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## **CONFERENCE AGENDA**

9:00 – 9:15 AM	MUN Orientation
9:15 – 12:00PM	Committee Sessions
12:00 – 12:45PM	Lunch
12:45 – 3:00PM	General Assembly Sessions Red GA (1, 2, 3) White GA (4, 5, 6) Blue GA (7, 8, 9)
3:00 – 3:15PM	Closing Ceremony

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# **Conference C DELEGATE ROSTER**

<b>Last Name</b>	<b>FirstName</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>Country</b>	<b>Comm</b>	<b>GA</b>	<b>Res #</b>
Aaron	Knox	ECS	Sao Tome and Principe	9	Blue	9-7
Acuff	Cooper	ECS	Israel	3	Red	3-1
Alexander	Natalie	St. Mary's	Liberia	7	Blue	7-2
Alexander	Sarah	Hutchison	Sri Lanka	7	Blue	7-8
Allen	Ayden	Hutchison	Timor Leste	1	Red	1-3
Arnold	Scottie	Hutchison	Pakistan	3	Red	3-5
Artiles	Joey	ECS	China	5	White	5-8
Awan	Adeena	Hutchison	DPR of Korea	6	White	6-6
Bailey	Ellie	Hutchison	Haiti	2	Red	2-4
Baker	Sophie	St. Mary's	Liberia	7	Blue	7-2
Baker	Charlie	Spring Hill	Slovakia	3	Red	3-9
Barber	Hana	St. Mary's	India	4	White	4-1
Bartusch	Anne Tyler	Hutchison	Brazil	9	Blue	9-6
Battaile	Sophie	Hutchison	Namibia	8	Blue	8-1
Beard	Mary Drew	Hutchison	Iran	3	Red	3-4
Beatty	Evan	ECS	Denmark	7	Blue	7-3
Bedford	Raniah	Hutchison	Togo	2	Red	2-3
Benge	Liza Blair	Hutchison	Zimbabwe	3	Red	3-7
Bennett	Mary	Hutchison	Austria	6	White	6-5
Berntson	Benjamin	Grace-St. Luke's	Mongolia	5	White	5-5
Betapudi	Naomi	St. Mary's	Belarus	9	Blue	9-5
Biggs	Wilks	ECS	United States	2	Red	2-9
Bilal	Ria	Hutchison	Finland	1	Red	1-1
Billions	Walker	ECS	Senegal	1	Red	1-6
Blaes	Martin	Spring Hill	Madagascar 2	7	Blue	7-5
Bolden	Clara	St. Agnes-St. Dominic	Mexico	6	White	6-3
Brady	Emma Sanders	ECS	Iceland	2	Red	2-6
Bragg	Jerry	ECS	Senegal	1	Red	1-6
Breeden	Dakota	ECS	Honduras	1	Red	1-10
Brewer	Avery	ECS	Lebanon	6	White	6-4
bricken	grace	Hutchison	Papua New Guinea	4	White	4-9
Brickey	Anna Catherine	Hutchison	Croatia	5	White	5-7
Broadway	Allie	ECS	Italy	4	White	4-8
Brown	Makaleb	ECS	Australia	1	Red	1-9
Browne	Molly	Hutchison	Bangladesh	7	Blue	7-7
Bryant	Drew	ECS	Jamaica	5	White	5-10
Buhler	Mary Taylor	Hutchison	Ireland	5	White	5-9
Burke	Sims	Hutchison	South Sudan	6	White	6-2
Burress	Lauren	Hutchison	DPR of Korea	6	White	6-6
Burrow	Maude	Hutchison	Nigeria	2	Red	2-1
Bush	John	Grace-St. Luke's	United Kingdom	7	Blue	7-6
Caldera	Caiden	ECS	Sao Tome and Principe	9	Blue	9-7
Callaghan	Kieran	ECS	United States	2	Red	2-9
Campbell	Caroline	Hutchison	Angola	4	White	4-7
Carpenter	Ellye	Hutchison	Marshall Islands	7	Blue	7-9
Carpenter	Selena	St. George's	Thailand	8	Blue	8-9
Carr	Ashton	ECS	Jamaica	5	White	5-10

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Carter	Caleb	Spring Hill	Slovakia	3	Red	3-9
Chauhan	Claire	St. Mary's	Ethiopia	1	Red	1-7
Chiozza	Anna	Hutchison	Togo	2	Red	2-3
Chubb	Brannon	Hutchison	Ireland	5	White	5-9
Clark	Kathryn	Hutchison	Switzerland	8	Blue	8-3
Coady	Sam	St. Agnes-St. Dominic	Afghanistan	5	White	5-3
Cobb	Taylor	Heritage	Estonia	1	Red	1-2
Colley	Jack	ECS	Russian Federation	8	Blue	8-6
Connell	Kate	Hutchison	Croatia	5	White	5-7
Conrad	Coco	Hutchison	Sri Lanka	7	Blue	7-8
Coolidge	Charlie	ECS	Australia	1	Red	1-9
Cooper	Mary Margaret	St. Mary's	Belarus	9	Blue	9-5
Cox	Mary Claire	Hutchison	Angola	4	White	4-7
Crane	Ford	ECS	Sao Tome and Principe	9	Blue	9-7
Crowley	Emerson	Hutchison	Niger	1	Red	1-5
Dalal	Angeline	Hutchison	Nigeria	2	Red	2-1
Dang	Sophie	St. Mary's	Yemen	5	White	5-1
Davis	Drew	ECS	Russian Federation	8	Blue	8-6
Densman	Hannah	Heritage	Estonia	1	Red	1-2
Dent	Eliza	Hutchison	Argentina	5	White	5-6
Dickerson	Lydia	Hutchison	Chad	3	Red	3-2
Domas	Anna Caroline	Hutchison	Timor Leste	1	Red	1-3
Donat	Nathan	Spring Hill	Serbia	2	Red	2-5
Dyer	Sam	Grace-St. Luke's	Mongolia	5	White	5-5
Eads	Evan	Spring Hill	Greece	2	Red	2-2
Ebaugh	Jacob	Spring Hill	Poland	9	Blue	9-2
Edwards	Bennett	ECS	United States	2	Red	2-9
Ellingsworth	Chase	ECS	Australia	1	Red	1-9
Engle	Richard	ECS	Botswana	3	Red	3-8
Epps	Ellie	Hutchison	Fiji	9	Blue	9-8
Escarcega	Ian	Spring Hill	Madagascar 2	7	Blue	7-5
Evans	Zoe	Hutchison	Fiji	9	Blue	9-8
Evans	Olivia	Hutchison	Papua New Guinea	4	White	4-9
Fahey	Lilly	Hutchison	Argentina	5	White	5-6
Fairey	Alice	Hutchison	Japan	6	White	6-7
Farmer	Collins	Hutchison	Pakistan	3	Red	3-5
Farmer	Emma	Spring Hill	Spain	4	White	4-6
Fields	Sarah Mae	St. Mary's	Ethiopia	1	Red	1-7
Fleming	Avery	Hutchison	Timor Leste	1	Red	1-3
Fletcher	Anna Grace	ECS	France	8	Blue	8-7
Flippen	Cortland	Spring Hill	Bhutan	5	White	5-4
Flynn	Eleanor	Hutchison	Ecuador	8	Blue	8-8
Flynn	Molly	St. Agnes-St. Dominic	Mexico	6	White	6-3
Fojas	Michael	Heritage	Colombia	9	Blue	9-1
Ford	Ryan	Spring Hill	Bhutan	5	White	5-4
Franks	Adrian	ECS	Jamaica	5	White	5-10
Gallina	Rob	ECS	Italy	4	White	4-8

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Gamble	Caroline	Hutchison	Iran	3	Red	3-4
Gamez-Mejia	Emma	St. Agnes-St. Dominic	Mexico	6	White	6-3
Gary	Sam	Grace-St. Luke's	Viet Nam	8	Blue	8-5
Gary	Annabelle	Hutchison	DPR of Korea	6	White	6-6
Gary	Sam*	Grace-St. Luke's	Libya	4	White	4-10
Getz	John	St. Agnes-St. Dominic	Afghanistan	5	White	5-3
Gohn	Ella Grace	ECS	Bahamas	2	Red	2-8
Gooch	Ellie	Hutchison	Brazil	9	Blue	9-6
Graham	Adelaide	ECS	Germany	9	Blue	9-3
Graves	Tommy	ECS	Madagascar	7	Blue	7-10
Greco	Mia	Heritage	Estonia	1	Red	1-2
Greer	Caden	Spring Hill	Norway	8	Blue	8-4
Guyton	Simone	Grace-St. Luke's	Cambodia	3	Red	3-3
Hagar	Hannah	ECS	Denmark	7	Blue	7-3
Hagerman	Jack*	Grace-St. Luke's	Viet Nam	8	Blue	8-5
Hagerman	Jack	Grace-St. Luke's	Libya	4	White	4-10
Hall	Sallie Kate	Hutchison	Japan	6	White	6-7
Hardin	Riley	Hutchison	Iran	3	Red	3-4
Hardin	Ava	Heritage	Uganda	3	Red	3-6
Hardison	Samantha	ECS	Canada	4	White	4-3
Hargrove	Bo	Spring Hill	Slovakia	3	Red	3-9
Harriman	Maddie	Hutchison	Pakistan	3	Red	3-5
Harris	Haney	Hutchison	Bangladesh	7	Blue	7-7
Hassan	Eshaal	St. Mary's	India	4	White	4-1
Hastings	Thomas	ECS	Botswana	3	Red	3-8
Hayden	Eloise	Hutchison	Iraq	4	White	4-4
Hazelwood	Georgia	Spring Hill	Saint Lucia	1	Red	1-4
He	Angela	Hutchison	Dominican Republic	7	Blue	7-4
Hedges	Parker	St. Mary's	Belarus	9	Blue	9-5
Hensley	Mark	ECS	Russian Federation	8	Blue	8-6
Herrington	Savannah	ECS	Bahamas	2	Red	2-8
Higginbotham	Maggie	Hutchison	Zimbabwe	3	Red	3-7
Hillyer	Joy	Hutchison	Marshall Islands	7	Blue	7-9
Holler	Andy	ECS	Botswana	3	Red	3-8
Holloway	Hailey	Heritage	Uganda	3	Red	3-6
Hulbert	Samantha	Hutchison	Belize	8	Blue	8-2
Humphreys	Kennon	Hutchison	South Africa	5	White	5-2
Hussey	Lilly	Hutchison	Chad	3	Red	3-2
Iyengar	Maya	St. Mary's	India	4	White	4-1
Jackson	Emily	Hutchison	Namibia	8	Blue	8-1
jenkisnon	wesley	Spring Hill	Egypt	6	White	6-9
Johnson	Hunter	Heritage	Colombia	9	Blue	9-1
Johnson	Niya	ECS	France	8	Blue	8-7
Johnson	Asher	ECS	Madagascar	7	Blue	7-10
Johnson	Jonah	Spring Hill	Norway	8	Blue	8-4
Johnson	Kylan	ECS	Cuba	6	White	6-8
Johnson	James	St. Agnes-St. Dominic	Mexico	6	White	6-3



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Kazmi	Varda	Hutchison	DPR of Korea	6	White	6-6
Kelley	Allie	Heritage	Uganda	3	Red	3-6
Kent	Lillian	Hutchison	Namibia	8	Blue	8-1
Keras	Jane	Hutchison	Togo	2	Red	2-3
Keras	Nellie	Hutchison	Austria	6	White	6-5
Kilpatrick	Keegan	Spring Hill	Poland	9	Blue	9-2
Kirk	Jackson	ECS	Australia	1	Red	1-9
Klimo	Bella	Hutchison	Cape Verde	2	Red	2-7
Kuznitz	Hayleigh	Hutchison	Croatia	5	White	5-7
Kyle	Julie	St. Mary's	Yemen	5	White	5-1
Lachica	Alex	Grace-St. Luke's	Philippines	6	White	6-1
Lackie	Eva	Hutchison	Belize	8	Blue	8-2
Lamb	Lucy	Hutchison	Costa Rica	4	White	4-2
Levy	Maren	Hutchison	Austria	6	White	6-5
Lipman	Allegra	Hutchison	Ecuador	8	Blue	8-8
Little	Lily	Hutchison	Ireland	5	White	5-9
Litzey	Hailey	Hutchison	Papua New Guinea	4	White	4-9
Loyd	Harper	Hutchison	Finland	1	Red	1-1
Lyle	Meredith	ECS	Germany	9	Blue	9-3
Magee	Addison	Hutchison	Papua New Guinea	4	White	4-9
Malone	Millie	Grace-St. Luke's	Cambodia	3	Red	3-3
Martin	Liam	Grace-St. Luke's	Philippines	6	White	6-1
Martin	Robert	Spring Hill	Norway	8	Blue	8-4
May	Brooks	St. Mary's	Liberia	7	Blue	7-2
McAdams	Taylor	Hutchison	South Sudan	6	White	6-2
McCarroll	Izzie	Hutchison	Angola	4	White	4-7
Mccord	Jaden	Spring Hill	Egypt	6	White	6-9
McNamara	Ally	St. Agnes-St. Dominic	Afghanistan	5	White	5-3
McWhirck	Gavin	Spring Hill	Bhutan	5	White	5-4
Miller	Miles	Hutchison	Ecuador	8	Blue	8-8
Miller	Ella	Hutchison	Marshall Islands	7	Blue	7-9
Miller	Reese	Hutchison	Angola	4	White	4-7
Miller	Maggie	Hutchison	South Sudan	6	White	6-2
Mirza	Lily	St. Mary's	India	4	White	4-1
Moore	Bailey	Hutchison	Namibia	8	Blue	8-1
Moses	Melinda	Hutchison	Haiti	2	Red	2-4
Moutoux	Stephen	St. George's	Singapore	7	Blue	7-1
Murphey	Lila	Hutchison	Nigeria	2	Red	2-1
Murphy	Claire	ECS	Lebanon	6	White	6-4
Neubert	Libby	Hutchison	Zimbabwe	3	Red	3-7
Nichols	Sienna	Hutchison	Finland	1	Red	1-1
Nicolas	Abigail	ECS	Iceland	2	Red	2-6
Nugent	Kalia	Hutchison	Ecuador	8	Blue	8-8
Nywening	Caedmon	ECS	Canada	4	White	4-3
Palmer	Ellie	Hutchison	Syria	9	Blue	9-4
Patmor	William	Heritage	Colombia	9	Blue	9-1
Pennington	Ash	Hutchison	Finland	1	Red	1-1

