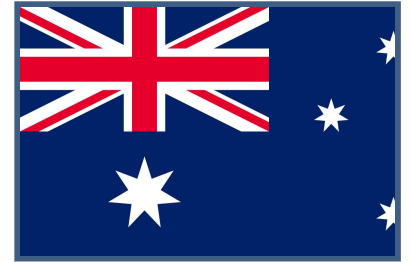




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Your Excellency the Secretary-General and Honorable Delegates,

As one of the founding members of the United Nations, the delegation of Australia feels a sense of pride to be here today.

Since 1945, the participation of Australia in the work of the United Nations has been very active and Australia fully supports the United Nations and what it stands for.

Australia hopes to continue playing a major role in the Model United Nations and uphold its reputation as a key contributor to United Nations agencies.

Australia has been integrally involved in global efforts to build and restore peace for over 70 years. We have provided personnel to 62 United Nations and other multilateral peace and security operations since 1947. We remain a strong supporter of United Nations peacekeeping and are currently the 11th largest financial contributor.

Australia regards Model United Nations as a unique organ that should be able to help to coordinate the complex peacebuilding efforts in the countries on its agenda, to attract the attention of the world, and to marshal additional resources.

Thank you.