· · ·	KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION	Resolution #1	
the	KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	<b>Sponsored by</b> Brazil	
Sponsors: Brylee Trueso	dell, Jake Hampton, Matthew Schoulthies, Ed Brannon	Committee: B	
School: Mason Co. HS		Action on Resolution	
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2	The General Assembly,
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4	Deeply conscious of the miserable, overcrowded, and insufficient living conditions that slums pose against Brazil
5	and many other countries,
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7	Further recalling that resolution 66/288 and the key values of the United Nations to free humanity from the global
8	problem of poverty encourage countries to take actions that would reduce the global poverty rate,
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10	Reaffirming that the United Nations, according to Article 25 of The Universal Declaration of Human Rights, is
11	working towards the eradication of inhumane living conditions such as unsanitary, overcrowded, and disease-filled

Implication of Sustainable Sanitation for Slums

cities and human settlements,

Aware that the steps taken by the Kenyan government towards reducing the amount of slums can contribute towards the goal of the eradication of slums and betterment of a community,

Viewing with appreciation the advisory opinion of the Secretary General of the UN on October 6th, 2014 on the recognition of the need of better living conditions for impoverished areas all over the world need for better living conditions,

1. Calls upon the UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs to be responsible for funding in order to reach an agreement to dispose of brutal standards of living inside the slums of Brazil and other countries by the implication of self sufficient lavatories in high poverty areas.

· ·	KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION	Resolution #2
the	KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	<b>Sponsored by</b> Chile
Sponsors: Iris Bailey, Clo	over Hunt, Lucas Runyon, Haley Kim	Committee: D
School: Model Laborate	ory HS	Action on Resolution
City: Richmond		Defeated

An Education Based Resolution to Resolve the High Prevalence of Domestic Violence and Femicide Against Women and Children in Chile and Other South American Countries

The General Assembly,

Noting with deep concern that the country of Chile alongside many other South American countries have been struggling with a high prevalence of domestic abuse and criminal acts against women and young girls by the hands of men,

Deeply concerned that one in four Chilean women have been a victim of domestic violence and criminal acts,

Emphasizing that in May 2023, the Chilean government enacted a trailblazing piece of legislation that expanded protections for the victims of femicide and their families (Law No. 21,565), Recalling that in 1997, the United Nations General Assembly adopted model strategies and practical measures on the elimination of violence against women from General Assembly resolution 52/86,

Observing that the current policies in place are not taking enough preventative initiative to put an end to these heinous crimes, Recognizing that commitment to working together along with the help of education and legal instruments can put an end to unlawful acts,

1. Calls upon the United Nations Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) that updated laws, education, and awareness pertaining to domestic violence and femicide are implemented across Chile and other South American countries. 2. Requests that \$15,000 from OHCHR voluntary funds be committed to the development of educational materials to be distributed in schools and government offices across Chile and other South American countries.



### KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY **United Nations Resolution**

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Resolution #3

Sponsors: David Daniel, Kaden Blankenship, Tiara Campbell Newton, Spencer Combs

School: Owensboro HS

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Convention on the Reduction and Repurposing of Single-Use Plastics

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The General Assembly,

Convinced that the production of single-use plastics attributes to the overall emission of plant-warming greenhouse gasses greatly, and causes a reduction in biodiversity and human wellness alike,

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Recalling António Guterres's statement at COP27 that, "...our planet is fast approaching tipping points that will make climate chaos irreversible.",

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Aware that if current consumption patterns and waste management practices do not change, by 2050 there will be approximately 12 billion metric tons of plastic litter in landfills and the environment, Guided by the UN Environment Programme "One Plastics Initiative," which "aims to tackle plastic pollution by creating an enabling and empowering environment that accelerates market transformation towards a circular economy of plastics."

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Noting with appreciation the current efforts of the UN members such as Rwanda, Australia, and Canada to dramatically reduce plastic production, as well as the efforts of local businesses and shops to establish innovations to recycle and reuse plastic waste.

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Confident that the reduction and repurposing of single-use plastics will decrease plastic waste and microplastics within all food chains while increasing the wellbeing and life expectancy of humans.

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1. Recommends that all UN members aim to reduce single-use plastic production by 80% by the year 2030.

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2. Encourages the UN to urge the successful repurposement (such as melting and molding) of current and possible future plastic waste.

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30 3. Calls upon the UN to allocate funds directly to countries in need for cleanup and infrastructure, in order to establish sustainable communities. 31



## KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution

**Sponsored by**Costa Rica

Resolution #4

Sponsors: Lillie Hale, Ishai Wall, Henrya Johnson, Jude Sleadd

Committee: A

School: Francis Parker HS

**Action on Resolution** 

City: Louisville

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Climate Change And the Threats it Imposes on the Culture of Maritime Countries

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27 28 The General Assembly,

Recalling resolution A/HRC/RES/33/20 of 30 September 2016, which affirms the importance of protecting of culture, Guided by the purposes and principles of the Charter of the United Nations,

Reaffirming its commitment to protect and maintain peace and security,

Noting with deep concern that rising sea levels, increased intensity of tropical storms, and stronger El Niño-Southern Oscillation events have occurred as a result of global warming,

Additionally noting that the erosion of beaches in countries like Costa Rica has led to a loss of maritime culture,

Further Noting that immigration as the result of rising sea levels results in the loss of culture and language,

Acknowledging the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization's work towards combating the loss of cultural heritage,

Considering the detrimental impact the destruction of cultural heritage has on the indulgence of cultural rights,

Noting that the destruction of or damage to cultural heritage may have a detrimental and irreversible impact on the enjoyment of cultural rights, in particular the right of everyone to take part in cultural life, including the ability to access and enjoy cultural heritage,

Emphasizing that damage to cultural heritage, both tangible and intangible, of any people constitutes damage to the cultural heritage of humanity as a whole,

Highlighting Tuvalu's Future Now Project, made due to rising sea levels and the displacement of Tuvaluvans,

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1. Calls upon the United Nations to recognize the loss of culture due to rising sea levels;

32 33 2. Calls for the recognition of protection of cultural heritage as an important component of humanitarian assistance;

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3. Further Calls for the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization to add Coastal and maritime nations to its list of Global Priority areas;

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4. Encourages States to consider storing cultural artifacts, at the request of a maritime country, for the sake of preservation;

38 39 5. Encourages States that have not yet become a party to all relevant treaties that provide for the protection of culture to consider doing so.