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Pentecost	Maya	Hutchison	Syria	9	Blue	9-4
Perry	Morgan	Hutchison	Sri Lanka	7	Blue	7-8
Petit	Chase	ECS	Canada	4	White	4-3
Phillips	Virginia	Hutchison	Burkina Faso	1	Red	1-8
Pinter	Jacob	ECS	Cuba	6	White	6-8
Poag	Charlotte	Hutchison	South Africa	5	White	5-2
Pollan	Anna	Hutchison	Bangladesh	7	Blue	7-7
Pollard	Hannah	Hutchison	Dominican Republic	7	Blue	7-4
Prather	Wright	Hutchison	Pakistan	3	Red	3-5
Ra	Janie	Hutchison	Switzerland	8	Blue	8-3
Raby	Neely	Hutchison	Switzerland	8	Blue	8-3
Rhea	Ellie	Hutchison	Burkina Faso	1	Red	1-8
Rhett	Hadley	Hutchison	Fiji	9	Blue	9-8
Ribeiro	Claudia	St. Mary's	Ethiopia	1	Red	1-7
Ring	Samantha	Hutchison	Netherlands	9	Blue	9-9
Roark	Hannah	Hutchison	Iraq	4	White	4-4
Rosario	Gabby	Hutchison	Nigeria	2	Red	2-1
Rossi	Christina	St. Agnes-St. Dominic	Afghanistan	5	White	5-3
Routen	Brooke	Grace-St. Luke's	Cambodia	3	Red	3-3
Ryan	Kali	Hutchison	South Africa	5	White	5-2
Sanvee	Lia	ECS	Lebanon	6	White	6-4
Sargent	Carson	Heritage	Uganda	3	Red	3-6
Scher	Nick	ECS	United States	2	Red	2-9
Schwartz	Aliya	Hutchison	Syria	9	Blue	9-4
Scott	Brooke	ECS	Bahamas	2	Red	2-8
Seay	Cooper	ECS	Italy	4	White	4-8
Selecman	Sammye	Hutchison	Chad	3	Red	3-2
Sengstache	Nyhiar	ECS	Bahamas	2	Red	2-8
Shah	Afifa	St. Mary's	Ethiopia	1	Red	1-7
Shelton	Drew	ECS	Israel	3	Red	3-1
Siddiq	Yusra	St. Mary's	Yemen	5	White	5-1
Sills	Ryder	ECS	Sao Tome and Principe	9	Blue	9-7
Simpson	Chloe	Hutchison	Ireland	5	White	5-9
Simpson	Lily	Hutchison	Japan	6	White	6-7
Sims	Alia	Hutchison	Netherlands	9	Blue	9-9
Slade	Hal	ECS	Botswana	3	Red	3-8
Smith	Peyton	ECS	Germany	9	Blue	9-3
Smith	Harrison	ECS	Israel	3	Red	3-1
Smith	Riley	Spring Hill	Saint Lucia	1	Red	1-4
Smith	Stephen	ECS	Senegal	1	Red	1-6
Sooch	Ramkeert	Spring Hill	Serbia	2	Red	2-5
sosnick	conner	Spring Hill	Spain	4	White	4-6
Spiegelman	Kate	Hutchison	Costa Rica	4	White	4-2
Spies	Austin	Spring Hill	Madagascar 2	7	Blue	7-5
Tamburrino	Isabella	St. Mary's	Liberia	7	Blue	7-2
Taylor	Hannah	ECS	Germany	9	Blue	9-3
Teisling	Annette	Heritage	Greece	2	Red	2-2

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Teisling	Isabelle	Heritage	Greece	2	Red	2-2
Thomas	Allie	St. Mary's	Yemen	5	White	5-1
Trumbo	Trenton	ECS	Jamaica	5	White	5-10
Umstead	Avery	ECS	Honduras	1	Red	1-10
VanSteenberg	Livi	St. George's	Singapore	7	Blue	7-1
Vargo	Gracie	ECS	Lebanon	6	White	6-4
Vaughn	Caleb	ECS	Canada	4	White	4-3
Veazey	Sarah	ECS	Israel	3	Red	3-1
Vidal	Kaia	St. George's	Thailand	8	Blue	8-9
Wages	Ainsley	ECS	Russian Federation	8	Blue	8-6
Wallace	Mary Allen	Hutchison	Brazil	9	Blue	9-6
Wallace	Sophie	St. Mary's	Liberia	7	Blue	7-2
Wardlaw	Hayden	Spring Hill	Egypt	6	White	6-9
Watson	Lauren	St. Mary's	Belarus	9	Blue	9-5
Weaver	Cairo	Heritage	Colombia	9	Blue	9-1
Weaver	Andrew	ECS	Denmark	7	Blue	7-3
Webb	Avery	Hutchison	Niger	1	Red	1-5
Webber	Autumn	Hutchison	Argentina	5	White	5-6
Weber	Kate	Hutchison	Iraq	4	White	4-4
Weeks	Janie	Hutchison	Chad	3	Red	3-2
Wheaton	Piper	Hutchison	Cape Verde	2	Red	2-7
White	Collier	ECS	Iceland	2	Red	2-6
Whitehead	Jana Lane	Hutchison	Croatia	5	White	5-7
Wilder	Nate	ECS	China	5	White	5-8
Wilder	Neely	ECS	Italy	4	White	4-8
Wilkinson	Elle	Hutchison	Burkina Faso	1	Red	1-8
Wilson	Sophie	Hutchison	Belize	8	Blue	8-2
Wilson	Campbell	Hutchison	Dominican Republic	7	Blue	7-4
Wilson	Cooper	ECS	Madagascar	7	Blue	7-10
Winchester	MaryBrooks	Hutchison	Haiti	2	Red	2-4
Wolfkill	Kate	St. Mary's	Ethiopia	1	Red	1-7
Wood	Jansen	ECS	Madagascar	7	Blue	7-10
Woods	Jamie	Hutchison	Dominican Republic	7	Blue	7-4
Woods	Amariah	Hutchison	Costa Rica	4	White	4-2
Wu	Elly	Signal Mountain	Republic of Korea	4	White	4-5
Yeargin	Lily	Spring Hill	Spain	4	White	4-6
Yoakum	Crews	ECS	China	5	White	5-8
Zarraonandia	Caleb	ECS	China	5	White	5-8

# UNITED NATIONS CURRENT MEMBER STATES

**BOLD indicates Security Council Member**

Afghanistan	Croatia	Italy
Albania	Cuba	Jamaica
Algeria	Cyprus	Japan
Andorra	Czech Republic	Jordan
Angola	Dem. People's Rep. of Korea	Kazakhstan
Antigua & Barbuda	Dem. Rep. of the Congo	Kenya
Argentina	Denmark	Kiribati
Armenia	Djibouti	<b>Kuwait</b>
Australia	Dominica	Kyrgyzstan
Austria	<b>Dominican Republic</b>	Lao People's Dem. Rep.
Azerbaijan	Ecuador	Latvia
Bahamas	Egypt	Lebanon
Bahrain	El Salvador	Lesotho
Bangladesh	<b>Equatorial Guinea</b>	Liberia
Barbados	Eritrea	Libyan Arab Jamahiriya
Belarus	Estonia	Liechtenstein
<b>Belgium</b>	Ethiopia	Lithuania
Belize	Fiji	Luxembourg
Benin	Finland	Madagascar
Bhutan	<b>France</b>	Malawi
Bolivia	Gabon	Malaysia
Bosnia & Herzegovina	Gambia	Maldives
Botswana	Georgia	Mali
Brazil	Germany	Malta
Brunei Darussalam	Ghana	Marshall Islands
Bulgaria	Greece	Mauritania
Burkina Faso	Grenada	Mauritius
Burundi	Guatemala	Mexico
Cambodia	Guinea	Micronesia
Cameroon	Guinea-Bissau	Republic of Moldova
Canada	Guyana	Monaco
Cape Verde	Haiti	Mongolia
Central African Republic	Honduras	Montenegro
Chad	Hungary	Morocco
Chile	Iceland	Mozambique
<b>China</b>	India	Myanmar
Colombia	<b>Indonesia</b>	Namibia
Comoros	Iran	Nauru
Congo	Iraq	Nepal
Costa Rica	Ireland	Netherlands
<b>Cote d'Ivoire</b>	Israel	New Zealand

Nicaragua  
Niger  
Nigeria  
Norway  
Oman  
Pakistan  
Palau  
Panama  
Papua New Guinea  
Paraguay  
**Peru**  
Philippines  
**Poland**  
Portugal  
Qatar  
Republic of Korea  
Romania  
**Russian Federation**  
Rwanda  
Saint Kitts & Nevis  
Saint Lucia  
Saint Vincent & the Grenadines  
Samoa  
San Marino

Sao Tome & Principe  
Saudi Arabia  
Senegal  
Serbia  
Seychelles  
Sierra Leone  
Singapore  
Slovakia  
Slovenia  
Solomon Islands  
Somalia  
**South Africa**  
South Sudan  
Spain  
Sri Lanka  
Sudan  
Suriname  
Swaziland  
Sweden  
Switzerland  
Syrian Arab Republic  
Tajikistan  
Thailand  
The former Yugoslav Rep. of  
Macedonia

East Timor  
Togo  
Tonga  
Trinidad & Tobago  
Tunisia  
Turkey  
Turkmenistan  
Tuvalu  
Uganda  
Ukraine  
United Arab Emirates  
**United Kingdom of Great Britain  
& Northern Ireland \*\***  
United Republic of Tanzania  
**United States of America**  
Uruguay  
Uzbekistan  
Vanuatu  
Venezuela  
Viet Nam  
Yemen  
Zambia  
Zimbabwe

# TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS RULES OF PROCEDURE FOR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

## I: General Rules

- A. **AGENDA** – The agenda of the General Assembly is drawn up by the Center for Civic Engagement (CCE) and shall be regarded as adopted at the beginning of the session. There shall be no revisions or additions to the agenda without approval of the CCE staff.
- B. **OFFICERS:** the President of the General Assembly and the Vice-Presidents shall be the presiding officers of the General Assembly and its Plenary session. Other conference officers or delegates may be called on to preside over committee sessions as directed by the CCE staff.
- C. **RESPONSIBILITIES OF OFFICERS:**
  - a. Declare the opening and closing of each plenary session.
  - b. Moderate the discussion in plenary session.
  - c. Uphold these rules of procedure.
  - d. Uphold the expectations set forth in the Officer Code of Conduct.
- D. **LANGUAGES** – All sessions shall be conducted in English. Any participant wishing to address the session in another language may do so, provided he/she brings his/her own interpreter.
- E. **QUORUM:** Two-thirds (67%) of the assigned delegates shall constitute a quorum of the General Assemblies, Plenary session, and committees. A quorum must be present for any session to conduct the business on its agenda.
- F. **DECORUM:** All delegates are expected to maintain decorum, i.e. appropriate behavior, during all sessions. Delegates behaving inappropriately are subject to disciplinary action by presiding officers and the CCE staff. The Delegate Code of Conduct defines further expectations for appropriate delegate behavior.

## II. General Assembly (GA) sessions:

- A. **Docket:** the docket for GA sessions shall be determined by the CCE staff based on rankings of resolutions by committees. The docket for each GA session is only amended in extraordinary circumstances with the permission of the CCE staff and presiding officers (the chairs). Delegates who wish to amend the docket (i.e. reschedule the debate on a resolution) should bring their concerns to the presiding officers before moving to amend the docket.

**B. Resolutions:**

- a. The content of resolutions should conform to the expectations laid out by the CCE staff in the Delegate Manual.
- b. Resolutions may **only** be amended during GA committee sessions.

**C. Presentations:**

- a. The patrons of each resolution are responsible for presenting their resolution to the GA according to the rules of procedure and decorum and the format for debate. Only GA delegates can present resolutions to the GA.
- b. Patrons should not use props of any kind during their presentations or the debate on their resolutions.
- c. Patrons may invoke **Patron's Rights** only when a speaker in debate has offered factually incorrect information about the text of their resolution. Patron's Rights allows the patrons ten seconds of uninterrupted speaking time to correct the factual error. Patrons must wait until the speaker has concluded their remarks before exercising these rights.

**D. Debate:**

- a. GA Delegates may speak when recognized by the chair. Delegates' remarks must be relevant to the items on the agenda at any given time.
- b. Once recognized, delegates must identify themselves to the session with their name and the country they represent.
- c. Delegates recognized as speakers in debate have the right to do **two** of the following things with their speaker's time. Speakers must inform the chair of their intentions before continuing to:
  - i. Address the floor/session
  - ii. Ask the patrons of the resolution a series of questions
  - iii. Yield the remainder of their time to another delegate in the session
  - iv. Make a motion. Motions should be made after one of the previous actions.
- d. Speaker's time: unless otherwise indicated by the chair, each speaker shall have two minutes to address the floor. Speakers who have been yielded time by another delegate may not yield any further time. Unused speakers' time shall be yielded to the chair.

**E. Intent Speeches:** delegates and members of the Secretariat may submit intent speeches during debate on resolutions during GA and the Plenary sessions.

- a. Intent speeches are limited to 2 minutes and are delivered between the end of technical questions on the resolution and the beginning of debate on the resolution.
- b. Intent speeches may only address the floor/session; intent speakers must identify themselves and request permission to address the floor.
- c. Intent speakers may not yield their time to another delegate, ask the patrons questions, or make a motion.
- d. Intent speeches do not count as rounds of debate.
- e. Delegates may only deliver one intent speech during the conference.

**F. Voting:**

- a. When voting on GA resolutions, each delegation has one vote, including the delegation presenting the resolution. GA resolutions pass with a simple majority, i.e. more 'ayes' than 'nays.'
- b. Delegations may abstain on resolutions only when the abstention follows current policy positions of their government.
- c. When voting on all other motions, each delegate has one vote. The majority required is found on the Table of Motions in the resolution book and the Delegate Manual.
- d. During voting procedure, delegates may not leave or enter the GA session until the results of the voting have been determined by the chair.

**G. Amendments:**

- a. GA Delegates may propose, debate, and vote on amendments only in GA committees. Amendments require a simple majority to pass.
- b. Patrons of resolutions may submit simple amendments to their own resolution before beginning their presentation. Such amendments should not change the nature or intent of the resolution, but make simple corrections. Once they have begun their presentation, patrons may not submit amendments to their own resolution.
- c. Any amendments must be written on the appropriate form, be legible, and be germane.
- d. Amendments must be recognized by the chair before the final round of debate, i.e. before the chair has recognized the last "pro" speaker for the debate.
- e. The patrons of the resolution must declare any amendment "friendly" (if they agree with the proposed amendment) or "unfriendly" (if they disagree).
- f. Friendly amendments may be passed without debate through voice acclamation.
- g. Unfriendly amendments are debated in the appropriate format. The amendment's sponsor acts as the patron of the amendment, and the patrons of the resolution have the right to be the first con speaker in the debate.



# TENNESSEE YMCA CENTER FOR CIVIC ENGAGEMENT

# TABLE OF MOTIONS

Motion	When Another has the Floor	Second	Debatable	Amendable	Vote	Reconsider
Main Motion (Bill or resolution)	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Majority	Only with permission from CCE staff
Adjourn	No	Yes	No	No	Majority	No
Amend	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Majority	Yes
Appeal	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	2/3	n/a
Postpone to a certain time	No	Yes	Yes	No	Majority	n/a
Previous Question (end debate)	No	Yes	No	No	2/3	No
Recess	No	Yes	No	Yes	Majority	No
Reconsider	No	Yes	Yes	No	2/3	No
Point of Personal Privilege	Yes	No	No	No	No	No
Suspend the Rules	No	Yes	No	Yes	2/3	No
Withdraw Motions	No	No	No	No	Majority	n/a
Point of Information	Yes	No	No	No	No	No
Point of Order/ Parliamentary Inquiry	Yes	No	No	No	No	No

## BRIEF DEFINITIONS:

**Adjourn:** this action ends the session and is only in order with the permission of the CCE staff.

**Appeal:** a legislative body may appeal a decision of its presiding officer if 2/3 of its members think that the chair has made an incorrect ruling on a procedural matter.

**Reconsider:** motions to reconsider any motion are only in order with the permission of the CCE staff.

**Point of Personal Privilege:** this point should be used to address delegates' comfort or ability to participate in the conference session, i.e. climate control issues, PA volume, etc.

**Suspension of the Rules:** a successful motion to suspend the rules affects only the main motion at hand. Suspended rules are 'back' once voting/ranking procedures are complete.

**Point of Information:** these points are questions directed to the chair for factual information relevant to the debate at hand. The chair may redirect the question to a delegate who is likely to have an answer.

**Point of Order:** these points are questions directed to the chair asking for clarification of rules of procedure.

# SCRIPT FOR CCE MUN DEBATE

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\*Outside of this guide, consult additional TN YMCA CCE supplements and Robert's Rules of Order

\*Script is written with the assumption of more than one patron for the resolution/bill. If there is only one presenting patron, change statements to the singular (i.e. "Does the Patron" instead of "Do the Patrons").

## **OVERVIEW**

Model UN (MUN) debate should be seen in the context of the actual United Nations General Assembly, where delegates speak directly on behalf of the governments of the nations they represent and the items debated are called **resolutions**. Because of this setting, MUN delegates should know their nation's stance on important world issues and approach them as that country's government would (even if the delegates do not agree with that approach). This applies especially to the resolution that you are presenting. It should address not only an issue that the delegates think is important, but one that the country's government thinks is important and would actually present to the UN. Also, although the event is called "Model UN," speakers referring to the body should not say that "the Model UN" should do such-and-such. You are to be completely in character, acting as if Model UN were the actual United Nations (so refer to the conference as "the UN" or "the United Nations").

