

## **Medical Committee**

### ***The issue of international regulation regarding gene editing and human embryos***

*Concerned* for the future uses which gene editing could be applied using to if international regulations are not established

*Recognising* the rapid advancements in technologies for gene editing for example CRISPR, and the developing widespread availability of such tools

*Acknowledging the importance* of considering social, ethical, and legal implications of gene editing techniques

*Emphasising* the Universal Declaration on Bioethics and Human Rights (2005) by UNESCO, which concerns the need to respect human dignity and prevent the misuse of biomedical advancements