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Mr. Chairman,

China supports the introduction given by Singapore to this draft resolution. As a co-sponsor, China believes that the ASEAN+3 Macroeconomics Research Office (AMRO) fully meets the criteria for observers in the General Assembly.

AMRO is an intergovernmental organization set up according to the Agreement Establishing ASEAN+3 Macroeconomics Research Office. Its activities cover matters of interest to the General Assembly. The purpose of this office is to promote regional economic and financial stability, monitor