· · ·	KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION	Resolution #5
the	KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	<b>Sponsored by</b> Croatia
Sponsors: Ksenia Miller,	Maddie Carroll, Cam Kratzer	Committee: D
School: Villa Madonna	Academy HS	Action on Resolution
City: Villa Hills		Defeated

1 2	Prohibition of Expulsions and Violent Pushbacks Towards Refugees
3 4	The General Assembly,
5 6	Deeply concerned that the number of forcibly displaced people has reached over 100 million.
7 8 9	Recalling that the 1951 Refugee Convention prohibited the refoulement of refugees to their country of origin where their life or freedom would be threatened.
10 11 12	Acknowledging that many states do not uphold this agreement and repeatedly engage in pushing back refugees and asylum seekers.
13 14 15 16 17	Takes note of Article 14 of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights which states, "Everyone has the right to seek and to enjoy in other countries asylum from persecution. This right may not be invoked in the case of prosecutions genuinely arising from non-political crimes or from acts contrary to the purposes and principles of the United Nations."
18 19 20 21	1. Calls upon the UNHCR (United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees) to provide training to UN member nation's police force, medical staff, and public officials to help encourage non-refoulement within UN nations.
22 23 24	2. Recommends the UNHCR to monitor countries and perform biannual compliance checks to ensure the 1951 Refugee Convention agreement is being followed.
25	3. Requests that UN member states donate 0.3-1% of their GDP if they are able to help the UNHCR fund

these programs that will keep refugees safe.

· · ·	KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION	Resolution #6	
the	KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	<b>Sponsored by</b> Cuba	
Sponsors: Rachel Beane	e, Nora Deavy, Anna Kahmann, Conner Saalfeld	Committee: B	
School: Holy Cross HS -	Covington	Action on Resolution	
City: Covington		Defeated	

1	Challenging the Global Hegemony of the United States
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3	The General Assembly,
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5	Recalling the long history of U.S. imperial intervention in Cuba, Guatemala, Nicaragua, Panama, and other
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8	Recognizing that the U.S. embargo has cost Cuba more than \$130 billion over six decades, Acknowledging that the
9	U.S. has ignored concerns raised by the UN Economic Commission for Latin America and the Caribbean (ECLAC),
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11	Alarmed by the inhumane treatment of prisoners at Naval Station Guantanamo Bay occupied by U.S. forces,
12	Noting that the U.S. maintains at least 750 military bases in 80 countries,
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14	<ol> <li>Calls upon the UN General Assembly to condemn the U.S. embargo against Cuba;</li> </ol>
15	2. Insists that the UN General Assembly condemns the Platt Amendment of 1903 as a tool of U.S.
16	imperialism in Cuba;
17	3. Urges the UN Member States to set a time limit of 100 years on all perpetual leases imposed by
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# KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY

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Resolution #7

United I	Nations Resolution	Denmark
Sponsors:		Committee: A
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1	Removal of the "Ghetto Package"	

Removal of the "Ghetto Package"

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The General Assembly,

Conscience of the violations against the Universal Declaration of Human Rights by the nation of Denmark,

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Emphasizing both clauses of Article 17, stating "everyone has the right to own property alone as well as in association with others, and no one shall be arbitrarily deprived of his property",

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Reaffirming the first clause of Article 25 declaring "everyone has the right to a standard of living adequate for the health and well-being of himself and of his family, including food, clothing, housing and medical care and necessary social services, and the right to security in the event of unemployment, sickness, disability, widowhood, old age or other lack of livelihood in circumstances beyond his control";

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Emphasizing the aspect of housing in regards to non-western immigrants,

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Observing that the second clause of section 44 under chapter V of the Danish Constitution and the legislation of the 2018 "Ghetto Package", which aims to destroy the homes of "non-Western" immigrants then forcibly relocate them, violate both Article 17 and 25 of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights with the goal of eradicating 40% of ghettos by the year 2030, and highlighting the results of the legislation to be higher levels of eviction among non-western immigrants and ethnic minorities in comparison to the Danish population,

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- 1. Strongly request the United Nations condemn Denmark's Ghetto Package, and urge the Danish Parliament to revoke the legislation by January 1 of 2026.
- 2. Call upon the International Organization for Migration to provide humanitarian assistance, such as medical/hygiene care and food assistance, for the struggling Danish immigrants.
- 3. Request the United Nations and the International Organization for Migration supply 12,000,000 each to fund the humanitarian aid offered for Danish immigrants.



# KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution

**Sponsored by**Egypt

Resolution #8

Sponsors: Harper Monohan, Phanisree Murty, Ellie Oldham, Ella Anderkin

Committee: B

**Action on Resolution** 

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School: Sayre School HS

City: Lexington

A Resolution to Implement Drip Irrigation Systems and Sustainable Agriculture Awareness

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The General Assembly,

Acknowledging that about 85% of Egypt's water resources are used for agricultural irrigation systems that are characterized by high levels of water losses and low efficiency,

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Recognizing that Egypt is facing an annual water deficit of around seven billion cubic meters and could be categorized as water scarce by 2025,

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Seeing that agriculture accounts for 70 percent of all freshwater withdrawals globally and by 2050, 40 percent of the world population will live in areas of severe water stress,

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Emphasizing that by 2030, the global middle class is estimated to grow from 2 billion today to 4.9 billion and this will significantly increase the water required for food production,

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Further noting that only 6% of total irrigated areas in Egypt use improved irrigation systems and Egypt is in the bottom 10% of Middle East and North Africa (MENA) countries in terms of irrigation efficiency,

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1. Calls upon the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) to promote the use and installment of efficient and sustainable drip irrigation systems in Egyptian agriculture as other countries rely on their exports for daily life;

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2. Stresses the importance of raising awareness among local communities about the responsible use of water resources and promoting water-saving practices in agriculture;

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3. Develop international programs facilitated by UNEP to train farmers on modern irrigation techniques, water-saving technologies, and best practices in sustainable agriculture;

27 28 4. Facilitate the collaboration of countries surrounding transboundary major bodies of water, like the Nile, in order to create agreements about the use of water for sustainable irrigation systems and food production;

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31 32 5. Utilizes the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) to assist in establishing a monitoring and evaluation mechanism that is shared among various countries to track progress in water management and irrigation projects.