## **ASKING TECHNICAL QUESTIONS**

(after being recognized by the chair)

**Speaker:** [States Name, States Country, States **One** Question (must be one that merits a response of yes, no, a number, a definition, or a short, expository rather than persuasive answer) (the question is directed to the presenting delegates)]

## **CON/PRO DEBATE**

(after being recognized)

\*Delegates may take one or two of the three actions listed below (ask questions, speak to the floor, yield time to another delegate), but may not only yield time to another delegate (you can only ask questions or only speak, but cannot only yield time).

**Speaker:** (States Name, States Country) and...

- To Ask A Series of Questions

**Speaker:** Do the Patrons yield to a possible series of questions? (**Not:** “a series of possible questions,” or “a question.”)

**Chair:** They do so yield

**Speaker:** (To Patrons) (Asks Questions and receives answers for up to two minutes, depending on the committee/GA/plenary’s time structure).

\*It is important to note that questions asked as a Con speech should seek to criticize, or at least show skepticism for, the given resolution. Those asked as a Pro speech should do the opposite, emphasizing the positive aspects of the resolution.

- To Address the Assembly

**Speaker:** May I address the floor?

**Chair:** That is your right.

**Speaker:** (Speaks to fellow delegates, not the patrons, for the allotted amount of time either in favor of (pro speech) or against (con speech) the resolution).

\*You should never use the words “Con” or “Pro” in your speech unless referring to “a previous con speaker,” etc. Con and Pro are not nouns or verbs that can be used to show your support or dislike of a resolution (so **do not** say “I con this resolution”).

- To Yield Remaining time after one of the above to a fellow delegate:

**Speaker:** May I yield the remainder of my time to a fellow delegate?

**Chair:** That is your right. Please specify a delegate.

**Speaker:** [Names the delegate to be yielded to (refer to him/her by country)] (Takes first action)

\*Delegates being yielded to should have the same opinion (pro or con) on the resolution as the speakers that yield to them.

## **MOTIONS**

(must be made before the last con speech)

**Speaker:** (Shouts) Motion!

**Chair:** Rise and state your motion.

**Speaker:** (States Name, States Country, States Motion—see table of motions in delegate manual)

**Chair:** [Takes it from there (decides if the motion is in order or not, asks for a second to the motion, and conducts a vote, usually by voice acclamation)]

# FORMAT FOR DEBATE

## I. Committee

**Two minutes - Introduction**

**Two minutes - Technical Questions**

**+/-Five minutes - Con/pro debate**

**One minute - Summation**

## Amendments

**One minute - Introduction**

**Two rounds - Con/pro debate**

**One minute - Summation**

## II. General Assembly/Plenary

**Two minutes - Introduction**

**One minute - Technical Questions**

**Three rounds - Con/pro debate**

**Two minutes - Summation**

## SAMPLE COMMITTEE RANKING FORM

Best 1...2...3...4...5 Worst

	Resolution #	Character	Innovation	Fiscal Feasibility	Content & Research	Significant Impact	Total
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**COMMITTEE 1**

## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS



# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Finland**

**Delegates: Sienna Nichols, Harper Loyd, Nuriyah Bilal, Ash Pennington**

**School: Hutchison**

## **Resolution to Preserve and Protect the Natural Environment of Finland**

1 Bearing in mind that the preservation of natural areas across Finland is possibly one  
2 of the most important necessities that the country has to offer;

3  
4 Reaffirming that climate change has had a large impact on not only the natural  
5 aspect of Finland, but the economical aspect of it as well;

6  
7 Considering that climate change would seriously encourage the ever-growing threat  
8 on the natural habitats of Finland;

9  
10 Aware that the removal of climate change and the complete elimination of all its  
11 negative impacts to Finland's environment are needed to remove the threat of  
12 environmental change;

13  
14 Considering that until climate change and negative influence on people and  
15 environment cease to exist, it is imperative on the behalf of Finland to adopt  
16 measures that assure environmental protection and provide safety against the  
17 threat of negative influence on people and the climate;

18  
19 Alarmed that these environmental changes carry the risk of destruction of natural  
20 areas -many of which are home to endangered species of animals along with being  
21 tourist hotspots- and would cause a multitude of problems;

22  
23 Emphasizing the imperative need to adopt safety measures to control or avoid  
24 accidental, unauthorized, or uncontrolled incidents and events that may arise due  
25 to climate change;

26  
27 Conscious that minimal steps relating to retargeting have been taken by Finland  
28 and that the international struggle of climate change and the human footprint

29  
30 The delegation of Finland hereby:

31  
32 Urges the United Nations to mandate an Environment Safety Protection working  
33 group to asses the necessity and safety of all natural areas in Finland and to make  
34 mindful recommendations within one year;

35  
36 Requests that the Ministry of the Environment try to establish rules and regulations  
37 on natural habitats and environments for the betterment of all;  
38  
39 Further requests that these standards include checks and balances for the  
40 protection from:  
41       a) Inadequate situation analysis  
42       b) Poor decision making  
43       c) Unauthorized courses of action towards any group of people or nature  
44  
45 Recommendations that Finland's industrial and pollution sites be removed from a  
46 position that would allow them to pollute and possibly cause thousands of lakes and  
47 countless habitats to undergo unsolvable damage;  
48  
49 Noting that the close proximity of the industrial sites to the natural areas increase  
50 the risk of an accidental spill or pollution of the area's inhabitants;  
51  
52 Further recommends the Ministry of the Environment, within reason and plausible  
53 resources, continue to seek input from the Sámi Parliament on information with  
54 regard to specific measures that would significantly reduce the ever growing threat  
55 of climate change and the destruction of environments.

## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS



# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Estonia**

**Delegates: Taylor Cobb, Hannah Densman, Mia Greco**

**School: Heritage Middle School**

## **A Resolution to Bring Gender Equality to Estonia and the Baltic States**

1 Noted with concern that, as of 2013, 91.1% of all males in the country were  
2 employed, and there were only 23.2% of the females in the country employed, a  
3 67.9% difference;

4  
5 Noticing in the summary of second session of the United Nations Commission on  
6 the Status of Women it says, "Gender mainstreaming was endorsed in the Beijing  
7 Platform for Action as a strategy for the promotion of gender equality and women's  
8 empowerment, which required concerted efforts at all levels, and across all  
9 sectors;"

10  
11 Bearing in mind that Communism, within the Soviet Union, ended nearly thirty  
12 years ago, men in Estonia and the surrounding regions have been granted a lot  
13 more rights, while women have barely been granted any;

14  
15 Taking note that the Universal Declaration of Human Rights Preamble states,  
16 "Whereas the peoples of the United Nations have in the Charter reaffirmed their  
17 faith in fundamental human rights, in the dignity and worth of the human person  
18 and in the equal rights of men and women"

19  
20 Helping Estonia and the Baltic States have gender equality and stopping domestic  
21 violence that husbands do to wives will inspire other countries to do the same  
22 benefiting women everywhere;

23  
24 Aware of how the Beijing Platform for Action was a huge step toward stopping  
25 sexism;

26  
27 Calling Upon The General Assembly for everyone to contribute to the end of sexism  
28 by:

- 29 a. Treating EVERYONE equal
- 30 b. Disciplining sexist people so they can understand that sexism is not just;

31  
32 Requesting that the UN Women help set up a project to bring sexism to an end in  
33 Estonia and the Baltic States, immediately;



35 Considering how this would bring relief to women allowing them to live free of  
36 oppression;  
37  
38 We suggest the following countries to help the UN Women in their project to ensure  
39 success:  
40 1. Estonia  
41 2. Latvia  
42 3. Lithuania  
43 4. Iran  
44 5. Syria  
45 6. Pakistan  
46  
47 Noting that all of these countries would be greatly benefited for the betterment of  
48 equality amongst all;  
49  
50 Therefore, the Estonian Government would like to request aid in our quest to have  
51 gender equality;  
52  
53 Furthermore urging The United Nations Women to end this unjust hierarchy in  
54 Estonia and all parts of the Baltic States, and trust the UN to see this through.

## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS



# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Timor Leste**

**Delegates: Avery Fleming, Anna Caroline Domas, Ayden Allen**

**School: Hutchison**

## **Resolution to Increase Education Opportunities for the People of East Timor**

1 The people of Timor Leste need to learn to make money for their future lives;

2  
3 Reaffirming that the people of Timor Leste need a better education so they can  
4 have better jobs and be able to afford the essentials;

5  
6 Convinced that not having better education could lead Timor Leste into deeper  
7 poverty;

8  
9 Aware that The organization UNICEF, can make a powerful impact. UNICEF is an  
10 organization that helps children in remote areas, and supports the government of  
11 Timor Leste to set up a community of pre-schools;

12  
13 Considering that until we can get Timor Leste a better education system, we need  
14 to help the people get money for the essentials

15  
16 Alarmed that if the people of Timor Leste can't get an education soon, they will  
17 suffer for a longer period of time;

18  
19 Emphasizing the need to get better education for the people of Timor Leste

20  
21 Conscious that limited steps to solving this issue have been taken

22  
23 The delegation of Timor Leste hereby;

24  
25 Urges the people of Timor Leste to help get the country back on track to better  
26 education

27  
28 Requests the United Nations to help get an organization to help solve this  
29 prominent issue of education;

30  
31 Further requests that these standards includes checks and balances for protection  
32 from unauthorized action of abuse to children or taking money from their family

34 Recommends the UN to get in contact with some of the facilities to help the children  
35 get the education they need. It's unfair that children don't get the education they  
36 need. Some children in Timor Leste get abused and it's unfair to them when they  
37 don't have anything to look forward to like learning.

38

39 Noting that the lack of education can bring people to have no money for everyday  
40 needs

41

42 Further addressing the need for education to help the people of Timor Leste

**TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS**



**RED  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY**



**Sponsor: Saint Lucia**

**Delegates: Riley Smith, Georgia Hazelwood**

**School: Spring Hill Middle School**

**A Resolution to Help St. Lucia during a Hurricane**

- 1 Alarmed by there have been 5 major hurricanes in the past 70 years.
- 2
- 3 Deeply concerned by Hurricane Allen, in 1980 it killed 269 fatalities. Hurricane
- 4 Janet, 1955 it killed 1,000. Tropical Storm Debby, 1994 it killed 9 people. Hurricane
- 5 Tomas, 2010 it killed 44.
- 6
- 7 We the delegation of St. Lucia do hear by
- 8
- 9 Request money from the United Nations to create hurricane response centers.

## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS



# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Niger**  
**Delegates: Emerson Crowley, Avery Webb**  
**School: Hutchison**

## Resolution to Strengthen Education Systems in the Republic of Niger

1 Afraid that education will fail and the country will remain underdeveloped and in  
 2 poverty;

3  
 4 Confident that in order to help the development rate, the delegation of Niger wants  
 5 to start from the root which is education;

6  
 7 Concerned that the education system will fail causing the country to delay its  
 8 development and create a worse literacy rate, poverty rate, and a lower enrollment  
 9 rate;

10  
 11 Deeply concerned about the low literacy rate of 19.1% of the population that  
 12 cannot read which prevents them from many opportunities;

13  
 14 Alarmed that the literacy rates will continue to decline, causing little to no  
 15 enrollment in schools if the education system does not improve;

16  
 17 Fully alarmed that the education in Niger lacks the support they need in order to  
 18 teach children;

19  
 20 The delegation from the Republic of Niger hereby

21  
 22 Requests that UNICEF fund schools and training programs for teachers that will  
 23 support the education system and will contribute to many flaws in the country of  
 24 Niger;

25  
 26 Affirming it will accomplish the Sustainable Development Goal number 4;

27  
 28 Aware that the cost of building a school could be around \$25,000 to \$35,000;

29  
 30 Confident that the goal is to keep the cost as low as possible with just 3 fully  
 31 equipped classrooms and one office.

## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS



# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Senegal**

**Delegates: Stephen Smith, Jerry Bragg, Walker Billions**

**School: ECS**

## Preserving the Gorillas of Senegal

1 Acknowledging that gorillas populate Senegal;

2  
3 Noting with grave concern that less than 100,000 lowland gorillas are in existence,  
4 classifying them as critically endangered;

5  
6 Disturbed that bush meat hunting and timber harvesting in the western lowland  
7 gorillas' habitat have negatively affected the probability of their survival;

8  
9 Noting further that female gorillas can only give birth every four to eight years;

10  
11 Deeply concerned that it is estimated that lowland gorillas will be extinct in less  
12 than 20 years if action is not taken;

13  
14 Stressing that tourism from these beautiful gorillas brings over 2 million dollars and  
15 expands employment opportunities for the people of Senegal;

16  
17 The delegation of Senegal does hereby:

18  
19 Urge the United Nations to form a Mountain Gorilla Conservancy Committee to help  
20 manage protected areas that provide refuge to endangered mountain gorillas and  
21 create an action plan which would lead to the further improvement of legislation  
22 and law enforcement;

23  
24 Recommends this group perform long-term research to better understand mountain  
25 gorilla ecology, since by studying how these gorilla populations use their limited  
26 habitat, the committee will be able to further recommend protective measures for  
27 wild corridors that link the various groups.

## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS



# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Ethiopia**

**Delegates: Claudia Ribeiro, Claire Chauhan, Afifa Shah, Kate Wolfkill,  
Sarah Mae Fields**

**School: St. Marys**

## **A Resolution to Extract Water from Soil and Construct Wells for Water Supply**

1 Deeply concerned that 72% of water in Ethiopia is too unclean to drink;  
2  
3 Emphasizing the 99 million citizens of Ethiopia that suffer from clean water  
4 shortage;  
5  
6 Keeping in mind that only 42% of Ethiopian citizens have access to clean water;  
7  
8 Recognizing that water-borne diseases such as cholera or diarrhea are the leading  
9 causes of death for children under five years of age;  
10  
11 Noting further that the mortality rate in Ethiopia is more than 5% of live births,  
12 which is 10 times more than the United States' mortality rate;  
13  
14 Fully aware that Ethiopia's main water sources are rivers and lakes containing  
15 bacteria such as E. coli;  
16  
17 Noting with concern the 45% of children are able to attend school while the other  
18 55% are collecting water;  
19  
20 Fully alarmed by the three-hour distance women and children must travel to  
21 retrieve clean water daily;  
22  
23 Mindful of the 97 million citizens who do not practice proper hygiene because of  
24 lack of water;  
25  
26 Acknowledging the range of countries globally that also struggle with water  
27 scarcity;  
28  
29 The General Assembly of Federal Democratic Republic of Ethiopia does hereby:  
30  
31 Requests the UN's aid in funding for the construction of wells for extracting water  
32 from soil;  
33

34 Emphasizes the \$8,000 USD it takes to build a single well in Ethiopia;  
35  
36 Seeks professional assistance in educating the citizens of Ethiopia on the subjects  
37 of construction and maintenance the wells;  
38  
39 Expresses its hope for previously educated UN volunteers to provide help in building  
40 these wells.



## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS



# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Burkina Faso**

**Delegates: Virginia Phillips, Ellie Rhea, Elle Wilkinson**

**School: Hutchison**

## Resolution to End Poverty and Improve Agriculture

1 Concerned that 90 percent of the people in Burkina Faso work in agriculture but  
2 only 30 percent of the money goes into GDP;

3  
4 Alarmed that more than 40 percent of the country is in poverty which is mainly  
5 because of the lack of natural resources;

6  
7 Noting with grave concern that the country Burkina Faso suffers droughts and  
8 major climate change that can affect the growth of crops especially when farming  
9 practices could be improved;

10  
11 Drawing attention to the fact that 20,603,897 people in Burkina Faso work in a poor  
12 agricultural environment and the people do not receive a sustainable income;

13  
14 Viewing with appreciation that the Sustainable Development Goal number 1 to end  
15 poverty will perhaps help Burkina Faso to end poverty by working on agricultural  
16 problems;

17  
18 The delegation from Burkina Faso hereby

19  
20 Requests farming specialists from the UN to teach farmers to improve agricultural  
21 productivity in Burkina Faso;

22  
23 Believes that with the help of the United Nations and the SDG goal to end poverty  
24 that Burkina Faso will grow out of poverty with a satisfactory form of agriculture  
25 producing more products than ever.

## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS



# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Australia**

**Delegates: Makaleb Brown, Jackson Kirk, Charlie Coolidge, Chase Ellingsworth**

**School: ECS**

## **A resolution to Incorporate Coral Reefs into the List of Protected Areas Created by United Nations**

- 1 Acknowledging that more than twenty percent of the planet's biodiversity lies within
- 2 coral reefs;
- 3
- 4 Recognizing that coral reefs are in great danger due to human activity;
- 5
- 6 Understanding that 37 of the 47 Small Island Developing States recognized by the
- 7 United Nations depend directly on their coral reefs for their livelihoods;
- 8
- 9 The delegation of Australia hereby:
- 10
- 11 Requests that the United Nations include all coral reefs into their list of protected
- 12 areas;
- 13
- 14 Noting that reefs located in international waters fall under United Nations legal
- 15 jurisdiction;
- 16
- 17 Emphasizes the wish to broaden an existing United Nations policy;
- 18
- 19 Recognizes that this will have a minor impact on the United Nation's budget
- 20 because the cost of overall upkeep of protected lands is below five million U.S.
- 21 dollars;
- 22
- 23 Further understands that the upkeep of these coral reefs will not exceed the cost
- 24 needed for the upkeep of other protected lands.

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# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Honduras**

**Delegates: Dakota Breeden, Avery Umstead**

**School: ECS**

## A Resolution to Solve the Problem of Honduran Refugees

1 Concerned that 66 percent of Hondurans live in poverty;

2  
3 Acknowledging that according to the United Nations, Honduras' murder rate is the  
4 world's second highest, with 56.52 per 100,000 people in 2020;

5  
6 Noting that this has contributed to a recent increase in the number of Honduran  
7 children and families crossing the border into the U.S;

8  
9 Concerned that these people are forced to make a dangerous run for safety in a  
10 faraway land and have nowhere to go once they get there;

11  
12 Further concerned about the many who return, after having failed in their  
13 northward escape;

14  
15 Noting that many of these children and teenagers, upon their return, join gangs,  
16 get involved in drug-dealing, extortion, carjacking, and turf battles;

17  
18 The delegation from Honduras hereby:

19  
20 Calls upon the United Nations to urgently help solve the problem by offering both  
21 short- and long-term solutions;

22  
23 Recommends that short-term solutions include the creation of facilities for the  
24 returning families to live in;

25  
26 Further recommends that there be facilities for schooling for the children so that  
27 they can have the opportunity to get jobs when they grow up;

28  
29 Suggests that the United Nations send counselors who can work with the families  
30 and help them be assimilated into society;

31  
32 Hoping that long-term solutions include ways to eradicate the poverty and cycle of  
33 violence in Honduras.

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**COMMITTEE 2**

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# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Nigeria**

**Delegates: Angeline Dalal, Gabriela Rosario, Lila Murphey, Maude Burrow**

**School: Hutchison**

## **Resolution to Establish Beneficial Schooling Standards to Reduce Lack of Education**

Bearing in mind that the lack of education removes opportunities for citizens of all ages;

Reaffirming that any destroyed learning environment and paucity of caliber teachers would not offer appropriate education;

Convinced that proper schooling and all its aspects would seriously eliminate the absence of real education and high risk for poverty;

Aware that a lack of education prevents the intellectual growth of humans;

Considering that improper education has been widely spread throughout the country, it is slowly starting to be revealed today;

Alarmed that poor funding and inadequate learning environments affect the citizens proper education, which leads to increasing risk of poverty;

Emphasizing that approximately 10.5 million children are not receiving adequate schooling;

Conscious that a colossal amount of learning sites have been damaged or destroyed entirely;

The delegation of Nigeria hereby:

Urges the United Nations to bring forth quality teachers to address lack of education along with reconstruction of poor learning environments and make high-level recommendations within three years;

Requests that the Association for Childhood Education International (ACEI) try to establish adequate schooling and educational environments along with qualified educators;

Further requests that these standards include preventions of :

35 Inadequate cerebral preparation  
36 Uncertified instructors  
37 Demolished learning spaces for students  
38  
39 Recommends that the hazardous environments and insufficient schooling  
40 necessities be withdrawn from the community;  
41  
42 Noting that the deficient state of schooling is harmful and will increase the risk of  
43 poverty and uneducated persons;  
44  
45 Further recommends that the unavailability of proper education and school supplies  
46 prevents intellectual development and we hereby seek input from Association for  
47 Childhood Education International with regard to specific solutions to reduce lack of  
48 knowledge and poverty;

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# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Greece**

**Delegates: Evan Eads, Annette Teisling, Isabella Teisling**

**School: Heritage Middle School**

## A Resolution to Save Greece of its Economic Debt

1 Ever since 2010, Greece has been in an economic crisis. All of this has happened  
2 due to tax evasion, and the main reason being that the government of Greece was  
3 getting greedy with their money and used way over their country's limit to the point  
4 where their economy failed.

6 Due to these problems we are sending our recommendations to fix the debt of  
7 Greece and furthermore decrease unemployment rates in Greece, but to do this we  
8 need all members of the United Nations to share their fair due amount of money to  
9 the United Nations. By doing this, Greece's money and unemployment problem can  
10 be solved and put the rest of the world in less debt.

12 As previously stated not all countries are giving money to the United Nations like  
13 for example the United States having internal political problems. We, the country of  
14 Greece, think all countries of the United Nations should share their money to those  
15 in need. By doing this the world will be in less debt and the 4.5 million unemployed  
16 civilians will get a job by creating new buildings, workplaces, and overall increase  
17 Greece's money.

19 Greece also has the highest unemployment rate in all of Europe of 16.8% as of  
20 August 2020 . It is because of this people are becoming homeless and could  
21 possibly have civilians flee to other countries increasing the homeless rate in other  
22 countries as well.

24 The population of Greece is 10 million and their religion is following the Greek  
25 Orthodox Church with a government of Hellenic Parliament having a president and  
26 prime minister being the head of Greece. With their population being 10 million,  
27 1,680,000 are unemployed.

29 So again, Greece is requesting that the United Nations have all countries share their  
30 fair amount of money with the United Nations to end debt in Greece and  
31 unemployment, as well as lessen the amount of debt and unemployment of the  
32 entire world.

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# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Togo**

**Delegates: Anna Chiozza, Jane Keras, Raniah Bedford**

**School: Hutchison**

## Togo Resolution

1 Noting with grave concern that only primary education is free, and nothing after  
2 that is free;

3  
4 Noting with grave concern that only primary education is free, nothing after that is  
5 so people can not learn what they are supposed to learn;

6  
7 Alarmed that only around 41 percent of Togo's population is eligible to enroll in  
8 secondary schooling;

9  
10 Noting with grave concern that teachers and students lack proper tools and books  
11 for proper education;

12  
13 Concerned that almost 64% of people in Togo do not get the proper education that  
14 they need in order to succeed in life;

15  
16 Alarmed that 63.7% of citizens can not read or write due to lack of education;

17  
18 The delegation from Togo hereby

19  
20 Requests that other experienced teachers from different countries will come and  
21 give the people of Togo proper education and the teachers proper training;

22  
23 Requests that the UN helps us with improving school buildings and possibly making  
24 secondary schools free;

25  
26 Affirming that this resolution satisfies Sustainable Development Goal 4 which is to  
27 educate the children in your community.



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# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Haiti**

**Delegates: MaryBrooks Winchester, Melinda Moses, Ellie Bailey**

**School: Hutchison**

## Entrepreneur classes in Haiti

1 Concerned that Haitians do not have the knowledge to start their own small  
2 business, so they cannot afford the things they need;

4 Alarmed that the unemployment rate in the Republic of Haiti is 40.6%;

6 Concerned that a lot of people do not have jobs which makes it harder for them to  
7 live a good life;

9 Acknowledging that The Republic of Haiti had a hurricane in 2010 and the country  
10 still has huge damage today;

12 Alarmed that Haitians are not living in houses because they cannot afford them;

14 Realizing that based on national reports, it is estimated that no less than 150  
15 million people of the world's population are homeless;

17 Informing that Haiti's main industry is agriculture and around half of the country's  
18 working population is employed in this sector;

20 Noting with grave concern that if Haitians try to start their own business the  
21 businesses would not be nice enough or have any nice things that they are selling  
22 for people to start buying from them;

24 The delegation from Haiti hereby;

26 Requests that the UN hold entrepreneur classes in Haiti, so Haitians can start their  
27 own small businesses, and also improve their quality of living;

28 Supporting Sustainable Development Goal 11.

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**Sponsor: Serbia**

**Delegates: Nathan Donat, Ramkeert Sooch**

**School: Spring Hill Middle School**

**A Resolution to Solve Serbia's Economical, Social, and Political Crisis**

- 1 Alarmed that Serbia has a large population of crime committers that are killing
- 2 women, using and selling illegal drugs, and doing other things that are illegal and
- 3 involve crime.
- 4
- 5 We the Delegation of Serbia do hereby:
- 6
- 7 Propose stricter crime laws and more security to prevent high crime rates and
- 8 illegal uses/smuggling.

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# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Iceland**

**Delegates: Emma Sanders Brady, Abigail Nicolas, Collier White**

**School: ECS**

## Declare the Arctic a Global World Sanctuary

1 Concerned that in the last 30 years, we've lost as much as three-quarters of the floating  
2 sea ice cover at the top of the world;

3  
4 Noting that for thousands of years, ice has been a permanent feature of the Arctic Ocean;

5  
6 Regretting that melting is occurring because of our use of dirty fossil fuel energy, and in  
7 the near future, the Arctic could be ice free for the first time in history;

8  
9 Recognizing the polar ice caps contain much of the world's fresh water;

10  
11 Believing that this would be not only devastating for the people, polar bears, narwhals,  
12 walruses and other species that live there - but for the rest of us too;

13  
14 Aware that the ice at the top of the world reflects much of the sun's heat back into space  
15 and keeps our whole planet cool, stabilizing the weather systems that we depend on to  
16 grow our food;

17  
18 Acknowledging changing in the amount of sea ice disrupt normal ocean circulation;

19  
20 Convinced that protecting the ice means protecting us all, if the polar ice caps melt, the  
21 ocean would raise 220 feet;

22  
23 The delegation of Iceland hereby:

24  
25 Calls upon the United Nations to declare the Arctic a global world sanctuary;

26  
27 Expresses it hope that with the creation of a legal sanctuary around the North Pole, oil  
28 and gas companies would be prevented from expanding their activities to this area.

29  
30 Proclaims that a sanctuary in the uninhabited area around the pole would stop the  
31 polluters colonizing the top of the world without infringing on the rights of indigenous  
32 communities;

33  
34 Affirms that the North Pole is meant for the youth of the future and strictly off limits  
35 for irresponsible energy companies.

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# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Cape Verde**

**Delegates: Isabella Klimo, Piper Wheaton**

**School: Hutchison**

## **Resolution to Establish a Law For Women and Children's Safety Standards**

Bearing in mind that the treatment of women and children in Cape Verde is seen as a serious issue to our population;

Reaffirming mortality rates of each citizen that is either children or female is stunted;

The use of child labor and discrimination is seen as dreadful and adversary to Cape Verde;

Convinced the continuation of child labor and discrimination would in long term lead to lower population, education, and health care rates would overall lead to an unhealthy and poor country;

Aware that child labor can increase the mortality rate and created distress at a young age;

Considering until child labor and abuse of women and children is abolished, it is imperative that this threat needs to be aborted;

Alarmed that the harsh conditions for children and women in Cape Verde traces back to poverty as one of the main afflictions;

Emphasizing that children partake in supporting themselves as well as their families to work long hours of the day with little to no pay;

Concerning that the constitution of Cape Verde has not yet emplaced a regulation for discrimination against gender and handicap;

Further notice, abuse is built in around the homes and schools against women and street children;

The delegation of Cape Verde hereby:

34 Urges the United Nations to mandate a non discriminatory and abuse of child labor,  
35 for a healthier, and happier community within the next four years;  
36  
37 Request that UNICEF try to expedite an enforced law that establishes safety  
38 standards for the women, children, and disabled;  
39  
40 Further requests that these standards include that these cover for protection from:  
41 a) Long harsh hours that children have been suppressed  
42 b) Women and handicapped discriminated against  
43 c) Child labor  
44 d) Children sexually exploited;  
45  
46 Recommends that this law be added from a status that would keep women,  
47 children, and handicapped safe;  
48  
49 Noting that child labor and exploiting children and women can cause a high  
50 mortality rate;  
51  
52 Further Recommends the Secretary-General, continues to seek for information with  
53 regard to specific measures that would remarkably lessen the discrimination,  
54 exploitation, and abuse of child labor in Cape Verde.

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# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Bahamas**

**Delegates: Nykira Sengstache, Brooke Scott, Savannah Herrington, Ella Grace Cochran**

**School: ECS**

## **A proposal to Reduce Crime in the Bahamas in Order to Encourage Tourism**

1 Aware that crime is a serious problem in the Bahamas, particularly in Nassau,  
2 Freeport, and other major tourist areas;

3  
4 Acknowledging that the Bahamas has a high murder rate,

5  
6 Bearing in mind that while the vast majority of crimes occur in impoverished areas,  
7 random acts of violence, such as gunfire, may occur anywhere;

8  
9 Noting that crime is exacerbated by the fact that police are understaffed and often  
10 ineffective;

11  
12 Concerned that there have been frequent allegations of police corruption;

13  
14 Alarmed that the economy is suffering as a result of crime;

15  
16 The delegation of the Bahamas hereby:

17  
18 Call upon the United Nations to work with the Bahaman government to encourage a  
19 program of social engagement;

20  
21 Recommends the United Nations works with the youth to educate them about crime  
22 and how it can destroy the economy;

23  
24 Draws attention to the core values of the United Nations; tolerance, respect,  
25 equality, inclusion, and peace; and hopes that these values can be shared with the  
26 Bahaman youth;

27  
28 Urge the UN to appoint famous actors and actresses as role models, leaders, and  
29 agents for change as they recognize how their celebrity can be used to make the  
30 Bahamas and the world a better place.

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# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: United States**

**Delegates: Nick Scher, Wills Biggs, Kieran Callaghan, Bennett Edwards**

**School: ECS**

## A Proposal to Reduce Organ Trafficking Worldwide

1 Alarmed by the growing demand for human organs in many developed countries  
2 and the willingness to pay thousands of dollars for organ transplants,

3  
4 Concerned that people in poor countries who are in desperate need of money are  
5 having their organs removed and sold on the black market,

6  
7 Deeply concerned that this is putting people's lives in physical danger,

8  
9 Regretting that those whose organs are removed are more susceptible to bribery  
10 and theft,

11  
12 The delegation from the U.S.A.:

13  
14 Urge the United Nations to set up a committee consisting of the U.S.A., the WHO,  
15 and other concerned parties,

16  
17 Recommends that this committee:

18 i. Discuss tougher measures for those who are involved in the illegal trade of  
19 organs

20 ii. Suggest better monitoring of hospitals and health facilities

21 iii. Address the need for human rights campaigns focusing on respecting body parts

22 iv. Suggest ways to educate developing countries and the poor about the risks  
23 involved in organ trading

24  
25 Noting that the U.S. will cover any costs that the committee incurs.

