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# RESOLUTION

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## **Resolution-6**

### **RACIAL DISCRIMINATION**

Race, Cast, Creed and Colour etc. while being a source of development of each group, has also been a source of conflict and disputes with other groups. Generally the reasons for such conflicts are the development of one group at the cost of other, like territorial control and domination, exploitation of natural resources bestowed by the nature, personal enmity, Nationality and clash of other interests, lust for forcibly taking over assets of others etc.

Sometimes the hatred for different races based mostly on colours becomes source of fights even murders. It could be within the nation or in different nations. Individuals or sometimes a group of people move out of their habitat for better job opportunities, education, due to natural calamity etc. India is a vast country and has large number of ethnic groups. It is a very sad state of affairs that people of North East states of India, who have moved to other parts of the country for the above mentioned reasons are hounded, teased, humiliated, raped, discriminated, beaten up and sometimes killed. Similar is the case of other people in North-East. They are Indians and an Indian being treated by another Indian in this way on account of his fair complexion and features, is a matter of shame for the entire nation. Recently cases have been reported of African nationals being discriminated in India. It is both a social and criminal problem and has to be solved accordingly. Every race has a different custom, eating habits, dress and other social issues.

From time to time, we have witnessed the racial discrimination of Indians and persons in other nation too, who have gone there for education, employment etc. and also those who have been accorded citizenship are humiliated, beaten up, kicked, mugged and even killed. While there is some truth that the locals lose a part of their employment to these people, but most of the time, it is a sense and feeling of superiority and also the host country is benefitted in their development, since they don't possess particular skill required for the jobs. Recently there has been a spurt in such incidents in USA, Australia, UK etc. While India is pursuing each case with those countries but much more deterrent actions are needed. Forum For Awareness of National Security strongly condemns such racial discrimination and resolves;

1. Stringent and prompt punishment must be taken against such offenders.

2. An awareness programme for educating the masses about the respect, support and help to our fellow citizens.
3. We need to take strong action with other countries, where such incidents take place through diplomatic channels.