School: Woodford Co. HS

#### KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION

## KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution

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Resolution #9

Sponsors: Elizabeth Jackson, Emerson Anthony	Committee: D

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The Implementation of Universal Healthcare Standards for the Improvement of Psychiatric Patients as Citizens

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The General Assembly

Having considered the steady influx of struggling refugees within French borders, and the diverse mental health services that they require after fleeing violence in their homelands, the rising rates of youth suicide around the globe, and the exponential developments in psychiatric care worldwide,

Conscious of the likelihood that these trends will continue with present violence in Gaza, gradual improvements in medical technology, and further research on psychiatric care,

Reaffirming that the natural rights of man, as protected by the UN, condemn dehumanizing acts of psychiatric care and unethical procedures,

Recalling resolutions 2000/268, 1997/19, and 2000/10, and the fact that any dehumanizing form of psychiatric care is a direct attack on the values and standards so denoted by these resolutions,

- 1. Calls upon the United Nations Educational, Social, and Cultural Organization, to issue the following criteria in relation to global psychiatric care, a. All practicing psychiatrists, psychologists, therapists, counselors, and miscellaneous mental health specialists should refer to the most recent DSM-5 when diagnosing, treating, and experimenting with patients, b. All psychiatric patients, or their guardians should they be unable to make an informed decision independently, should retain the right to refuse a service, treatment or medication, c. All documented facilities, institutions, and organizations, are to ensure that their provided care is consistent with modernized health standards as established in Article 12 of the International Covenant on Economic, Social, and Cultural Rights, d. A facility or organization's first offense that so violates these standards will result in an initial fine of \$1,000 USD, fined to the detention center if it's a facility-wide violation or to an individual if it's a personal violation, both will prompt facility-wide inspections for the aforementioned standards, e. A second offense that so violates these standards will result in a fine of \$2,500 USD, fined to the care center if it's a facility-wide violation, or to an individual, if it's a personal violation, both will prompt facility-wide inspections for the aforementioned standards,
- 2. Trusts the UN to implement the aforementioned actions with urgency, so as to ensure that preestablished human rights are granted to every patient,
- 3. Encourages the UN to implement this resolution no later than April of 2025.

the	KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	Resolution #10
		<b>Sponsored by</b> Germany
Sponsors: Joshua Finley, Will Yurt, ,		Committee: D
School: DeSales HS		Action on Resolution
City: Louisville		Defeated

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the	KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	Sponsored by Greece
Sponsors: Mariah Rossr	man, Finn Strand	Committee: C
School: Burgin Indeper	ndent HS	Action on Resolution
City: Burgin		Defeated

1 2	Prohibition of Silencing Truthful Media
2 3 4	The General Assembly,
5 6 7	Acknowledging that in 132 countries, the freedom of the press has been suppressed by higher authorities according to the World Press Freedom Index,
8 9 10	Affirmed by the astounding rate that 85% of people report a loss of press freedom in their home country, reported by the UNESCO Executive Council,
11 12 13	Emphasizing the horrific injustices that accompany the silencing of truthful media, through vague language and disproportionate legislation,
14 15 16 17	Recalling Article 19 of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, "Everyone has the right to freedom of opinion and expression; this right includes freedom to hold opinion without interference and to seek, receive, and impart information and ideas through any media and regardless of frontiers.",
18 19 20	Alarmed by the continuous governmental intervention in the controlling of the media, resulting in the silencing of the press,
21 22	1. Further invites fellow UN member states to restrict any and all actions taken to suppress truthful media.
23 24	2. Encouraging government bodies to eliminate punishments intended to reduce truthful media.
25 26 27	<ol><li>Calling upon the United Nations Development Programme to incentivize the relinquishment of laws placed against freedoms of the press.</li></ol>
28	4. Strongly urging countries to set a punishment, if necessary, which only affects media and press

organizations for spreading misinformation, rather than press altogether.



# KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution

**Sponsored by**Guatemala

Resolution #12

Sponsors: Maggie Baird, Jenna Samons	Committee: A

**Action on Resolution** 

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School: Pikeville HS

City: Pikeville

Strengthening UN coordination in fortifying the legal framework of sexual violence cases in Guatemala

The General Assembly,

Reminding all nations sexual violence is a prevalent issue in Guatemala,

Affirming the Guatemalan government has taken steps to combat violence against women, in 2021, the Public Ministry reported that 6,307 women were victims of rape from January to August, compared with 3,684 women in all of 2020

Emphasizing that the lack of an effective legal framework in Guatemala when dealing with sexual violence has resulted in the lack of seriousness in the handling of these cases.

Having considered that a detailed legal framework would require that these cases be taken more seriously and reduce sexual violence in Guatemala, we propose:

- 1. The United Nations call upon the Republic of Guatemala to ensure the criminalization of all forms of sexual violence, ensuring appropriate penalties commensurate with the severity of the offense;
- 2. The United Nations call for a more effective set protocols to be set in place and enforced by prosecutors for dealing with sexual violence cases;
- 3. The United Nations call for the Guatemalan government to designate mandatory training for law enforcement, judges, prosecutors, and defense attorneys. Educating them on sexual violence and enhancing the level of importance attributed to sexual violence cases;
- 4. The United Nations to encourage relevant agencies in Guatemala to collaborate in aiding in the protection of sexual violence victims by providing access to counseling, legal assistance, and medical care;
- 5. The United Nations to emphasizes a streamlined confidential reporting system, put in place by law enforcement, to ensure the safety of victims and facilitate a quick prosecution
- 6. The United Nations to allocate funds for the purpose of implement training of Guatemalan civil servants, ensuring the most optimal support for women/victims of sexual violence;
- 7. The United Nations review this legislation, to assess its effectiveness and relevance, every other month for the first year after implementation.

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### KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY **United Nations Resolution**

Resolution #13

Sponsors: Jocelyn Monson, Chris Coutinho, Abigail Reed, Drew Lachmann

School: Holy Cross HS - Covington

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The General Assembly

Recognizing the importance of sustainable development and the urgent need to transition towards renewable energy sources and achieve the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs),

Sustainable Development through Geothermal Energy

Acknowledging the abundant potential of geothermal energy in providing clean, reliable, and renewable power while reducing greenhouse gas emissions and promoting economic development,

Noting with appreciation the efforts of countries in harnessing the potential of geothermal energy for electricity generation, heating, and cooling applications,

Emphasizing the need for international cooperation and support to advance the development and utilization of geothermal energy,

Recognizing Iceland's leadership and expertise in geothermal energy technology and its commitment to sharing knowledge and best practices with the international community,

- 1. Urges Member States to prioritize the development and utilization of geothermal energy as a key component of their sustainable energy strategies,
- 2. Encourages international cooperation and collaboration among Member States, relevant United Nations agencies, regional organizations, and other stakeholders to growth and investment in geothermal energy projects, particularly in developing countries and regions with significant geothermal potential,
- 3. Calls upon the international community to support research and development initiatives aimed at advancing geothermal exploration, drilling technologies, and resource management practices to enhance the efficiency, sustainability, and cost-effectiveness of geothermal energy production,
- 4. Urges Member States, international organizations, and other stakeholders to provide financial and technical assistance to support geothermal energy projects and research initiatives,
- 5. Calls upon international financial institutions, including the World Bank, to prioritize funding and investment in geothermal energy projects and provide financial support for the growth of geothermal energy.

