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64/194. Modalities for the fourth High-level Dialogue on **Financing for Development**

The General Assembly,

Recalling the International Conference on Financing for Development, held in Monterrey, Mexico, from 18 to 22 March 2002, the Follow-up International Conference on Financing for Development to Review the Implementation of the Monterrey Consensus, held in Doha from 29 November to 2 December 2008, and its resolutions 56/210 B of 9 July 2002, 57/250 of 20 December 2002, 57/270 B of 23 June 2003, 57/272 and 57/273 of 20 December 2002, 58/230 of 23 December 2003, 59/225 of 22 December 2004, 60/188 of 22 December 2005, 61/191 of 20 December 2006, 62/187 of 19 December 2007 and 63/239 of 24 December 2008, as well as Economic and Social Council resolutions 2002/34 of 26 July 2002, 2003/47 of 24 July 2003, 2004/64 of 16 September 2004, 2006/45 of 28 July 2006, 2007/30 of 27 July 2007 and 2008/14 of 24 July 2008,

Recalling also its decisions 63/564 of 14 September 2009 and 64/511 of 20 November 2009,

- Decides to hold its fourth High-level Dialogue on Financing for Development on 16 and 17 March 2010 at United Nations Headquarters;
- Takes note of the note by the Secretary-General on the proposed organization of work of the fourth High-level Dialogue; ¹
- Decides that the overall theme of the fourth High-level Dialogue will be "The Monterrey Consensus and Doha Declaration on Financing for Development: status of implementation and tasks ahead";
- Stresses the importance of the full involvement of all relevant stakeholders in the implementation of the Monterrey Consensus² at all levels, and also stresses the importance of their full participation in the financing for development follow-up process, in accordance with the rules of procedure of the

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² Report of the International Conference on Financing for Development, Monterrey, Mexico, 18–22 March 2002 (United Nations publication, Sales No. E.02.II.A.7), chap. I, resolution 1, annex.

General Assembly, in particular the accreditation procedures and modalities of participation utilized at the Monterrey and Doha Conferences;

- 5. Decides that the modalities for the fourth High-level Dialogue will be the same as those used for the 2005 and 2007 High-level Dialogues, as described in its resolution 59/293 of 27 May 2005;
- 6. Decides also that the fourth High-level Dialogue will consist of a series of plenary and informal meetings, three interactive multi-stakeholder round tables and an informal interactive dialogue;
- 7. *Decides further* that the themes of the round tables and of the informal interactive dialogue will be as follows:
- (a) Round table 1: The reform of the international monetary and financial system and its implications for development;
- (b) Round table 2: The impact of the current financial and economic crisis on foreign direct investment and other private flows, external debt and international trade;
- (c) Round table 3: The role of financial and technical development cooperation, including innovative sources of development finance, in leveraging the mobilization of domestic and international financial resources for development;
- (d) Informal interactive dialogue: The link between financing for development and achieving the Millennium Development Goals: the road to the 2010 high-level event;
- 8. Decides that the fourth High-level Dialogue will result in a summary by the President of the General Assembly that will provide, as appropriate, input on financing for development to the preparatory process of the high-level plenary meeting of the Assembly in September 2010.

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