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## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS



# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Israel**

**Delegates: Drew Shelton, Sarah Veazey, Cooper Acuff, Harrison Smith**

**School: ECS**

## **A Resolution to Universally Acknowledge Jerusalem as the Capital of Israel**

1 Regretfully informing that since 1950 over 5,000 Israelites have been brutally murdered  
2 by Palestinians alone

3  
4 Acknowledging that in the past 3 years the United States President Donald Trump has  
5 influenced peace treaties with Israel and Sudan along with many other middle eastern  
6 countries

7  
8 Acknowledging gratitude to the United States of America for making strives towards  
9 making peace within the Middle East and supporting the desire for Jerusalem to be  
10 universally acknowledged as Israel's capital

11  
12 Making known that many countries who decided to reject the motion of making  
13 Jerusalem Israel's capital made back in 2017 have now made great peace with Israel

14  
15 Noting that both Israel and Palestine wish to establish Jerusalem as their exclusive  
16 capital

17  
18 Considering the historic injustices Israel has been subjected to by the UN and by the  
19 rest of the world in the past

20  
21 Deeply understanding the misrepresentation that the Jewish people in Israel feel by  
22 Jerusalem not being recognized as their capital long ago

23  
24 The delegation of Israel hereby:

25  
26 Urges the UN to officially reject their previous condemnation by the Security Council of  
27 the Jerusalem Law of 1980 and declare Jerusalem as the official capital of Israel alone

28  
29 Furthermore requests that all embassies in Israel be moved from Tel Aviv to Jerusalem  
30 so that the country can be better represented in its rightfully deserved capital

31  
32 Once more urges the UN to see the importance and relevance of this resolution  
33 because of how much more accepting the world has been of Israel and how  
34 important it is for Israelis to have their ancient home become their modern capital

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# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Chad**

**Delegates: Lydia Dickerson, Lilly Hussey, Sammye Kate Selecman, Janie Weeks**

**School: Hutchison**

## Resolution to Establish Safety From Terrorism

1 Emphasizing that terrorist groups mounted many larger attacks using 100 or more  
2 fighters on Chadian military outposts;

3  
4 Solemnly affirms that terrorist groups in The Republic of Chad, at one point,  
5 conducted terrorist attacks about twice a week around the northern and eastern  
6 sides of Lake Chad;

7  
8 Recognizing that Boko Haram, Ash Sham, and Islamic State of Iraq are active  
9 terrorism groups in The Republic of Chad;

10  
11 Further recalling that in October, 2019, terrorists kidnapped a doctor and two  
12 nurses, all employees of the Chadian Ministry of Health, to provide treatment to  
13 hurt terrorist fighters;

14  
15 Informing that the hostages have not been found and the incident has spurred  
16 further deployments of Chadian security forces to the region;

17  
18 Mindful that Boko Haram conducts attacks, suicide bombings, targeted killings,  
19 kidnappings, and raids for supplies against both civilians and security forces;

20  
21 Drawing attention to the fact that beginning in 2015, attacks in Chad by the  
22 Nigerian jihadist group Boko Haram killed hundreds, lost more than 100,000 and  
23 damaged the regional economy of the Lake Chad basin;

24  
25 Aware that Boko Haram violently opposes any political, social, or educational  
26 activity associated with Western society;

27  
28 The delegation from Chad hereby:

29  
30 Requests that The United Nations send advisors to train the local Chadian and  
31 regional countries' security forces to make them stronger and better prepared to  
32 fight off terrorist groups attacking near and in The Republic of Chad.

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# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Cambodia**

**Delegates: Simone Guyton, Millie Malone, Brooke Routen**

**School: Grace-St. Lukes**

## A Resolution to improve education in Cambodia

- 1 To the General Assembly:
- 2
- 3 Deeply concerned that 55% of adolescents in Cambodia drop out of school by age
- 4 17 and 25 % of Cambodian children in 3rd grade have little literacy;
- 5
- 6 Taking note that a lack of quality education leads to a lack of a job which leads to
- 7 unemployment and poverty;
- 8
- 9 Deeply concerned by the average teacher to student ratio being 1:32;
- 10
- 11 Cognizant of the correlation of the enrollment rate and poverty rate;
- 12
- 13 Fully aware that the enrollment rate drops for secondary and high school;
- 14
- 15 The delegation of Cambodia does Hereby:
- 16
- 17 Call upon UNICEF to aid and providing resources for teachers and students;
- 18
- 19 Request the United Nations for 5 million dollars for better teacher resources.

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# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Iran**

**Delegates: Riley Hardin, Caroline Gamble, Mary Drew Beard**

**School: Hutchison**

## **Solving the Human Trafficking Problem in the Middle East**

1 Concerned that our country is in tier three of human trafficking which is the worst  
 2 tier to be in;  
 3  
 4 Regretting letting this problem get this far, and no longer wanting to be known as a  
 5 country with high human trafficking cases;  
 6  
 7 Alarmed that countries in the region have had around 200,000 people trafficked in  
 8 20 years and has continued to grow in recent years;  
 9  
 10 Further alarmed that the Islamic Republic of Iran has become one of the biggest  
 11 drop off points for human trafficking;  
 12  
 13 Considering that countries in the Middle East have some of the highest human  
 14 trafficking cases in the world, alarming the citizens in our country;  
 15  
 16 Keeping in mind that our government has put in the utmost effort to fix this  
 17 problem;  
 18  
 19 The Delegation of the Islamic Republic of Iran hereby  
 20  
 21 Requests advisors from the Committee of Disarmament and International Security  
 22 to help monitor human trafficking in the gulf;  
 23  
 24 Upholding Sustainable Development Goal 16 in favor of Peace, Justice, and Strong  
 25 Institutions.

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**RED  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY****Sponsor: Pakistan****Delegates: Scottie Arnold, Collins Farmer, Maddie Harriman, Wright Prather****School: Hutchison****Resolution for Peacekeepers for Military and Police**

- 1 Concerned that terrorism is worsening because of the tension between the military
- 2 and police;
- 3
- 4 Alarmed that abduction is affecting the relationship between the military and police
- 5 in Pakistan;
- 6
- 7 Noting with grave concern that destroying monuments is affecting the lives of the
- 8 people in Pakistan;
- 9
- 10 Bearing in mind that the security forces in Pakistan are not working as well as they
- 11 should be;
- 12
- 13 The delegation from Pakistan hereby
- 14
- 15 Requests that United Nations peacekeepers provide security;
- 16
- 17 Further requests that advisors help the military and the police settle their
- 18 differences.

## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS



# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Uganda**

**Delegates: Hailey Holloway, Carson Sargent, Allie Kelley, Ava Hardin**

**School: Heritage Middle School**

## A Resolution to Provide More Food Markets in Uganda

1 Noting that Uganda is having extreme population growth with a population increase  
2 of 1,540,558 from 2018 to 2019.

3  
4 Realizing that 71% of the workforce in 2019 was employed in agriculture work.

5  
6 Noting that only 35% of the arable land is currently being cultivated

7  
8 Noting that current agricultural practices are primitive and are leading to soil  
9 erosion which has limited agricultural productivity.

10  
11 Taking into consideration that climate change is affecting agriculture output and  
12 food security.

13  
14 Request that the UN help us to locate a country or countries that have excess food  
15 so that the UN can create a temporary partnership with the country or countries to  
16 trade with them, so that we may receive food to temporarily alleviate the strain  
17 that the population growth has been putting on the agricultural industry.

18  
19 Urges the UN help with agricultural education to boost the country's food production  
20 in the future.

21  
22 Urges the UN to create more food markets for local or government supported  
23 farmers to sell their goods in order to both boost the economy and encourage the  
24 growth of the agricultural industry past what it already is at in order to allow for a  
25 greater domestic food output.

26  
27 Adding that Uganda's GDP per capita is currently at 2,400\$, 200th in the world,  
28 which is limiting our ability to trade with other countries in order to obtain more  
29 food.

30  
31 Noting the hope that if these reforms were implemented it would aid the rise of the  
32 GDP per capita in Uganda and the countries surrounding it.

33  
34 Expresses our hope that the UN will supply us with farming equipment and seeds to  
35 boost our food production to a sustainable level.

36

37 Expressing our hope that if these agricultural reforms are implemented that they  
38 provide a basis for other poor countries in the african continent that have problems  
39 with agricultural production and food security.

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# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Zimbabwe**

**Delegates: Maggie Higginbotham, Liza Blair Bengel, Libby Neubert**

**School: Hutchison**

## **Resolution to Stop Open Defecation and Improve the Water Sources of Zimbabwe**

- 1 Bearing in mind that citizens of Zimbabwe lack plumbing and resort to open
- 2 defecation;
- 3
- 4 Reaffirming that the lack of plumbing is leading to many issues some that include,
- 5 disease, water contamination, and more;
- 6
- 7 Noting the problem of open defecation, diseases are swarming and little to no
- 8 healthcare is available to citizens, especially in rural areas;
- 9
- 10 Emphasizing that disease has risen in the past ten years due to lack of plumbing
- 11 and sewers;
- 12
- 13 Conscious that many children go days without water and suffer from dehydration,
- 14 and dehydration makes children and adults more susceptible to illness;
- 15
- 16 Alarmed that citizens do not have access to clean water therefore resulting in low
- 17 hygiene and a higher rate of communicable disease;
- 18
- 19 Conscious that many citizens eat contaminated food and drink contaminated water
- 20 leading to diseases such as Cholera;
- 21
- 22 Convinced that the lack of plumbing has lead to the many recognized problems
- 23 affecting Zimbabwe's citizens day to day lives, the open defecation problem must
- 24 be resolved to insure health and safety and improve communicable disease spread;
- 25
- 26 Aware that it will take multiple steps to resolve the problem and a reasonable sum
- 27 of money;
- 28
- 29 The delegation of Zimbabwe hereby:
- 30
- 31 Urges that the United Nations help Zimbabwe connect with the WHO to provide
- 32 communal water pumps, toilets, and sanitation facilities, the delegation of
- 33 Zimbabwe makes high-level recommendations within five years;
- 34



35 Requests that the WHO also provides adequate resources to aid the diseases spread  
36 from unsanitary water and open defecation;  
37  
38 Recommends that the WHO helps create a clean and safe environment for the  
39 citizens of Zimbabwe.

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# RED GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Botswana**

**Delegates: Thomas Hastings, Hal Slade, Richard Engle, Andy Holler**

**School: ECS**

## **Diversifying Botswana's Resources to Combat Dwindling Diamond Resources**

1 Acknowledging deep concern for the need to diversify Botswana's ability to support  
2 itself in the future, and for Botswana to not regress back to the poverty stricken  
3 Botswana of the pre-Diamond era.

5 Aware of Diamonds mining being 80% of Botswana's yearly revenue, and the  
6 devastation the lost of that revenue would do to Botswana's and independence.

8 Taking into account Botswana's annual diminishing supply of this precious resource.

10 Keeping in mind the ever building loss of jobs as a result of the dwindling Diamond  
11 resources and the official report, statistics that supports this crisis, there is a need  
12 for Botswana to diversify now.

14 Calls upon the MUN to research these claims, and to see the importance of acting  
15 now.

17 Request a committee to Save Botswana be created to explore and execute the most  
18 suitable Options to combat Botswana's current dilemma.

20 Recommends the MUN direct the committee to consider tourism as an option to  
21 replace the economic resources that Diamonds had brought to Botswana.

23 Draws attention the vastness of Botswana's desert and natural exotic wild life as a  
24 possible attraction to Botswana.

26 Further recommends that the Diamond mines as museums become another  
27 tourist attraction about the history of Botswana economic growth catalyst.

29 Urges MUN to respond with a 15 year plan to implement Save Botswana and give  
30 \$100 million dollars to fund the saving of Botswana and influence it financial  
31 success will bring to the MUN

## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS

**RED  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY****Sponsor: Slovakia****Delegates: Charlie Baker, Caleb Carter, Robert Hargrove****School: Spring Hill Middle School****A resolution to lessen poverty in Slovakia.**

1 Acknowledging that Slovakia is a very poor country and has countless homeless  
2 people.

3  
4 Observing that the country's records, the population is 5,459,642 and the  
5 population of the homeless in Slovakia is 23,483.

6  
7 Deeply concerned that the population of the homeless shall rise we have come up  
8 with a resolution to greatly aid this massive problem.

9  
10 We the Delegation of Slovakia do hereby:

11  
12 Proclaim creating multiple homeless shelters around the areas that have the most  
13 homeless and poverty w

14  
15 In order to help produce sustenance for the homeless shelters, we plan on creating  
16 more farms.

17  
18 Call upon the United Nation to supply \$10,690.20 USD to create the homeless  
19 shelters and the farms

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**COMMITTEE 4**

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: India**

**Delegates: Maya Iyengar, Lily Mirza, Eshaal Hassan, Hana Barber**

**School: St. Marys**

## **A Resolution to Create an International Virtual Education System**

1 Deeply concerned by the fact that 35 million children are unable to attend school in India;

2  
3 Taking note that 263 million children globally were not enrolled in a school as of 2014;

4  
5 Fully alarmed by the United Nations Educational and Scientific and Cultural Organization's  
6 (UNESCO) fact that this number has more than tripled as classes have halted due to the  
7 COVID-19 pandemic;

8  
9 Affirming that many developing countries lack materials needed to switch to online classes;

10  
11 Recognizing the need for a standard system of education that is safe and accessible for  
12 students in kindergarten through 12th grade during times of civil uncertainty;

13  
14 The Delegation of India does Hereby:

15  
16 Calls for the creation of a free international virtual education system accessible through all  
17 electronic and mobile devices;

18  
19 Requests UNESCO to assist with the program's curriculum design and language options,  
20 along with any other country's educational board representatives and their selected  
21 translators that wish to participate;

22  
23 Confirms that this curriculum will be modeled after the International Baccalaureate system  
24 and will be accessible through a free app and website;

25  
26 Considers that worldwide, there are 5.3 billion subscribers to mobile devices and 450  
27 million who have access to the internet on electronic devices, increasing the program's  
28 availability;

29  
30 Declares that the system will be put into motion by 2022;

31  
32 Expresses its hope that individual countries will sponsor buying mobile devices for  
33 students without them, and that possibly, UNESCO will fund mobile devices and  
34 internet access for certain developing countries in need of assistance.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Costa Rica**

**Delegates: Lucy Lamb, Amariah Woods, Sara Spiegelman**

**School: Hutchison**

## Resolution to Prevent Illicit Drugs in Costa Rica

1 Concerned that people are bringing in illegal drugs and using Costa Rica as a  
2 trafficking point to take drugs into other countries;

3  
4 Alarmed that drug usage without regulation kills 67,000 in the United States alone  
5 adding up to more than car accidents and homicide and that no one is putting a  
6 stop to this;

7  
8 Noting that there has been an increase of 5-10% of drugs trafficked through  
9 Central America per year;

10  
11 Alarmed that people are getting away with trafficking illegal drugs into the country;

12  
13 Noting with grave concern that many of the harmful illegally bought street drugs  
14 are opioids which are included in many legal prescriptions;

15  
16 Convinced that the number of people getting away with bringing drugs into the  
17 country has doubled within a few years;

18  
19 Concerned that illegal drug use and drug trafficking presents a severe threat to the  
20 health and security of international societies;

21  
22 Noting with grave concern that the borders and the police haven't been secure  
23 enough to stop the illegal drug trafficking;

24  
25 Concerned that there are 8,500 police officers in Costa Rica, but they all are not  
26 helping stop drugs from coming into the country;

27  
28 Concerned that the police don't have what they need to stop drugs from coming  
29 into the country and also that there is no Costa Rican army.