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the	KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	<b>Sponsored by</b> India
Sponsors: Bella Diaz, Da	niel Manqueros, Chloe Hurm, Rachel Ludwig	Committee: C
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1	Resolution to Implement a Specialized UN Program to Increase Access to Assault Education
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3	The General Assembly,
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5	Recognizing the lack of accessibility to assault education in many countries,
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7	Reaffirming that access to education leads to generally better life situations for many,
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11	Bearing in mind the remarks made by UN Secretary General on violence against women being a "horrific violation
12	of human rights, a public health crisis, and a major obstacle to sustainable development,
13 14	Emphasizing that when assault education is provided to individuals and communities, it vastly decreases the social
15	stigma, reduces assault rates, and improves bystanders ability to help,
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17	1. Calls upon the United Nations to create a program specializing in assault education and offer services to
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20	2. Requests funding from UN Trust Funds surrounding assault, voluntary contributions, and the Human
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## KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution

Sponsored by Iran

Resolution #15

Sponsors: kylie martin, abbi marcum, Kate Phelps

**Committee: A** 

School: Woodford Co. HS

**Action on Resolution** 

City: Versailles

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The Establishment of Sanitary Water Sources in the Middle East

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The General Assembly,

Convinced that regional access to clean drinking water and sanitary water sources are a necessity to sustain human life,

Guided by the United Nations 2023 Water Conference on March 22nd, 23rd, and 24th of 2023, which identified regional water crises as a problem that must be solved within the next fifty years to sustain global health,

Having examined the United Nations Charter and understanding that all member nations must unite our strengths in order to secure the natural right of life for all global citizens,

Conscious of the NRCS steps toward maintaining a healthy and productive workplace can contribute toward providing water supplies, recreation, and construction of dams,

Deeply disturbed by the fact that nearly 95% of infrastructure loss and damages were due to water-related disasters between 2010-2019, harming upwards of 1.4 billion people who have been affected by seasonal droughts,

Keeping in mind that the Department of Economic and Social Affairs has stated their advisory opinion that sustainable use of water resources is fundamental to deal with the climate and environmental emergency,

- Requests the UN Conference on Economic and Social Affairs provide flexible block grants dedicated to the construction and maintenance of water towers and filtration systems in Iran and neighboring countries Iraq, Turkey, Afghanistan, and Saudi Arabia;
- 2. Calls upon the UN-Water Committee to create adaptive budgets for the aforementioned block grants, with a minimum of 1,000,000 USD allotted to each included country, with further funding available if proof of construction planning or necessary maintenance is provided,
- 3. Asks that the UN-Water Committee also creates a sub-committee dedicated to the creation and monitorization of a general fund, of which can be used to financially aid member nations struggling to meet clean water standards,
- 4. Seeks the UN Conference on Economic and Social Affairs and UN-Water Committee report monthly to the general assembly on the results of these provided resources,
- 5. Trusts the UN to implement the aforementioned actions with urgency, so as to ensure that preestablished human rights to sanitary water access are granted to every individual,
- 6. Encourages the UN to implement this resolution no later than April of 2025.

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# KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution

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Sponsors: Harlow Williams, Marlie Baker, Skye Berry, Jonah Simonis

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Ending Religious Influence Over Irish Education

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The General Assembly,

Emphasizing that religious institutions should not have overbearing influence in all children's education, of which the mandate for religious assembly in schools encroaches on the human rights of children for inclusive education, which opens a door in formalizing a right to withdraw from enforced religious education,

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Recognizing that over thirty percent of Ireland's population is not Catholic, a number expected to continue increasing, with ninety percent of primary schools in Ireland run with catholic ethos, limiting the educational rights of non-Catholic children in their freedom of thought, conscience, belief, and especially religion,

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Further recalling the UNCRC's recommendations to Ireland concerning inclusivity and the abolishment of religious discrimination, noting that discrimination of any kind is a violation of Article 5 of the Charter of the United Nations,

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Highlighting this as a pressing issue in the human rights of children in religiously-centered schools in Ireland,

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 Requests that the UN Committee on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC) elects to go further than the 2018 legislation to completely remove the baptism barrier, and encourage the removal of religious bias in all admissions to secondary schools,

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2. Urges the removal of government funding to religious educational entities in Ireland, to instead be redirected to secular oriented schools, as a precedent for complete religious freedom in all of the United Nations,

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 Finally emphasizes that school settings should reflect the true freedom of public education without religious persuasion, and invites other member nations to continue the discussion in support of freedom of education.



# KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution

Sponsored by Israel

**Committee: D** 

Resolution #17

Sponsors: Ella Rhea Miller, Madelyn Steinberg, Haley Waldschmidt, Daria Pfister

Action on Resolution

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School: Sayre School HS

City: Lexington

The General Assembly,

In order to protect and secure the basic rights of Israelis and Palestinians in Gaza,

Denouncing any violence directed at Israeli and Palestinian civilians, including terrorism, indiscriminate assaults, incitement, or destruction,

An Act to Denounce Hamas in the Effort to Declare Peace Throughout the State of Israel

Bearing in mind that since 2007 the organization of Hamas has occupied the Gaza Strip and invaded Israel, killing over 25,000 civilians, displacing 2.3 million people, and acknowledging that those statistics are quickly escalating, a

Deeply concerned that in the past year, we have seen a large escalation of human rights violations, and murders in the Gaza Strip, that are continuing to take place,

- 1. Implores the United Nations to condemn Hamas, establish them as a terrorist organization, and demand that all nations immediately and fully comply with the UN's obligations under international law in order to cease aid of any kind to Hamas; a. Calls upon involved parties to cease violence in order to promote peace, in order to prevent further negative impacts on civilians, particularly women, children and refugees;
- 2. Strongly suggests the distribution of United Nations Peacekeepers from the (United Nations Truce Supervision Organization) UNTSO department within conflict areas to ensure the protection of United Nations facilities and humanitarian organizations and the unimpeded movement of aid, as well as guaranteeing civilian safety; a. Seeks financial reallocation of the funding recently rescinded by UN members from the UNRWA United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees) to aid the UNTSO department in funding peacekeeper missions across Israel and Palestine;
- 3. Stresses; the importance of ensuring the safety of all civilians while working for an agreed treaty between Israel and Palestine;
- 4. Requests the compliance of other UN member states in denouncing Hamas and defunding violence in order to achieve a more stable global environment and reduce violations of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, specifically Articles 3 and 5.

