COMMISSION ON THE STATUS OF WOMEN
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INTERNATIONAL INSTRUMENTS RELATING TO THE STATUS OF WOMEN

DRAFT CONVENTION ON THE ELIMINATION OF ALL FORMS OF
DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN

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Preamble

Add the following as paragraph 7 of the preamble:

"Affirming that the strengthening of international peace and
security, friendly co-operation among States irrespective of their
social and economic systems, total and complete disarmament under
strict and effective international control, the elimination of colonialism
and racism in all their forms including apartheid, elimination of the gap
between developing and developed countries, and the right to self-determination
are vital in promoting the fundamental rights of women in the achievements
of which they should play their full part."