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Qatar:* draft resolution**

Further implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolution 58/213 of 23 December 2003, in which it decided to convene the International Meeting to Review the Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States from 30 August to 3 September 2004,

Also recalling the offer of the Government of Mauritius to host the International Meeting,

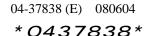
Taking note of the request by the Government of Mauritius to reschedule the International Meeting due to logistical considerations,

1. *Decides* to convene the International Meeting to Review the Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States from 10 to 14 January 2005;

2. Also decides to hold, if deemed necessary and taking into account operative paragraph 7 of its resolution 58/213, two days of informal consultations in Mauritius, on 8 and 9 January 2005, to facilitate the effective preparation of the International Meeting;

3. *Takes note* of the appointment of a Facilitator for the process of informal consultations, who will report progress thereon to the Bureau of the International Meeting, when constituted.

^{**} In order for the General Assembly to take action on the present proposal, it will be necessary to reopen consideration of agenda item 94 (d) (Environment and sustainable development: further implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States) and to consider it directly in plenary meeting.



^{*} On behalf of the States Members of the United Nations that are members of the Group of 77 and China.