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		<b>Sponsored by</b> Italy	
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City: Bowling Green		Defeated	

1	The Future of Renewable Energy
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3	The General Assembly,
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5	Alarmed by the increase of carbon emissions and the effects of the climate crisis,
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7	Seeking more information on different forms of sustainable energy that would have less of an impact on the
8	environment than fossil fuels,
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10	Taking into consideration that ocean thermal energy conversion technology (OTEC) is an experimental green
11	energy source that has the potential to produce very large amounts of power, we think we should research this
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# KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution

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Resolution #19

Sponsors: Noah Patterson, Aidan Phillips, Adam Pourheydarian,	Committee: C

**Action on Resolution** 

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1	Increasing Childcare Resources to Encourage Population Growth
2	The General Assembly,
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4	Deeply concerned with decreasing birth rates in Japan and neighboring countries,
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6	Acknowledging that Japan's birth rate is 1.39%, which is far below the stable rate of the 2.1% needed to maintain a

population,

Recognizing that falling birth rates will lead to a population decrease, and in turn, a diminished workforce, economic crisis, a loss of culture, and diminishing trust among citizens,

Recalling that low birth rates in Japan are largely impacted by our country's lack of available childcare services, further discouraging potential parents who are already affected by the demanding work culture of Japan,

- 1. Calls upon the UN to assist in increasing available childcare services for Japanese citizens,
- 2. Requests that the UN Population Fund designates an initial \$45 Million USD to assist Japan in increasing available childcare services and facilities,
- 3. Seeks additional funding annually if the funding of increased childcare is successful in raising Japan's birth rate,
- 4. Encourages discussion with other nations met with the same lack of childcare, urging the same funding to be presented to those nations.



# KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution

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Resolution #20

Madagascar

Sponsors: Carter Schmidt, Grace Woody, Emmalee Mink

School: West Jessamine HS

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Funding for Malagasy Habitat Conservation

The General Assembly,

Alarmed by the recent rate of destruction in the Malagasy Habitat,

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Recognizing the economic incentive for farmers to use "slash and burn" techniques in their agricultural operations,

Noting further the growing climate crisis endangering the ecological integrity and biological diversity of Madagascar, Fully aware that Climate Action is one of the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals,

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1). Requests the United Nations Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (UNIPCC) to declare a climate emergency in Madagascar for one (1) year after passage of this resolution and promises;

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2). Authorizes the UNIPCC to create a Madagascar Climate Panel (MCP) comprised of climate experts from each of Madagascar's twenty-two (22) administrative provinces to re-examine reforestation efforts and renew the UNIPCC's Climate Emergency yearly as needed;

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3). Calls upon the United Nations to direct \$100 million of the Green Climate Fund towards these ecological efforts in Madagascar;

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4). Designates this additional funding towards education on the dangers of deforestation throughout Madagascar and towards reforesting efforts.

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the	KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	Sponsored by Mexico
Sponsors: Juliana Palum	nbo, Lily Kremer, Meredith O'Cull	Committee: B
School: Bethlehem HS		Action on Resolution
City: Bardstown		Defeated

1 2	Protecting Women's Human Rights: Combatting the Femicide
3	The General Assembly,
4 5	Emphasizing that femicide is the killing of a woman by an intimate partner (understood as a former or current
6	spouse or partner, whether or not the perpetrator shares or has shared the same residence with the victim) and
7 8	the death of a woman as a result of a practice that is harmful to women,
9	Deeply concerned that the second-highest nation for femicides in Latin America, just below Brazil, is Mexico,
10 11	Alarmed that Mexico has shown a sustained rise in femicide cases, recording over 920 in 2022, Reaffirming that
12	Mexico, specifically in Ciudad Juárez, is one of the leading countries every year,
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14	Noting further that in 2022, around 48,800 women and girls worldwide were killed by their intimate partners or
15 16	other family members (including fathers, mothers, uncles and brothers), meaning on average, more than 133 women or girls are killed every day by someone in their own family,
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18	1. Calls upon the United Nations Human Rights Council to support government institutions and civil society
19 20	groups to end gender-based violence,

2. Endorses initiatives aimed at improving the investigation and prosecution of femicide cases by bolstering

3. Proclaims a zero tolerance policy on violence against women and girls.

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# KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution

**Sponsored by**Nepal

Resolution #22

Sponsors: Kelsey Conley, Raegan Gabhart, Jeremy Jordan, Rue Shelman

**Committee: A** 

School: Anderson Co. HS

**Action on Resolution** 

City: Lawrenceburg

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Improving Farming Techniques for the Betterment of the Economy

The General Assembly,

Disturbed by Nepal's poverty rate of 15.1%,

Appalled by the lack of nutritious foods that allow the healthy growth and weight of children,

Alarmed by the lack of available agricultural education in an economy reliant on agriculture,

Acknowledging the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic on the economy and hindered trade with other countries because of it,

Noting that improved farming practices are able to pull third-world countries such as Nepal out of economic recession,

Given that a miniscule percentage of Nepal's cultivated land area is under irrigation,

Conscious of the fact that such issues are prevalent in other countries such as Zimbabwe, Kenya, and Chad,

- 1. Calls upon the United Nations to increase the United Nation membership dues from first-world countries by 6% in order to provide funds for improved and modernized farming techniques;
- 2. Urges the United Nations to educate farmers in third world countries in modern farming techniques including but not limited to the introduction of insecticides, fertilizer, modern tools and equipment, and improved irrigation systems;
- 3. Requests that hydroelectric power is implemented in areas with high availability of water in order to power these modern tools.

