clauses should be italicized.

Applauding the efforts of the United Nations on the issue of climate change through conventions such as the Kyoto Protocol, United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC), and establishment of Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC),

Every preambulatory clauses end with a comma.

Stressing the need to take further effective and progressive action in order to ensure genuine gender neutralization in preventative measures against global climate change,

Every operative clauses end with a semi-colon.

1. Urges relevant parties, international organizations, and member states to more actively recognize the link between gender equality and climate change, especially through collaborations with UN organizations such as the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC) and the United Nations Development Fund for Women (UNIFEM) in order for valid and successful systems to be constructed and applied to assisting the vulnerable;

The initial verbs of operative clauses should be underlined.

2. Requests for gender mainstreaming or the gender-neutral perspectives to be incorporated in all UN bodies such as the UNFCCC, and national and local governments when dealing with environmental solutions to enhance the mitigation and adaptation actions in a more competent and effective manner through means including but not limited to:

Sub-clauses and sub-sub-clauses are not capitalized.

- a. incorporating the perspectives of both genders by assimilating a gender perspective into the design, evaluation, reporting, and completion of national and international environmental issues by utilizing gender-sensitive data and gender-neutral data,
- b. signing and ratifying the Convention of the Elimination of Discrimination Against Women, which calls for a full integration of women into society by ensuring equal rights to those of men, and the strict abiding of it,
- c. debating in the upcoming Climate Change Conference of Parties (COP-15) taking place in Copenhagen by addressing:
 - i. the impact of current climate change crises on women especially in natural disasters, such as in Typhoon Mirinae, and the need for risk reduction,
 - ii. methods to facilitate women in areas affected by climate change,
 - iii. protocols that bring into consideration the role differences between women and men.

At the end of the last operative clause of the resolution, a period is used.