30  
31 Aware that the Costa Rican government wants to increase the amount of officers to  
32 help stop drug trafficking;

33  
34 The delegation from Costa Rica hereby  
35

36 Requests that the United Nations provide advisors to train border patrol officers to  
37 better interdict drug shipments;  
38  
39 Supports Sustainable Development Goal 3 Health and Well-Being.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Canada**

**Delegates: Caleb Vaughn, Caedmon Nywening, Chase Pettit, Samantha Hardison**

**School: ECS**

## A Proposal to Solve the Problem of Pollution on the Great Lakes

1 Acknowledging that the Great Lakes are the largest system of fresh water lakes in  
2 the world and are shared by the United States and Canada,

3  
4 Noting that the lakes are a system of transport and shipping, as well as a place of  
5 recreation,

6  
7 Further noting that they are home to 33 million people, 47% of whom draw their  
8 drinking water from the lakes,

9  
10 Concerned that traffic on and around the lakes is currently threatening the lakes'  
11 ecological stability,

12  
13 Alarmed that point-source pollution (waste being dumped into the water) is causing  
14 the lakes to be contaminated with toxic chemicals and human waste,

15  
16 Further alarmed that nonpoint-source pollution (runoff from streets, lawns, and  
17 industrial areas) is carrying toxins, chemicals, and silt into the lakes causing  
18 pollution buildup and buildup of sediment,

19  
20 The delegation from Canada does hereby:

21  
22 Urge the United Nations to create a committee, together with representatives from  
23 Environment Canada (EC) and the United States Environmental Protection Agency  
24 (USEPA),

25  
26 Recommend that the committee:

27 i. Identifies the extent of the problem, including where most of the toxic substances  
28 are coming from,

29 ii. Assess how existing laws and regulations influence the presence of these  
30 substances in the lakes,

31 iii. Consider options to reduce risk of toxic chemicals ending up in the lakes, taking  
32 into account the entire life cycle of the chemicals,

33 iv. Promote the use of cleaner products and technologies,

34 v. Discuss ways to offer economic incentives to companies using non toxic  
35 products,



36 vi. Consider ways to phase out and eventually ban toxic chemicals that pose an  
37 unreasonable and unmanageable risk to human health and the environment.  
38  
39 Express appreciation to all those who are environmentally aware and are doing  
40 their part to protect our planet.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Iraq**

**Delegates: Hannah Roark, Eloise Hayden, Kate Weber**

**School: Hutchison**

## **Resolution to Establish Sustainable Sewage Treatment Systems to Help with Unsanitary Water**

1 Concerned that only 17% of Iraq's sewage is treated before entering into the rivers and  
2 waterways;

3  
4 Alarmed that the amount of water each person is allowed per year is less than 20% of the  
5 global average;

6  
7 Troubled that untreated wastewater from the capital Baghdad, alone is enough to fill 370  
8 Olympic swimming pools every day;

9  
10 Noting with grave concern that in 2018, 118,000 people were hospitalized due to  
11 waterborne illnesses;

12  
13 Worried that in the Republic of Iraq 4,00 people in the past have had to evacuate their  
14 own homes because they did not have access to potable water;

15  
16 Disquieted that less than 10% of houses outside Baghdad are connected to sanitary  
17 sewage systems, and if there are, they commonly don't work;

18  
19 Deeply concerned that, by the time the Tigris River feeds into Baghdad's waterways, it will  
20 contain dangerous levels of bacteria, chemicals, toxic algae and salinity;

21  
22 Disturbed by the fact that the public of Iraq now must receive 66% of its water from  
23 bordering countries;

24  
25 Bearing in mind the region countries that have rivers passing through them sufferer from  
26 water contamination;

27  
28 The delegation from Iraq hereby

29  
30 Requests that the United Nations send advisors to help design sustainable sewage  
31 treatment systems to take the last step in improving the rural areas' water;

32  
33 Supporting Sustainable Development Goal 6 Clean water and sanitation;

34  
35 Recommends helping separate the waste from the water and providing new filtering pipes.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Republic of Korea**  
**Delegates: Elly Wu**  
**School: Signal Mountain**

## A Resolution to Improve Air Quality in UN Member States

1 Deeply concerned that nearly 18,000 deaths are caused by air pollution in the  
 2 Republic of Korea and an estimated 7,000,000 deaths annually are caused by air  
 3 pollution globally,

4  
 5 Fully alarmed an average Korean citizen loses an estimated 1.4 years of life  
 6 expectancy,

7  
 8 Bearing in mind 100% of the population of the Republic of Korea fails to meet the  
 9 WHO guideline for fine particulate pollution,

10  
 11 Keeping in mind that the level of PM2.5 in the Republic of Korea exceeds the WHO's  
 12 annual limits,

13  
 14 Recognizing that air pollution harms national sustainable development, economic  
 15 growth, worker productivity, health-care costs, and tourism,

16  
 17 Fully aware General Assembly resolution 66/288 of July 2012 endorsed the United  
 18 Nations Conference on Sustainable Development, where all States Members of the  
 19 United Nations recognized that reducing air pollution leads to positive effects on  
 20 health,

21  
 22 Noting with satisfaction David Boyd, the UN's Special Rapporteur on human rights  
 23 and the environment, stated the failure of governments across the world to ensure  
 24 clean air is a "violation of the rights to life, health and well-being, as well as the  
 25 right to live in a healthy environment;"

26  
 27 The General Assembly hereby:

28  
 29 Encourages the formation of a APCAC (Air Pollution Control Advisory Committee) to  
 30 oversee the reduction of air pollution in member states and sub committees in  
 31 every country to oversee reduction of air pollution in that specific country,

32  
 33 Recommends the formation of the EV (electric vehicle) incentive programs with tax  
 34 benefits and subsidies of electric vehicle batteries to promote the support of non-  
 35 conventional vehicles working on gasoline and diesel,

36  
37 Further invites member states to move towards other uses of transportation such  
38 as the use of subways, carpooling, walking, or biking,  
39  
40 Urges the shut down of coal-fired power plants in UN Member States with the  
41 replacement of additional solar and wind power installations or alternatively the use  
42 of natural gases such as hydrogen,  
43  
44 Encourages the substitution and the reuse of materials as well as improved working  
45 habits in businesses,  
46  
47 Further requests manufacturers and businesses in UN Member States to reduce air  
48 pollution by using renewable and clean resources in replacement of fossil fuels and  
49 filter toxic emissions,  
50  
51 Expresses its hope UN Member States will follow procedures to reduce the spread of  
52 air pollution with the replacement of more clean and energy efficient ways to  
53 benefit society.

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**WHITE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY****Sponsor: Spain****Delegates: Lily Yeargin, Devan Bush, Conner Sosnick, Emma Farmer****School: Spring Hill Middle School****A Resolution to Create More Jobs in Spain**

- 1 Acknowledging that Spain's current unemployment rate is 13.02 percent in the year
- 2 2020.
- 3
- 4 Alarmed that Spain has very polluted air, and it's main threats are nitrogen dioxide,
- 5 PM10, and Ozone.
- 6
- 7 We the Delegation of Spain do hereby:
- 8
- 9 Recommends our solution to build a company that manufactures air filters.
- 10
- 11 Expresses its hope that this company will make the air is somewhat cleaner and
- 12 bring new jobs into Spain.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Angola**

**Delegates: Caroline Campbell, Mary Claire Cox, Izzie McCarroll, Reese Miller**

**School: Hutchison**

## Resolution to Increase the Literacy Rate in Angola

1 Keeping in mind that illiteracy is the inability to read and write;

2  
3 Illiteracy is an immense issue; over affecting 66.03% of adults in Angola, male  
4 illiteracy rate is 79.97% and female illiteracy rate is 53.41%, exemplifying the  
5 different between the two sexes;

6  
7 Compared to Zambia which 53.3%, more pronounced in females than males;

8  
9 Having examined that illiteracy is a major drawback to the human life;

10  
11 Observing that in 2014 only 66.03% of citizens have been educated which leaves a  
12 very unfortunate amount of people who are illiterate;

13  
14 Noting with concern that if the United Nations (UN) where to aid Angola with  
15 educated adults that can properly teach the children and young adults how to read  
16 and wright, the illiteracy rate would decrease and would increase the literacy rate;

17  
18 Deeply concerned that if Angola had better education then the illiteracy rate would  
19 decrease and the children would be able to go beyond what their older family  
20 members had;

21  
22 Attentive that the illiteracy rate is significant and the literacy rate meager with the  
23 help of the UN the illiteracy rate can decrease and the literacy rate can soar;

24  
25 The delegation of Angola hereby

26  
27 Requests the United Nations (UN) to provide 7,000 books for the country of Angola  
28 which will provide around 390 books per province;

29  
30 Notes that around 200 teachers would provide around 12 teachers per province;

31  
32 Recommends that the United Nations (UN) continue to look for any information  
33 regarding the reduction of possible lack of education and depression that comes  
34 from being uneducated;

36 Intends that it will make Angola a country that has a low illiterate rate and will  
37 make the population expand;  
38  
39 Cognizant that this asking will not make an improvement instantly but will put a  
40 long term impact in the long run;  
41  
42 Informs that this resolution addresses sustainable development 4.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Italy**

**Delegates: Rob Gallina, Allie Broadway, Cooper Seay, Neely Wilder**

**School: ECS**

## **A proposal to curb the accumulation and transfer of small arms and light weapons**

1 Concerned that smaller ethnic confrontations and civil wars have become more  
2 common in the world today,

3  
4 Alarmed that the number of small arms and light weapons used in the ethnic  
5 confrontations and civil wars constitutes a new threat to peace,

6  
7 Disturbed that the transfer — especially the illicit trafficking of small arms and light  
8 weapons is growing increasingly frequent,

9  
10 Further concerned that illegal arms trade is as big as if not bigger than legal arms  
11 trade,

12  
13 Noting that small arms and light weapons have been or are the primary or sole  
14 tools of violence in several of the armed conflicts dealt with by the United Nations,

15  
16 Regretting that the vast majority of the casualties have been civilians, mostly  
17 women and children, comprising of 100,000 deaths per annum,

18  
19 Noting, however, that governments cannot put an outright ban on small arms  
20 because they have a legitimate law-enforcement, military, and sporting use,

21  
22 The delegation from Italy:

23  
24 Calls upon the United Nations to consider the possibility of convening an  
25 international conference on the illicit arms trade in all its aspects,

26  
27 Recommends that at this conference, guidelines be made for the UN to support all  
28 appropriate post-conflict programs related to disarmament, demobilization, and  
29 reintegration,

30  
31 Further recommends that all states should exercise the utmost caution in transfers  
32 of small arms to areas in which there are ongoing conflicts,



34 Strongly affirms all states that promote campaigns with the cooperation of civil  
35 society to raise the awareness of the dangers associated with the proliferation of  
36 small arms and illicit arms trafficking.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Papua New Guinea**

**Delegates: Grace Bricken, Olivia Evans, Hailey Litzey, Addison Magee**

**School: Hutchison**

## **Resolution to Address Increasing Poverty Levels in Papua New Guinea**

Bearing in mind that the increase of poverty over the last five years is a serious threat to Papua New Guinea;

Reaffirming that the more deaths poverty causes a year in Papua New Guinea would constitute a violation of the Charter of the United Nations

Convinced that the more we ignore this issue the more damage Papua New Guinea will experience in the next few years

Aware that this will not be an immediate solution

Considering that the longer we wait to address this concern, the worse it will be for the community

Alarmed that this as already impacted the education for the scholar

Emphasizing the need to create a stronger environment for citizens in poverty by improving the communal facilities

The delegation of Papua New Guinea

Urges the United Nations to mandate a homeless working group to assess the safety of all people of Papua New Guinea

Requests that the safety of the citizens are liable at all times

Further recommends the Model United Nations, donates money to Papua New Guinea so that we can send out volunteers to help establish shelters.

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**WHITE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY**



**Sponsor: Libya**  
**Delegates: Dher Shubbar, Henry Bush**  
**School: Grace-St. Lukes**

**ENDING THE LIBIAN WAR ON TERRORISM**

- 1 To the General Assembly:
- 2
- 3 Acknowledging the rampant terrorism problem in Libya;
- 4
- 5 Deeply concerned that the terrorist crisis runs throughout the continent and the
- 6 world;
- 7
- 8 Alarmed by the staggering number of citizens who have been affected by terrorism;
- 9
- 10 Declaring the State of Libya's desire to end this problem both at home and abroad.
- 11
- 12 The Delegation Libya Does Hereby:
- 13
- 14 Affirms our plan to assemble a task force named the TF (Terrorism Force);
- 15
- 16 Requests 17 million usd in order to fund this task force;
- 17
- 18 Seeks trained individuals to educate our agents;
- 19
- 20 Urges the creation of this task force to come to fruition.

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## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS



# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Yemen**

**Delegates: Julie Kyle, Sophie Dang, Yusra Siddiq, Allie Thomas**

**School: St. Marys**

## A Resolution to Send in Troops to Protect Yemen Airports

1 Acknowledging that Abdrabbuh Mansur Hadi, the President of Yemen, struggled to  
2 deal with many problems, including attacks by al-Qaeda;

3  
4 Alarmed by how the Houthis, an armed movement in northern Yemen, took over  
5 the capital city of Yemen, Sana'a;

6  
7 Emphasizing that the Houthis took advantage of Hadi's struggle and took over the  
8 Saada province;

9  
10 Concerned by how the Houthis attempted to take control of the entire country,  
11 forcing Hadi to flee abroad in March, 2015;

12  
13 Noting with concern how the war zone, lack of food, and the increase of COVID-19  
14 cases are causing a famine;

15  
16 Acknowledging that since 2017, vital food, fuel, and medicine arriving on west coast  
17 ports are restricted or blocked;

18  
19 Fully aware that the famine began in 2016, during the Civil War, causing the deaths  
20 of over 85,000 children in 2018;

21  
22 Recognizing that the approximately 100,000+ deaths from war; combined with the  
23 deaths from the famine would have the Yemen death toll passing 230,000;

24  
25 Concerned that 20 million Yemenis out of a 29.8 million population are food  
26 insecure, with at least 20% of the total population experiencing extreme food  
27 shortages;

28  
29 Convinced that the UN can supply Yemen with food during this crisis;

30  
31 Taking note of the Sanaa International Airport closing in 2016, because of the war;

32  
33 Emphasizing that the UN cannot bring food to Yemen without the airports;

34  
35 The Delegation of Yemen does Hereby:

36

37 Calls for the UN to send in the UN Peacekeepers to surround the airport and send in  
38 troops to protect the airport in order to safely transport food into Yemen;

39

40 Urges other countries to contribute by sending Yemen supplies and food.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: South Africa**

**Delegates: Kennon Humphreys, Charlotte Poag, Kali Ryan**

**School: Hutchison**

## A Resolution to Improve Global Healthcare

1 Concerned that South Africa has a very high infant mortality rate of 27.8 per 1000  
 2 live births;  
 3  
 4 Alarmed that an average of 910 people share 1 doctor;  
 5  
 6 Noting with grave concern that 7.7 million South Africans live with HIV/AIDS and  
 7 there have been 71,000 deaths from this disease;  
 8  
 9 Considering that the maternal deaths are also increasing;  
 10  
 11 Bearing in mind that 80% of South Africa's population is infected with Tuberculosis;  
 12  
 13 Mindful that the life expectancy is 49.5 years;  
 14  
 15 Aware of 727,595 positive cases of COVID-19;  
 16  
 17 Keeping in mind that the main reason the infant mortality rate is increasing is  
 18 because of the HIV and AIDS epidemic;  
 19  
 20 The delegation from South Africa hereby  
 21  
 22 Requests that the World Health Organization help to train more people to become  
 23 medical technicians;  
 24  
 25 Fully aware that, since South Africa's infant mortality rate is very high, we also  
 26 need more trained midwives to improve this percentage;  
 27  
 28 Hoping that the unemployment rate will improve because of more job  
 29 opportunities;  
 30  
 31 Affirming Sustainable Development Goal number 3, Good Health and Well Being;  
 32  
 33 Reminding that, with World Health Organization's help, the rates for people living  
 34 with HIV/AIDS, the infant mortality rate, and the percentage of physician density  
 35 will all be improved significantly.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Afghanistan**

**Delegates: Ally McNamara, Christina Rossi, Sam Coady, John Getz**

**School: St. Agnes-St. Dominic**

## **A Resolution for the Reduction in Infant and Maternal Mortality in Afghanistan**

1 Alarmed by the massive amount of infants and mothers dying in rural regions of  
2 Afghanistan, and the possible inaccuracies in the number of deaths among infants  
3 and mothers;

4  
5 Acknowledging the efforts of the Afghanistan Health Survey (AHS) in 2006 and the  
6 State of the World's Children in 2005 to conduct widespread studies of infant  
7 mortality in rural regions of Afghanistan;

8  
9 Having considered that the study investigating the under-five mortality rate in  
10 Afghanistan, conducted by State of the World's Children, are model-based  
11 projections that have not been updated since at least 1993, and the study  
12 conducted by the AHS between September and December of 2006 only covered 29  
13 of the 34 provinces of Afghanistan, only a representative of 72% of the population  
14 of Afghanistan;

