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We, the delegates from Brazil, believe that Food Security is important for the committee to address because people should have access to food and they should all be able to afford food. Brazil cares about this topic because many people in Brazil are starving due to not being able to afford food or not being able to access food. Brazil is part of the world food committee so Brazil is showing other countries to have food security. Brazil also gives extra food to other countries like Haiti.

Food security is an issue in Brazil. Although Brazil has a food surplus, many people don't have enough money to buy food so they don't have enough food. In Brazil we have a program that gives money to people to buy food as long as they bring their children to school and to the doctor. We give lunch to students in school who can't afford it and send some food home with them for the weekend. Brazil also encourages mothers to breastfeed so they can save food and money. In the last 10 years the proportion of hungry people was reduced by a third, took 24 million people out of extreme poverty, it even cut malnutrition by 25 percent.

Over the past few years Brazil has grown from a food aid recipient to a donor of aid. Brazil has given China ideas on how to get food, given food to really economically disadvantaged countries, and is a major part of the World Food Programme, so we help the whole UN get food. Brazil has voted on "Bill 37: Agreement on Port State Measures to Prevent, Deter and Eliminate Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated Fishing" to get rid of illegal fishing so there will be more fish for people to eat. Brazil is the leader of the Food and Agriculture Organization. Brazilian Josette Sheeran, the director to the World Food Programme, states "As a world champion in the fight against hunger, Brazil has a wealth of experience that can be shared with governments eager to learn how they achieved that success and adapt it to their own countries." Brazil also hosted the sustainable global development conference in 2012.

Brazil seeks to be a leader in the solution of world hunger. We would like to see the international community give food and money to economically disadvantaged people and to people who don't have access to food. Also, the international community should have food programs like giving food to children at school so they don't starve. Brazil's recommendations to the committee on how best to resolve the issue is by having these food programs so not just in school but, all throughout the countries. Brazil has a really good climate to grow crops, in fact we give food to other countries because they have extra food. So, Brazil recommends countries to grow crops so they will have more food to eat and not have to buy as much food. We support and train farmers to grow food. Brazil provides emergency food rations after natural or man-made disasters. We try to encourage mothers to breastfeed so they will save money to buy food for them or older family members. There are many food Vouchers in Brazil trying to help the economically disadvantaged families. We thank these food Vouchers because they help our

local economy and some economically disadvantaged people. Brazil tries very hard to help the economically disadvantaged people get money by giving economically disadvantaged woman food ration for attending training courses so they can learn about how to do a job so they can hopefully get a job and get money for to buy food. Brazil would be very happy if other countries would work together including Brazil and resolve the problem of hunger.

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