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## KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution

Sponsored by Netherlands

Resolution #23

Sponsors: Dylan Keaney, Amy Roblero, Jack Slaton, Aidyn Pinkerman-Edman

Committee: A

School: Bardstown HS

**Action on Resolution** 

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Call for a Ceasefire in the Israel-Gaza Conflict

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The General Assembly,

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Alarmed by the growing conflict in the Israel-Gaza region, which began on 7 October 2023, causing irreplaceable loss of life and property on all sides,

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Deeply concerned by data from the Center for Information and Documentation on Israel that the number of antisemitic incidents in the Netherlands has increased by 818% since 7 October 2023,

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Fully aware that this crisis affects not only the Middle East, but our shared world community as a whole, seeing that victims of a wide variety of nationalities have been caught in the deadly crossfire, including at least one Dutch citizen and 29 citizens of the United States of America, as well as tens of billions of dollars in destruction in the region thus far,

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Keeping in mind United Nations Secretary-General António Guterres's statement on the crisis: "Hostilities in Gaza and Israel have created appalling human suffering, physical destruction, and collective trauma across Israel and the Occupied Palestinian Territory. The international community has a responsibility to use all its influence to prevent further escalation and end this crisis."

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Reaffirming the United Nations 17 Sustainable Development Goals, especially Goal 16: Promote just, peaceful, and inclusive societies,

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 Strongly urges a full and complete ceasing of hostilities in the Israel-Gaza region in order for diplomatic channels to be opened with the purpose of creating a more permanent peace while also allowing humanitarian organizations access to assist victims;

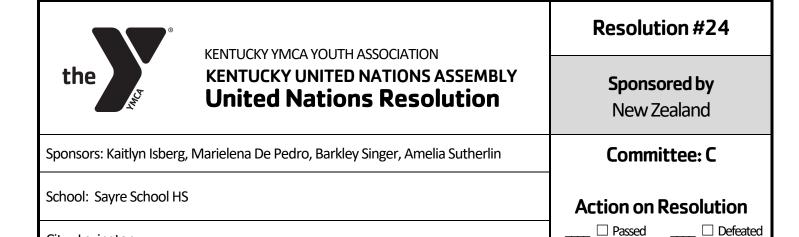
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2. Strongly condemns any acts of antisemitism across the world;

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3. Requests that the UN General Assembly rise and observe a Moment of Silence for all victims of the Israel-Gaza Crisis.



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but the life of Pacific Islanders.

1	An Act Relating to Sustainable Fishing in the Pacific
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3	The General Assembly,
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5	Alarmed by the existence of the Great Pacific Garbage Patch, spanning three times the size of France (1.6 million
6	square kilometers),
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8	Deeply concerned that over 100,000,000 kilograms of plastic has accumulated in the Pacific Garbage Patch Taking
9	into account that in 2015 and 2016 the plastics in the Great Pacific Garbage Patch absorbed pollutants, making
10	them poisonous to marine life,
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12	Noting that 84% of the Pacific government's revenue comes solely from Tuna, and almost 25,000 people in Pacific
13	Island fisheries depend on their jobs to sustain themselves and their families.
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15	1. Calls upon the United Nations Global Compact to fund the employment needed to do service hours,
16	and volunteers.
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18	2. Requests independent countries to reduce their oceanic waste (fishing debris) by using biodegradable
19	fishing tools (nets, lures, weights, lines, tackle). Ultimately this resolution is a call to the United Nations
20	Global Compact to address the crippling effects of the Great Pacific Garbage Patch on not only marine life

the	KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	Resolution #25	
		<b>Sponsored by</b> Pakistan	
Sponsors: Mindy Kien, a	alexis knockwafel, Alyssa Deitchman	Committee: B	
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City: Louisville		Defeated	

1	Increasing Education about Honor Killings
2 3	The General Assembly,
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5 6	Alarmed for women throughout Pakistan and across other South Asian countries,
7 8 9	Bearing in mind that honor killings may be carried out for seemingly innocuous transgressions such as choices of clothing, career, and education that diverge from the families' preference,
10 11 12	Deeply concerned by the estimate of 1,000 woman who are murdered annually to preserve the supposed honor of their family,
13 14 15	Keeping in mind that honor killings are already illegal and that these planned femicides are held privately and ofter go unreported,
16 17 18	Deeply disturbed that victims of rape and victims of other sexual assault are privately executed by their own family members rather than receiving justice,
19 20 21	1. Calls upon the UN and other nations to assist in the implementation and enforcement of laws to prohibit the inhuman culture of honor killings.
22 23	2. Seeks support from the AHA Foundation to educate women, children, and families.
24	3. Further recommends making the illegality of honor killings part of the Pakistani core curriculum, with

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the support of other nations.

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the	KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution	<b>Sponsored by</b> Peru
Sponsors: Hannah Plattr	ner, Sophie Hoffman, Emery Cassidy, Annabelle Coolen	Committee: C
School: Henry Clay HS		Action on Resolution
City: Lexington		Defeated

1		Resolution to support the Improvement of Education in Peru
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3	The General Assembly,	
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Recognizing that some Peruvians do not have access to quality education

Fully aware that the 4th Sustainable Development Goal(SDG) is to provide quality education for everybody

Emphasizing that Article 26 1 of the United Nation Declaration of Human Rights states that "Everyone has the right to education. Education shall be free, at least in the elementary and fundamental stages. Elementary education shall be compulsory. Technical and professional education shall be made generally available and higher education shall be equally accessible to all on the basis of merit?"

- 1. Calls upon the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization to provide for the 7,148,640 children in Peru. Peru's children need new schools, and Peru is requesting \$75,000 per school to be built over the course of 10 years. The schools will be built by local people in the area and the number will be determined by population and need. The children will be taught a skill that will help them find a job in the future.
- 2. Requests approximately 30,000 volunteer teachers to staff the schools. The teachers will receive a salary of \$450 dollars a month. Other positions in the schools will be filled by local Peruvians in need of a job.

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#### KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION

# KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution

**Sponsored by**Philippines

Resolution #27

Sponsors: Bella Skibba, Dylan Nelson, Sofia Sorley

Committee: D

**Action on Resolution** 

City: Owensboro

1 Resolution to Investigate the Corruption of the Philippines National Police Force 2 3 The General Assembly, 4 5 Deeply disturbed that members of the Philippines National Police (PNP) are actively engaging in unethical conduct, 6 including killing civilian drug users in an attempt to continue the former President of the Philippines, Rodrigo 7 Duterte's, "War on Drugs," 8 9 Noting that over 12,000 Filipinos have been killed by government officials and the PNP since 2016 as a part of the 10 "War on Drugs,"

Taking note that members of the PNP are falsifying evidence to justify the killings,

Bearing in mind that the United Nations Convention Against Corruption aims to, "Establish measures and systems aimed at facilitating the reporting of corruption by public officials to appropriate authorities,"

Emphasizing that current President of the Philippines, Ferdinand Marcos Jr., has not implemented adequate reforms in the PNP, and the killings of drug dealers and users continues,

- 1. Calls upon the Office of International Oversight Services (OIOS) and Special Investigation Unit (SIU) to launch an investigation into the corruption of the Philippines National Police force and its role in the barbarous killings of civilians;
- 2. Urges the Office of International Oversight Service and Special Investigation Unit report the identities of the PNP members engaging in corrupt efforts to current president of the Philippines, Ferdinand Marcos Jr.;
- 3. Further recommends that President Marcos take sufficient measures to penalize and establish offenses against reported persons;
- 4. Encourages the collaboration of the Philippines and the United Nations Convention Against Corruption (UNCAC) to develop a corruption prevention plan for the PNP.



