

Draft decision 11 – Rev.1

Objectives of the Durban Review Conference

Final text proposed by the Facilitator (Armenia) after informal consultations

The Preparatory Committee decides that:

On the basis of the Durban Declaration and Programme of Action (DDPA), the General Assembly resolution 61/149, and Human Rights Council resolution 3/2, the objectives of the Durban Review Conference will be to:

1. Review progress and assess implementation of the DDPA by all stakeholders at the national, regional and international levels, including assessing contemporary manifestations of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance, through an inclusive, transparent and collaborative process and identify concrete measures and initiatives for combating and eliminating all manifestations of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance in order to foster the implementation of the DDPA;
2. Assess the effectiveness of the existing Durban follow-up mechanisms and other relevant United Nations mechanisms dealing with the issue of racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance in order to enhance them;
3. Promote the universal ratification and implementation of the International Convention on the Elimination of all forms of Racial Discrimination and proper consideration of the recommendations of the Committee on the Elimination of Racial Discrimination.
4. Identify and share good practices achieved in the fight against racism, racial discrimination, xenophobia and related intolerance.