

Resolutions	Action by the Malaysian government
<p>Strengthening democracy and promotion of Human Rights</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Was recently elected to the UN Human Rights Council. Malaysia previously served on the UN Council from 2006-2009 ● Detainees in Malaysia are treated well, observes the United Nations Human Rights Council. The council's working group on arbitrary detention committee also commended that there was a decrease in the number of people held under the Internal Security Act (ISA). ● Moving from Tier 3 to Tier 2 watch list in the United States Trafficking in Persons (TIP) Report for 2010 is recognition for the Government of Malaysia for accelerating its efforts in the fight against trafficking in persons. Moving from Tier 3 to Tier 2 watch list is made possible with the strict enforcement of the Anti-Trafficking in Persons Act 2007. ● To further thwart the global human trafficking crime and galvanize efforts to end this form of modern day slavery, the Malaysian government agreed to the amendment to the Anti-Trafficking in Persons Act 2007 which is to be tabled at the current session of the parliament. ● the Anti-Trafficking in Persons (Amendment) Bill 2010, among other things, ● would see an increase in the penalties imposed on individuals and organisations involved in the trafficking of persons and smuggling of migrants, much heavier than that provided for in the Immigration Act.
<p>Interfaith Dialogue for conflict Prevention and Resolution</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● the Interfaith Relations Working Committee was recently established under the purview of National Unity and Integration Department ● One of the initiatives is the formation of seven working committees to oversee the different issues.

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<p>Global and Regional Security</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●The Malaysian Parliament passed the Strategic Trade Act that will greatly help international efforts to fight terrorism and curb the illicit trafficking of weapons of mass destruction (WMD). ●The Strategic Trade Act will implement an export control mechanism to regulate the trade in strategic goods and their related technology. The Act fulfils Malaysia’s obligation under the UN Security Council Resolution 1540, signed in April 2004, which urges all States to adopt and enforce appropriate laws to prohibit any non-State actor from participating in nuclear, chemical or biological weapons programmes or trade. ● Nuclear Security Summit <p>President Obama acknowledged Malaysia’s commitment to nuclear non proliferation initiatives and agreed to work together to promote stronger links between the two nations. Both leaders held in-depth discussions on a range of bilateral and the threat of nuclear terrorism. The importance of addressing the root causes of terrorism and managing the failed states in ensuring the success of the summit was underlined.</p>