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Agenda item 82

**Expulsion of aliens**

## Resolution adopted by the General Assembly on 15 December 2020

[on the report of the Sixth Committee ([A/75/428](#), para. 6)]

### 75/137. Expulsion of aliens

*The General Assembly,*

*Having considered chapter IV of the report of the International Law Commission on the work of its sixty-sixth session, which contains the draft articles on the expulsion of aliens,<sup>1</sup>*

*Noting that the International Law Commission decided to recommend to the General Assembly (a) to take note of the draft articles on the expulsion of aliens in a resolution, to annex the articles to the resolution, and to encourage their widest possible dissemination; and (b) to consider, at a later stage, the elaboration of a convention on the basis of the draft articles,<sup>2</sup>*

*Emphasizing the continuing importance of the codification and progressive development of international law, as referred to in Article 13, paragraph 1 (a), of the Charter of the United Nations,*

*Noting that the subject of the expulsion of aliens is of major importance in the relations of States,*

*Taking note of the comments of Governments and the discussion in the Sixth Committee at the sixty-ninth and seventy-second sessions of the General Assembly on the subject,<sup>3</sup>*

*Recalling its resolutions [69/119](#) of 10 December 2014 and [72/117](#) of 7 December 2017,*

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<sup>1</sup> *Official Records of the General Assembly, Sixty-ninth Session, Supplement No. 10* ([A/69/10](#)), para. 44.

<sup>2</sup> *Ibid.*, para. 42.

<sup>3</sup> See [A/C.6/69/SR.19](#), [A/C.6/69/SR.20](#), [A/C.6/69/SR.21](#), [A/C.6/69/SR.22](#), [A/C.6/69/SR.24](#), [A/C.6/69/SR.27](#), [A/C.6/72/SR.14](#) and [A/C.6/72/SR.15](#).



1. *Expresses its appreciation* to the International Law Commission for its continuing contribution to the codification and progressive development of international law;
2. *Acknowledges* the comments expressed by Governments in the Sixth Committee at the seventy-fifth session of the General Assembly on the subject;<sup>4</sup>
3. *Decides* to include in the provisional agenda of its seventy-eighth session the item entitled “Expulsion of aliens”, with a view to examining, *inter alia*, the question of the form that might be given to the articles or any other appropriate action.

*45th plenary meeting  
15 December 2020*

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<sup>4</sup> See [A/C.6/75/SR.16](#).