15  
16 Mindful of the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals, specifically Goal 3,  
17 of "Good health and well being" and Goal 11, "Sustainable cities and communities";

18  
19 The delegation of Afghanistan does hereby:

20  
21 One, requests the United Nations to conduct a thorough, nationwide study of the  
22 current infant mortality rate and maternal mortality rate in every province and  
23 region of Afghanistan using the latest and most accurate way of calculating infant  
24 and maternal mortality rate. The government of Afghanistan will provide adequate  
25 protection from terroris groups such as the Taliban to persons from the United  
26 Nations;

27  
28 Two, calls upon the United Nations to provide 100 million USD from the UN budget  
29 to fund a 3 year campaign initiative to construct (a number) hospitals in rural areas  
30 of Afghanistan, Turkmenistan (30.8 deaths/1000 live births), and Pakistan  
31 (52.3/1000 live births);  
32



33 Three, calls upon the United Nations to provide 325 million USD to the training and  
34 salary of 30,000 midwives that will deliver babies and inform mothers on how to  
35 care for an infant in rural areas of Afghanistan, Turkmenistan, and Pakistan;  
36  
37 Four, requests that any nations willing to provide medical equipment, health  
38 workers, money to construct hospitals, or protection of health workers from  
39 terrorist groups such as the Taliban to do so;  
40  
41 Five, calls upon Turkmenistan and Pakistan to accept aid from Afghanistan or the  
42 UN if the resolution is accepted;  
43  
44 Six, calls upon Japan (1.9 deaths/1000 live births) and Finland (2.5 deaths/ 1000  
45 live births) to share strategies, policies, guidance, and aid on keeping infant  
46 mortality low;  
47  
48 Seven, calls upon the UN to provide assistance and aid to Afghanistan and  
49 surrounding nations, such as Afghanistan, Turkmenistan, and Pakistan with high  
50 infant and maternal mortality rates.  
51  
52 Eight, urges the UN to sponsor efforts to improve knowledge of caring for infants,  
53 equipment and personnel needed to deliver babies, and studies to get the most  
54 accurate infant mortality rate.  
55  
56 <https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/geos/a>  
57 <https://www.who.int/bulletin/volumes/88/8/09-068957/en/>

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**WHITE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY****Sponsor: Bhutan****Delegates: Cortland Flippen, Gavin McWhirck, Ryan Ford****School: Spring Hill Middle School****A Resolution to Solve the Sewage Problems of Bhutan**

- 1 Through our research, we've seen that Bhutan is quite a poor country.
- 2
- 3 There is an alarmingly high poverty rate.
- 4
- 5 With this being said, Bhutan is in dire need of more jobs and cleaner heath living
- 6 state
- 7
- 8 Bhutan is also facing sewage and waste disposal problems, without the money,
- 9 Bhutan's sewage problem will be even worse.
- 10
- 11 We the delegation of Bhutan do hereby:
- 12
- 13 Call upon the United Nations to end the sewage problems of Bhutan so that way the
- 14 communities of Bhutan can live without worry of the sewage by donating \$500,000
- 15 to Bhutan so we can make better sewage lines leading towards the ocean.
- 16
- 17 With this money, we can make better living conditions for the society of Bhutan.

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**WHITE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY**



**Sponsor: Mongolia**

**Delegates: Benjamin Berntson, Sam Dyer**

**School: Grace-St. Lukes**

**RESOLUTION TO END WATER SHORTAGE IN MONGOLIA**

- 1 To the General Assembly:
- 2
- 3 Alarmed that many citizens in Mongolia do not have access to adequate potable
- 4 water;
- 5
- 6 Aware of the many water borne illnesses resulting from this;
- 7
- 8 Deeply concerned over the rising mortality rate due to the scarcity of water.
- 9
- 10 The Delegation of Mongolia Does Hereby:
- 11
- 12 Request 20 million dollars to build a water boxing plant;
- 13
- 14 Calls upon the World Bank for an additional 5 million dollars a year to make and
- 15 distribute the boxed water;
- 16
- 17 Requires the assistance of the UN for help designing this plant.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Argentina**

**Delegates: Eliza Dent, Lilly Fahey, Autumn Webber**

**School: Hutchison**

**Strengthening the economy of Argentina to help improve the country  
in general and to help to quell protests leading to there being less  
cases of the novel coronavirus**

1 Reminding all nations of our pledge to help other nations in need and to protect as  
2 many lives as possible,

3  
4 Noting with concern the plummet of the GDP in Argentina due to the government  
5 having to completely shut down the economy in response to the causes of the  
6 Novel Coronavirus, has caused protests demanding a better economy.

7  
8 Desiring to raise the quality of life for Argentinians and to protect as many possible  
9 from the novel coronavirus,

10  
11 1. Stressing the continual economic down turn of Argentina, and the effect on the  
12 population of the country there of;

13  
14 2. Reminding all nations of the current novel coronavirus and how it spreads  
15 through groups;

16  
17 3. Emphasizes the vast economic effects the current total shutdown of the  
18 Argentine economy, both at home, and abroad;

19  
20 4. Bearing in mind the that the economic downturn has caused protests in the  
21 populus, and the dangers a large group of protesters gathers, being a prime group  
22 in which the virus could spread;

23  
24 5. Requests a grant of 15 billion USD to boost the economy, for the betterment of  
25 both the people and the country.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Croatia**

**Delegates: Anna Catherine Brickey, Kate Connell, Hayleigh Kuznitz, Jana Lane Whitehead**

**School: Hutchison**

## **A Resolution to Stimulate Croatia's Economy and Improve the GDP of Surrounding Baltic States**

1 Emphasizing that Croatia has yet to obtain a steady GDP since 2008;

2  
3 Adding that the GDP has been on a consistent decline;

4  
5 Noting that the countries around Croatia are suffering from a decrease in their GDP;

6  
7 Considering that the GDP is projected to drop approximately 9.6% during the final  
8 months of 2020 and throughout next year;

9  
10 Considering that Croatia's GDP growth rate has decreased within the last few years;

11  
12 Aware that loans are almost unattainable;

13  
14 Bearing in mind that the effects of COVID-19 have had negative impacts on small  
15 businesses that were already struggling due to a low approval rate for loans

16  
17 Observing that the interest rate in Croatia is high and the loan approval rate is low;

18  
19 The delegation of Croatia hereby:

20  
21 Urges the United Nations to set up a fund of 15 million dollars to loan out to small  
22 businesses with an affordable interest rate to the delegation of Croatia over the  
23 span of five years to provide small businesses with an opportunity to take out  
24 loans, which they were deprived of due to the high interest rate and unattainable  
25 loans offered by local banks;

26  
27 Provide a small number of officials to control, allocate, and manage the distribution  
28 of the loan;

29  
30 Recommends that the UN provides this within a short period of time, to ensure that  
31 the GDP and economic growth of Croatia do not continue to drop.

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**WHITE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY****Sponsor: China****Delegates: Nate Wilder, Joey Artilles, Caleb Zarraonandia, Crews Yoakum****School: ECS****A Resolution to Create a Pandemic Response Czar to the United Nations WHO Office**

1 Recognizing the incredible spread of the Covid 19 virus that has ravished the  
2 international community since 2019

3  
4 Deeply troubled by the staggering 1.21 million people who have lost their lives.

5  
6 Highlighting that the WHO office at the United Nations tackles international health  
7 issues from climate change to anti microbial defense but lacks a pandemic specific  
8 task force.

9  
10 The delegation of China hereby:

11  
12 Asks for the creation of the UN—WHO Pandemic Response Council to specifically  
13 represent the concerns of diseases that cross international lines and threaten all  
14 human health.

15  
16 Further resolves to increase its annual contribution to the United Nations in the  
17 amount of \$5,000,000 in the hopes that it would be used for the creation of this  
18 council, the compensation of its members, and day-to-day expenses.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Ireland**

**Delegates: Chloe Simpson, Brannon Chubb, Lily Little, Mary Taylor Buhler**

**School: Hutchison**

## **Resolution to Prevent the Long-Term Spread of Homelessness in the Republic of Ireland**

1 Alarmed that the number of homeless families has increased by 232% from 2014 when  
2 figures on this topic began to be published;

3  
4 Emphasizing that this rise does not include the "hidden homeless", or those who have  
5 been "sofa surfing" with friends, along with those who are living in domestic violence  
6 refuges;

7  
8 Reaffirming that there are close to 10,000 homeless people living in the Republic of  
9 Ireland today;

10  
11 Conscious that the crisis in private renting sectors has been the main cause of  
12 homelessness throughout the Republic of Ireland;

13  
14 Aware that this crisis is caused by a shortage of properties available to rent and that  
15 renting prices are steadily increasing;

16  
17 Bearing in mind that this crisis will unremittingly worsen until laws are made to protect  
18 the homeless and the financially unstable;

19  
20 The Delegation of the Republic of Ireland hereby:

21  
22 Urges the United Nations to send advisors to help guide the Republic of Ireland in the  
23 improvement and passing of laws to lower rent costs and help create more affordable  
24 renting opportunities for the homeless and financially unstable;

25  
26 Noting that this will begin to decrease the number of homeless and the number of "hidden  
27 homeless" through terminating the crisis that caused these numbers to rise;

28  
29 Requesting that the United Nations additionally donate 2 million dollars, or 1.684 million  
30 euros, to the Iveagh Trust in order to create a new housing unit to shelter the homeless;

31  
32 Understanding this will further diminish homeless numbers in the Republic of Ireland  
33 through further helping the homeless as the Republic of Ireland attempts to create new  
34 renting laws and abolish the homeless numbers running rampant throughout the country.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Jamaica**

**Delegates: Ashton Carr, Drew Bryant, Adrian Franks, Trenton Trumbo**

**School: ECS**

## A Proposal to Solve the Problem of Crime in Jamaica

1 Disturbed that violent crimes are one of the greatest social problems facing Jamaica  
2 at this time;

3  
4 Acknowledging that over the past two decades, Jamaica has experienced a large  
5 increase in homicides and violent assaults;

6  
7 Noting that many attempts made throughout the years to reduce the number of  
8 violent crimes occurring on the island have mainly been short-term measures and  
9 not successful;

10  
11 Alarmed now by the increase in police and official corruption, the increase in illegal  
12 drug trading, and contract killings;

13  
14 The delegation from Jamaica does hereby:

15  
16 Call for the establishment of a Peace and Rehabilitation Institute that would:

- 17 - encourage discussions between the different sectors of society that are in conflict
- 18 - help develop peaceful solutions to the violence
- 19 - create a transformative approach to the problem

20  
21 Emphasizes that miserable social and economic conditions make for miserable  
22 family life and, consequently, for neglectful parenting, which leads to crime;

23  
24 Encourages the Peace and Rehabilitation Institute to help develop new methods for  
25 not only promoting traditional family values but for building and supporting strong  
26 families;

27  
28 Recommends the development of creative ways to channel all the pent-up energies  
29 of the Jamaican people from destructive behavior into productive activities;

30  
31 Further encourages suggestions that will enable the youth to start their own  
32 businesses;

33  
34 Convinced that this will break the cycle of poverty and violence in this beautiful  
35 country.



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**COMMITTEE 6**

## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS

**WHITE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY****Sponsor: Philippines****Delegates: Alex Lachica, Liam Martin****School: Grace-St. Lukes****A Resolution to expunge excessive waste and plastic**

1 To the General Assembly:  
2

3 Having considered the 2.7 million tons of plastic waste that is brought about in the  
4 Philippines annually;  
5

6 Comprehending that 20% of plastic waste from the total Philippines waste is  
7 estimated to find its way in the ocean;  
8

9 Bearing in mind that countries around the world have illegally dumped waste into  
10 the Philippines;  
11

12 Understanding the problems plastic pollution and waste bring to the air and marine  
13 life.  
14

15 The Delegation of The Philippines Does Hereby:  
16

17 Urges the UN for 100 million dollars in order to build material recovery facilities and  
18 train the necessary workers;  
19

20 Request UN officials to advise the government on building these plants;  
21

22 Seek advice to eradicate illegal dumping the Philippines.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: South Sudan**

**Delegates: Sims Burke, Taylor McAdams, Maggie Miller**

**School: Hutchison**

## **Resolution to establish food tents and healthcare tents to sustain a healthy appetite and physical body for the citizens of South Sudan**

1 Concerned that The Republic of South Sudan is in need of medical care and different  
2 varieties of food due to poverty;

3  
4 Alarmed that citizens in South Sudan living in poverty jumped from 51% to 82% between  
5 2009 and 2016, meaning that the vast majority of the population was living under the  
6 international poverty line of \$1.90 (PPP 2011) per day in 2016;

7  
8 Noting with grave concern that, as a delegation, we will run out of time before winter  
9 when the people in The Republic of South Sudan could freeze to death with no energy and  
10 before we can provide the care that the citizens of The Republic of South Sudan need;

11  
12 Drawing attention that in the beginning of 2018 almost 4.5 million people had been forced  
13 from their homes, more than a third of the country's population, leaving the citizens in  
14 poverty to fight for food and homes to live;

15  
16 The delegation from The Republic of South Sudan hereby

17  
18 Requests the UN to provide tents, hospital beds, and simple healthcare supplies;

19  
20 Recommends that non-perishable food, drought-free seeds, care bags, blankets, masks,  
21 beef jerky, socks, soap, shampoo, deodorant, tooth paste, and toothbrushes be provided  
22 for care packages to give out to the citizens of South Sudan;

23  
24 Further remind that large amounts of canned soup, rice, stainless steel pots to put the  
25 soup in, as well as plastic utensils and styrofoam bowls to serve the hot food in for the  
26 Soup kitchen;

27  
28 Recognizing that the Sustainable Development Goals that would benefit South Sudan are  
29 1 (No poverty) 3 (Good health and well being) 4 (Quality Education) 5 (Gender Equality) 6  
30 (Clean water and Sanitation) 16 (Peace, Justice and strong institutions);

31  
32 Suggest that about \$100,000 will be donated from the Social, Humanitarian, and Cultural  
33 Committee so that our delegation can create soup kitchens, hospital tents, and care  
34 packages so that we can help the people in poverty.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Mexico**

**Delegates: Clara Bolden, James Johnson, Molly Flynn, Emma Gamez-Mejia**

**School: St. Agnes-St. Dominic**

## Resolution to Improve the Declining Economy of Mexico

1 Cognizant that the economic growth rate in Mexico was 2% in 2017, and is  
2 continuing to decrease because of falling oil production, weak oil prices, structural  
3 issues such as low productivity, high inequality, a large sector of non-taxed or  
4 surprised Mexican citizens employing over half of the workforce, weak rule of law,  
5 and corruption;  
6

7 Having examined that the population below the poverty line is 6.6% as of 2018  
8 were living on less than \$3.20 a day and has only increased slightly since then, and  
9 from a food-based definition of poverty amounted to more than 47% of Mexico's  
10 population has been due to the underemployment rate coming as high as 25%;  
11

12 Noting with apprehension that the GDP per capita PPP was at \$19,900 in 2017 and  
13 has averaged around a low increase of only \$300 USD in years 2015 and 2016 due  
14 to the inequitable income distribution throughout the nation;  
15

16 Conscious of President PENA NIETO's sweeping reforms to help try and bolster the  
17 economy, which helped Mexico decrease their unemployment rate down to under  
18 5%, while the thriving United States remains at 8%, however, economic growth  
19 slowed to about 1.8% a year, poverty rates stayed high, and inequality rose  
20 through the period,  
21 part of the problem is tax hikes, change in labor laws, and educational reforms;  
22

23 Fully aware that the Declaration of Human Rights, proclaimed in Paris by the United  
24 Nations General Assembly in 1948, states that each and every individual was  
25 created equally of all persons in the human species;  
26

27 Alarmed by the individuals of the nation in debt is at 54.3% of GDP in 2017 and  
28 that the whole country at 450.2 billion USD in 2016 and shot up to 455.8 billion  
29 USD in 2017 due to the low per capita income;  
30

