Report on Disarmament Education Activities
June 2020-May 2022

Soka Gakkai International (SGI) submits herewith a report on its disarmament education activities covering the period from June 2020 to May 2022 as an input to the 2022 Biennial Report of the Secretary-General on Disarmament and Non-proliferation Education to be submitted to the seventy-seventh session of the General Assembly.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Between June 2020 and May 2022, the Soka Gakkai International (SGI) conducted a wide range of disarmament education activities despite the COVID-19 pandemic, as a partner organization of International Campaign to Abolish Nuclear Weapons (ICAN). The activities particularly focused on raising public awareness of the dangers of nuclear weapons and the significance of the UN Treaty on the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons (TPNW), including online events, exhibitions, film screenings, and developing educational tools. SGI worked to promote the importance of disarmament education at the UN fora through its public statements and presentations. SGI worked with Stop Killer Robots (SKR) to raise awareness on the threats of autonomous weapons systems, supporting its new documentary and other activities. Additionally, SGI worked to reach out to those outside the disarmament community to raise awareness, through linkages with the SDGs, nonviolence gender equality, anti-racism and other social justice issues.

FULL REPORT
(We will submit the full report by June 8 at the latest.)