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### KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION

# KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution

**Sponsored by**Russian Federation

Resolution #28

Sponsors: Alexandra Taylor, Connor Carpenter

School: Henry Clay HS

Action on Resolution

1 Resolution to support development and promote sustainability in the arctic regions of the world to protect 2 indigenous peoples. 3 4 The General Assembly, 5 6 Reaffirming The Russian Federation's past and continued involvement in supporting the arctic, 7 8 Taking note of the large amount of indigenous populations in arctic regions, 9 10 Further taking note of the disproportionate effect of climate change on indigenous peoples, 11 12 Reinforcing the work done by the UN to preserve the environment and keep peace across the globe, 13 14 Emphasizing the UN sustainable development agenda, 15 1. Calls upon all member states with territory in the arctic to work together and cooperate in the mission 16 17 of improving the arctic. 18

- 2. Notes the need for responsible use of natural resources in these vulnerable arctic regions.
- 3. Further notes the importance of sustainable development for Arctic Indigenous peoples.
- 4. Calls upon all arctic countries to come together and discuss new environmental protections for the arctic and increased cooperation in developing sustainable technologies in these areas.
- 5. Further calls on all countries to cooperate in the area of sustainable development



### KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY **United Nations Resolution**

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Sponsors: Adam Kolar, N	Neil Adley, Jake Watson,	Jacob Thornberry
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Implementation of Reverse Osmosis Units in Water Treatment Facilities Located in Serbia Along the Danube River Basin

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The General Assembly,

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> Deeply concerned with the high amounts of nitrate present in the Danube River which is toxic, harmful to the longevity of life, and creates ecological dead zones,

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Keeping in mind that roughly 92% of the Serbian population uses the Danube River as their main source of drinking water,

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Recognizing that Issue 594 of the EU Commission has taken steps to aid in the removal of nitrate levels through floodplains, however, it will not be fully effective until 2027-2035,

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Noting further that clean water is a crucial part of the Danube River Protection Convention,

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Urging that more immediate measures should be taken place to clean contaminated water of the Danube River Basin,

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1. Requests that the United Nations Water provide \$32,000,000 in funding to renovate the five preexisting industrial filtration plants into industrial reverse osmosis treatment plants, while also modifying three new filtration plants into industrial reverse osmosis treatment plants;

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2. Further requests to maintain the upkeep of the reverse osmosis treatment plants for \$150,000 for the first month of usage;

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3. Recommends the implementation of these filtration plants along the Danube River to act as models for major water sources that are experiencing nitrate pollution;

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4. This resolution will be fully implemented six months following passage.



### KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION

# KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution

**Sponsored by**Sudan

Resolution #30

**Action on Resolution** 

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1	Increasing access to clean water across the world
3	The General Assembly,
5 6 7	Declaring that the United Nations has the ability to save millions of children from dying from insufficient clean water.
8 9	Emphasizing that it only costs 120 billion USD to solve water problems for 140 low and middle income countries
10 11	Deeply concerned that over 3.5 million people die from water related diseases every year
12 13	Fully aware that over 17.3 million people in Sudan lack access to clean water.
14 15	Keeping in mind that the World Bank says that around 2 billion people around the world do not have access to safely managed drinking water.

Noting with deep concern that half of Sudan's schools do not have access to clean water.

- 1. Authorizes the creation of a new program named U.N.C.W.P. (United Nations Clean Water Project). Confirms the U.N.C.W.P. objective is to provide clean water to everybody in the world Designates that the U.N.C.W.P. board of directors shall consist of 12 countries, randomly selected from countries that are either providing or receiving support from the U.N.C.W.P. Each country selected shall send one person to fill their board seat.
- 2. Calls upon Countries to donate an additional total of 120 billion USD per year to the U.N.C.W.P. for the purpose of water treatment.
- 3. Affirms that all of the money donated will be used to provide clean water through building water treatment infrastructure and other water infrastructure deemed necessary by the U.N.C.W.P.
- 4. Notes that the United Nations already provides some support for nations struggling to provide clean water, and the U.N.C.W.P. will complement any and all existing programs already doing this



# KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution

**Sponsored by**Sweden

Resolution #31

Sponsors: Alton Berger, Ryan Holland, Ben Frederick, Duncan Vaughn

**Committee: B** 

School: Henderson Co. HS

**Action on Resolution** 

City: Henderson

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Mandatory Naval Neutrality in The Baltic Sea

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The General Assembly,

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Fearful of rising tensions between NATO (North Atlantic Treaty Organization) and the Russian Federation,

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Aware of Sweden and Finland's simultaneous application to join NATO 3 months after the beginning of the ongoing war in Ukraine, and Sweden's newfound position in NATO as of January 23rd 2024,

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Deeply concerned by statements made by Russian representatives including statements issued against NATO expansion and Swedish ascension by president Vladimir Putin,

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Taking into account the principles set by United Nations Convention on Laws of the Sea effective since 1994,

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1. Calls upon member nations to cease any and all naval military action or exercise within the Baltic Sea from 1 month after passage of this resolution until 6 months after the recognized conclusion of the conflict in Ukraine by the General Assembly;

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2. Calls for action from the United Nations Security Council to monitor activity within the Baltic Sea in the interest of member nations, and from the International Court of Justice to determine appropriate repercussions for member nations in violation of this agreement;

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3. Seeks the respect of international law, including the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS), in all maritime activities within the Baltic Sea;

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4. Requests an acceptance of the boundaries of the Baltic Sea defined by The International Hydrographic Organization;

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5. Urges fellow member nations bordering the Baltic Sea (Germany, Denmark, Poland, Sweden, Finland, The Russian Federation, Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania) to adhere to the principles of naval neutrality.

