

# Resolution Clauses

**Preambulatory Clauses:** Provide an overview of the problem and remind member states of past actions.

Examples:

Acknowledging	Deeply convinced	Having adopted
Affirming	Deeply disturbed	Having considered
Alarmed by	Deeply regretting	Having considered further
Approving	Desiring	Having devoted attention
Aware of	Emphasizing	Having examined
Believing	Expecting	Having heard
Bearing in mind	Expressing its satisfaction	Having received
Cognizant of	Fulfilling	Having studied
Confident	Fully alarmed	Hoping
Contemplating	Fully aware	Keeping in mind
Convinced	Fully believing	Noting with regret
Declaring	Further deploring	Noting with satisfaction
Deeply concerned	Further recalling	Noting with deep concern

**Operative Clauses:** Contain the real content and action of a resolution. They are meant to achieve the policy goals of the delegates. Each clause has one idea, although sub-clauses must be used to further detail the main point of the operatives.

Examples:

Accepts	Designates	Recommends
Affirms	Draws attention	Regrets
Approves	Emphasizes	Reminds
Authorizes	Encourages	Endorses
Calls upon	Expresses its appreciation	Solemnly affirms
Condemns	Expresses its hope	Strongly condemns
Congratulates	Further invites	Supports
Confirms	Further proclaims	Takes note of
Considers	Notes	Trusts
Declares	Urges	Resolves