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the		<b>Sponsored by</b> Switzerland	
Sponsors: Addison Wall	ace, Brenna James, Rose Bolinger	Committee: B	
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1 2 3	An Act relating to raising awareness and providing funds to existing environmental protection programs in Switzerland
4 5	The General Assembly,
6 7 8	Convinced that the aid and awareness is absolutely necessary in order to combat severe environmental damage in swiss territories.
9 10	Recalling the efforts that the Swiss government have already put forth, by creating the Climate Action Plan in 2020
11 12	Conscious that climate change affects Switzerland's main lucrative fields like agriculture and tourism.
13 14 15	Bearing in mind that the temperature is rising two to three times faster than the global average, it increased 2ºC between 1864 and 2016 in Switzerland.
16 17 18	Determined to prove that Switzerland's natural environment is an integral part of the country's character and identity.
19 20 21	1. Calls upon the UN to support Switzerland's environmental protection efforts and to spread awareness to the global population concerning positive effects of environmental protection .
22	2. Requests that a minor amount of monetary aid be sent to Swiss climate advocate programs, most

notably the Swiss Climate Action Plan, as well as aid in the form of awareness campaigns.

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# **United Nations Resolution**

**Sponsored by**Taiwan

Resolution #33

Sponsors: Dylan Cahoe, Jack Case, Joseph Kelty

Committee: A

School: St. Xavier HS

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Political and Economic Independence from the People's Republic of China

The General Assembly,

Alarmed by rampant interference of the People's Republic of China in Taiwan's government and politics, especially in the 2024 Taiwanese presidential election,

Keeping in mind the necessity for a nation's right to self-determination, as declared by the 1895 Treaty of Shimonoseki, by the 1951 Treaty of San Francisco, and as enshrined in Article 2, Section 4 of the UN Charter,

Emphasizing the importance of United Nations member states' refraining from the threat or use of force against the territorial integrity or political independence of any state,

Fulfilling the spirit of Resolution 2758, Taiwan has removed the name "China" from official and unofficial documents, portrayed Taiwan as the central figure in history textbooks, promoted the use of the native Hokkien language in government and education, reduced economic ties with the People's Republic of China, and promoted the thought that Taiwan is a separate entity from the People's Republic of China,

- 1. Confirms support for Taiwan's social, political, and economic independence from the People's Republic of China;
- 2. Encourages member states to significantly reduce dependence on the People's Republic of China;
- 3. Condemns the interference of the People's Republic of China in the politics of Taiwan;
- 4. Affirms Taiwan's right to self-determination as an independent nation.



# KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Resolution

**Sponsored by**Turkey

Resolution #34

Sponsors: Judah Lorenz, Marco Quintero, Murphy Lee Schmidt, Henry Pape

**Committee: B** 

School: St. Xavier HS

**Action on Resolution** 

City: Louisville

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The General Assembly,

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Bearing in mind that Turkey ranks number one among all UN nations in hosting refugees, Government spending is a major issue,

Providing Funding to help decrease the Refugee Crisis in Turkey

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Emphasizing that Turkey has over 3.6 million refugees, the amount of money spent on the refugees puts a large financial burden on The Nation of Turkey,

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Keeping in mind that The Nation of Turkey spent 30 billion US dollars on refugees in just a 7 year period between 2011 and 2018,

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Deeply Concerned about this, The Nation of Turkey expresses the need for aid and assistance from its U.N. Partners,

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Requests that the UN send financial aid to Turkey to help decrease the cost of refugee aid for The Nation of Turkey, Turkey also requires the funds to allow the government to invest money on other major issues occurring in the Nation of Turkey.

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1. Calls upon All UN countries and the UNHCR to send funds to The Nation of Turkey.

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2. Aware of the financial strain this may cause, these funds would allow for many more sustainable family homes to be built with solar power to provide energy to the homes. The cost of the homes would be around 10,000 US dollars per home.

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3. Requests that the UN sends funds of 10 million US dollars or 1.27% of the annual budget to provide financial aid.

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4. Allows for the negotiation of the percentage of budget required in further cases after the passing of the convention.



### KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY **United Nations Resolution**

Sponsored by Ukraine

Resolution #35

Sponsors: Ethan Nabors, Connor Green, Christian Gonzalez, Eliza Hawkins

**Committee: D** 

School: Allen Co. - Scottsville HS

**Action on Resolution** 

City: Scottsville

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1	A Request for United Nations Peacekeeping Assistance
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The General Assembly,

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> Recognizing that six oblasts and parts of the Crimean Peninsula have been invaded and pillaged by the Federation of Russia's Military Forces,

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Deeply disturbed that over half a million citizens of both nationals have perished due to the Russo-Ukrainian conflict,

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Deeply conscious of the world's concern for a mass world conflict,

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Emphasizing Ukraine's important role in Europe's agriculture and wheat supply,

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Recalling Articles 34 and 35 of the Charter of the United Nations,

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Recalling the eleventh emergency special session in which Russia was required to withdraw from Ukrainian territory, ruling the Federation of Russia's invasion an illicit and unwarranted breakage of the Charter of the United Nations aim to promote peace and equality for all states,

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Conscious that any efforts to prevent war will contrast with the interests of the Federation of Russia,

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1. Requests the United Nations General Assembly dispatch volunteer member state peacekeepers to cities distributed among Ukraine, determined by population, international trade, and timely importance, near Ukraine's border with Russia.

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2. Expresses its hope to provide affected citizens with a protected sanctuary for access to food, water, shelter, and other basic human needs;

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3. Draws the attention to the fact that occupying peacekeepers will protect millions of citizens in Ukraine, warning invaders of the world's unification.

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1	Initiating New Economic Sanctions Against the Islamic Republic of Iran
2 3 4	The General Assembly,
5 6 7	Reminding the assembly that Iran has for over 20 years supported terrorist organizations and their attacks in countries/territories such as Iraq, Syria, Israel, Lebanon and the Red Sea,
, 8 9 10	Knowing that Iran recently helped organize the October 7th attacks against Israel, encouraged Houthi pirates to disrupt trade in the Red Sea, and aided an Iranian proxy force to kill three U.S. service members, wounding dozens of others, via drone air strike in Jordan on January 29th, 2024, Recognizing the United Nations Office of Counter Terrorism's (UNOCT) position to prevent attacks by terrorists and violent extremism,
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13 14	Emphasizing that UNOCT represses all forms of terrorist financing,
15 16 17	1. Calls upon all UN members to freeze the financial assets of the Islamic Republic of Iran within their nation-state,
18 19	2. Requests a travel ban to and from the Islamic State of Iran,
20	3. Insists on member states to enforce complete arms and trade embargo against the Islamic Republic of

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Iran to thwart future terrorist attacks.