31 Profoundly disturbed by President Neito stating that Mexico still does not fully  
32 observe human rights and is still facing major challenges in this area;  
33

Fully bearing in mind that ridding of inequality, providing jobs, creating fair pay, lowering the poverty rate, keeping corruption out of the country is laborious when more almost half of the population is currently in poverty;

The delegation of Mexico does hereby:

One, motivate all members of the United Nations to use Mexico for all or the majority of their imports to provide as many jobs possible for the poor, unemployed, or those that are underemployed to benefit not only Mexico, but other countries because Mexico has fantastic agriculture with Mexico having sustainable farming, good distribution of materials, and possessing the ability to get their products to the destination in good condition and on time, with one of Mexico's main agricultural products being corn, and Mexico also has high production, sales, and proper distribution throughout many industries, one of those being the clothing industry, and most of Mexico's products whether agricultural or industrial are affordable yet refined which would increase the economic growth in the partners with Mexico;

Two, appreciate the countries that have already been partners with Mexico like the United States that consists of 46.7% of their imports and noticing that the United States has a great economy, because one of Mexico's exports is corn and in 2019 approximately 5.3 billion bushels of corn were used for feed in residual purposes in the United States, which shows that partnering with Mexico has benefits, however, considering that shipping a kg from Mexico to the United States is \$8.88 USD and \$2 USD for every extra kg with the tax rate of 16% of the commercial price of the item, while the shipping a kg from Mexico to China is \$35 USD and \$12 USD for every extra kg with the tax of 32.5% of the commercial price of item, but if the price is below \$600 than it is free, which makes the pricing is considerably feasible for the majority of other countries to rely on Mexico as one of their main importer or a smaller importer, whether across the ocean or across land;

Three, turn to the United Nations for \$200 million USD for Mexico to be able to purchase more materials that they can export to increase the salary of the average Mexican citizen, to provide the security to eliminate corruptive members in the working economy to create equal pay;

Four, applaud the United Nations for previously supporting Mexico after the massive earthquake that took place on September 11, 2017 by providing any help that would be needed from any citizens in Mexico such as resources, money, food, etc.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Lebanon**

**Delegates: Claire Murphy, Lia Sanvee, Avery Brewer, Gracie Vargo**

**School: ECS**

## A Resolution to Recover from Disaster In Lebanon

1 Cognizant of the fertilizer explosion in our county's capital of Beirut in August 4,  
2 2020.

3  
4 Realizing that the explosion resulted in 204 deaths, 6,500 injuries and the loss of  
5 homes for an estimated 300,000 Lebanese people.

6  
7 Deeply concerned about the ecological effects of the combusted ammonium nitrate  
8 as the inhalation of the substance has been linked to severe respiratory tract  
9 irritation.

10  
11 Aware that the nitrogen dioxide, a toxic air pollution gas is present in high  
12 quantities at the site of the explosion and that according to Greenpeace "The most  
13 dangerous thing" is that no one knows "what actually exploded besides ammonium  
14 nitrate" and, therefore, how toxic the dust is."

15  
16 Affirming that the sooner this disaster can be neutralized, the less damage it will  
17 inflict on the air quality.

18  
19 We the delegation from Lebanon:

20  
21 Calls upon the United Nations to lend support for their clean-up effort.

22  
23 Seeks secure, metal containers to help transport the waste to a RCRA approved site  
24 for waste disposal.

25  
26 Further recommends the combustible materials be neutralized with soda ash and  
27 hydrochloric acid

28  
29 Requests the allocation of 150 UN Military personnel to assist in the efforts to  
30 contain and dispose of the remnants of the explosion.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Austria**

**Delegates: Mary Bennett, Maren Levy, Nellie Keras**

**School: Hutchison**

## Resolution to Establish Equal Pay for Women

- 1 Concerned that men and women are not receiving equal pay in Austria and
- 2 surrounding countries;
- 3
- 4 Alarmed that Austria has been given 65.3 out of 100 for equal pay;
- 5
- 6 Concerned that even if women will work harder or complete more, they will still
- 7 earn less money than men;
- 8
- 9 Noting with grave concern that Austria is ranked 9th for worst gender pay gap;
- 10
- 11 Emphasizing that if women confront their managers, they might risk losing their
- 12 jobs overall;
- 13
- 14 Aware of the fact that Austria is ranked 13th in the Gender Equality Index;
- 15
- 16 The delegation from Austria hereby
- 17
- 18 Requests that European member nation agree to require equal pay for men and
- 19 women;
- 20
- 21 Supporting Sustainable Development Goal 3, gender equality.

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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Democratic Peoples Republic of Korea**

**Delegates: Adeena Awan, Lauren Burrell, Annabelle Gary, Varda Kazmi**

**School: Hutchison**

## Resolution to Improve the Federal Prisons in North Korea

Bearing in mind, that the conditions of prisons are a serious threat to the incarcerated population;

Alarmed that the citizens in the prisons are being treated inhumanely; they are forced to do hard labor, they go through serious psychological trauma, and are occasionally tortured;

Noting that the sanitary conditions of the prisons are substandard and vile;

Considering that we cannot abolish prisons all together, but amend them to fit better expectations;

Emphasizing the need to create a better environment for the incarcerated people of the country is essential;

Alarmed that there has been limited steps taken regarding developing superior surroundings in prisons, and that additional steps must be taken in order to have a better country;

The delegation of Democratic People's Republic of Korea hereby:

Requests the United Nations to donate funding, about six million USD or 5,400,000,000 North Korean won, to reform our prison system, and to apply a committee to advise the system overall;

Call for that the advisory board would attend the justice system and make sure that it does not become harmful after correction;

Further requests that Penal Reform International helps improve the conditions of the prisons and create a better environment for incarcerated persons;



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# WHITE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Japan**

**Delegates: Lily Simpson, Sallie Kate Hall, Alice Fairey**

**School: Hutchison**

## Improving Mongolia's Water Supply

1 Deeply Concerned that Mongolia does not have safe water, they get water-borne  
2 illnesses from drinking their tap water, and the people that drink the tap water get  
3 sick and it is not good for their health;

5 Fully alarmed that Mongolia's river water is contaminated with types of toxic  
6 chemicals that their water filters cannot filter out, so when the people drink it they  
7 can get all types of illnesses and diseases that could be fatal;

9 Noting with grave concern that only 30% of Mongolian people have access to clean  
10 and drinkable water, and everyone else has to drink unsanitary and unfiltered  
11 water, making them sick and damaging the the country's economy;

13 The delegation from Japan hereby

15 Requests the United Nations install acceptable water filters, so the Mongolian  
16 people can have access to drinking water;

18 Hoping that, eventually, more of the population will be able to drink clean water  
19 and they will not get water-borne illnesses that will make the people healthier and a  
20 better country;

22 Suggests that water hoses with filtered water filters can be constructed;

24 Informing that improving water quality improves health;

26 Affirming Sustainable Development Goal 6: Clean Water and Sanitation.

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**WHITE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY****Sponsor: Cuba****Delegates: Kylan Johnson, Jacob Pinter****School: ECS****A Proposal to Reduce Illegal Drug Trade**

1 Deeply concerned about the negative impacts that illegal drug trafficking has upon  
2 the economy of Cuba and its surrounding islands;

3  
4 Emphasizing that more revenue is gained from illegal trafficking than from Cuba's  
5 own economic industries;

6  
7 Realizing that this undermines the political and economic climate of Cuba and other  
8 Caribbean islands;

9  
10 The delegation of Cuba hereby:

11  
12 Urge the United Nations to take action to combat this problem, for this drug trade is  
13 growing at an alarming rate;

14  
15 Requests the creation of a task force that would investigate the reasons for the  
16 large drug trade in the region;

17  
18 Further requests the task force come up with alternative forms of revenue for drug  
19 lords, like farming;

20  
21 Requests the United States, Mexico, and other Caribbean islands tighten their drug  
22 trade laws and strengthen border patrols in order to prevent smugglers from  
23 leaving or entering Cuba;

24  
25 Expresses its hope that we can all work together to create a drug free world.

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**WHITE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY**



**Sponsor: Egypt**

**Delegates: Wesley Jenkinson, Jaden McCord, Hayden Wardlaw**

**School: Spring Hill Middle School**

**A Resolution to Stop Terrorist Attacks in Egypt**

- 1 Alarmed by the terrorist attacks in Egypt
- 2
- 3 Concerned that in December of 2013 a bomb blast killed 12 people
- 4
- 5 We the delegation of Egypt hereby
- 6
- 7 Declare that we will have more police being ready to be on duty
- 8
- 9 Propose that we will send military to cities to protect the citizens of Egypt
- 10
- 11 Acknowledge we don't have many jails, so we will add more

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## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS



# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Singapore**

**Delegates: Livi VanSteenberg, Stephen Moutoux**

**School: St. Georges**

## **A Resolution to Research Building Man-Made Islands Out of Trash for Overpopulated Areas in Southeastern Asia and Oceania**

1 To the General Assembly:

2

3 Acknowledging that overpopulation is a growing problem in modern society;

4

5 Emphasizing that a large portion of the Earth is inhospitable for sustainable human  
6 life;

7

8 Considering that technology has advanced enough to support the construction of  
9 landmasses;

10

11 Noting with concern that large trash masses have become common in the world's  
12 oceans;

13

14 Reminding the General Assembly that many large man-made islands have already  
15 been successfully built;

16

17 Recognizing that Singapore has a small landmass and a large population;

18

19 Understanding that the construction of man-made islands takes large quantities of  
20 time;

21

22 Observing that the population of the world is predicted to reach an unsustainable  
23 point by 2050;

24

25 The Delegation of the Republic of Singapore hereby:

26

27 Calls upon the countries of Southeastern Asia and Oceania to launch a research  
28 project to build islands out of trash and dirt in the Pacific;

29

30 Requests that a large-scale trash cleanup project be organized in the Pacific and  
31 Indian oceans;

32

33 Further invites the countries along the seaboard of the Indian and Pacific oceans to  
34 provide additional funding and workers to the project;

35 Expresses its hope that the peoples of Southeastern Asia and Oceania will support  
36 the project to further the betterment of their society;  
37  
38 Designates \$75,000,000,000 to begin the research of island construction;  
39  
40 Seeks cooperation from countries such as China, India, Thailand, Hong Kong, the  
41 Philippines, and Malaysia in such efforts;  
42  
43 Proposes a trade for the United States and United Arab Emirates' knowledge of  
44 building man-made islands in exchange for financial compensation of  
45 \$4,000,000,000 each;  
46  
47 Expects that the project, when proven successful, will be embraced areas outside of  
48 the Pacific Islands and Southeastern Asia;  
49  
50 Further reminds the General Assembly that in addition to taking pressure off of  
51 overpopulated areas that the project would also support an environmental cleanup;  
52  
53 Further resolves that the project will benefit the entire population of the member  
54 countries of the United Nations.

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Liberia**

**Delegates: Natalie Alexander, Isabella Tamburrino, Sophie Wallace, Brooks May, Sophie Baker**

**School: St. Marys**

## A Resolution to Increase Mobile Hospital Units

1 Affirming that England's life expectancy is 81 years which is 27 years more than  
2 Liberia's at 54 years;

3  
4 Acknowledging that Liberia recently emerged from 14 years of civil war which killed  
5 tens of thousands and obliterated their health care system;

6  
7 Alarmed by the fact that Liberia only operates 1 public medical school, Dogliotti  
8 College of Medicine, and has only 173 home-grown doctors;

9  
10 Fully aware that Liberia only operates 1 major hospital and 12 small hospitals total;

11  
12 Recognizing that countries such as the United States, Iran, and England have used  
13 mobile hospital clinics, and the clinics have helped to give people in need easier  
14 access to healthcare;

15  
16 Noting further that mobile clinics cost about \$300,000 to build and \$375,000  
17 annually to operate;

18  
19 The Delegation of Liberia does Hereby:

20  
21 Encourages the United Nations to provide funding to add 20 mobile hospital units in  
22 rural areas of Liberia such as Montserrado, the country's smallest city, and  
23 Gbarnga;

24  
25 Requests qualified doctors to educate the people of Liberia and assist in the mobile  
26 clinics.

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Denmark**

**Delegates: Andrew Weaver, Hannah Hagar, Evan Beatty**

**School: ECS**

## A Proposal to Maintain Dwindling Fish Stocks

1 Noting with alarm that certain species of fish are becoming extinct,

2  
3 Fully alarmed that if nothing is done about over-exploiting fish stocks, it is likely  
4 that most salt water fish will be extinct by 2048,

5  
6 Viewing with concern the rise of over-fishing which is defined as fishing to such a  
7 degree as to upset, unbalance, or exhaust the supply of fish and shellfish,

8  
9 Disturbed by the amount of destructive and illegal fishing practices such as:

- 10  
11 - Fishing with large nets measuring several miles long and catching any marine  
12 animal getting in the way of the moving boat,  
13 - Cyanide and dynamite fishing,  
14 - Bottom trawling on sensitive deep-sea habitats,

15  
16 Regretting the increasing pollution of water and air which have severe effects on  
17 fish stocks,

18  
19 The delegation from Denmark hereby:

20  
21 Recommends the creation of a United Nations Research Committee that would:

- 22  
23 - Decide what quotas the governments should give fishermen so as to allow certain  
24 stocks to recover and not totally unbalance the marine ecosystem,  
25 - Monitor temperatures and fish migrations so as to keep track of breeding grounds,  
26 - Send fishing inspectors to close off certain areas of the sea for a few years if an  
27 area is overfished and needs to recover,  
28 - Come up with alternatives to fishing as a method of income for poor coastal  
29 communities,  
30 - Provide information and education to fishermen regardless of age, region, and  
31 nationality,

32  
33 Encourage an annual international conference to follow up on decisions made by  
34 the Research Committee.



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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Dominican Republic**

**Delegates: Jamie Woods, Angela He, Hannah Pollard, Campbell Wilson**

**School: Hutchison**

## A Resolution To Defend Against Drug and Human Trafficking

1 Conscious that this issue has been addressed many times before;

2  
3 Convinced that should the drug trade in the Dominican Republic be diminished, due  
4 to its effect on the international community, drug issues shall decrease;

5  
6 Noting with concern that the Dominican Republic has, for many years, had a large  
7 amount of drug and human trafficking related issues;

8  
9 Alarmed that children under the age of 13 are harmed by the effects of drugs and  
10 human trafficking daily;

11  
12 Emphasizing that the Dominican Republic is a central source of transit and  
13 destination for human trafficking of all ages throughout the Dominican Republic, the  
14 Caribbean, Europe, South America, Middle East, and the United States;

15  
16 Fearing that should this issue not be controlled, many more shall suffer;

17  
18 The delegation of Dominican Republic hereby:

19  
20 Requests, from the United Nations, advisors in order to assist in guiding the funding  
21 of criminal investigations and border control;

22  
23 Endorses a donation of 3.5 million dollars towards improving the police force of the  
24 Dominican Republic;

25  
26 Expresses its hope that this can help defend against further trafficking of drugs and  
27 humans both within the Dominican Republic and Internationally;

28  
29 Affirms that this resolution addresses Sustainable Development Goal 16.

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**BLUE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY****Sponsor: Madagascar 2****Delegates: Austin Spires, Ian Escarcega, Jayson Blaes****School: Spring Hill Middle School****A Resolution to Curb Deforestation in Madagascar**

1 Highly concerned that Madagascar is faced with the problem of habitat destruction  
2 and deforestation.

3  
4 Alarmed that the animals of Madagascar are dying and in need of a solution. forest  
5 fires plague the lands and destroy the forest. people are burning these forests to  
6 make charcoal, logging and pastures for their live stock.

7  
8 Recognizing that the people of Madagascar use an ancient farming technique known  
9 as "Tavy" in which the farmer cuts down trees then burns them. After the fire has  
10 dyed down they plant the crop where the trees once stood.

11  
12 We the delegation fo Madagascar hereby:

13  
14 Propose to raise awareness for this problem by educating farmers on other ways to  
15 plant crops other than "Tavy".

16  
17 Encourages farmers to find another area where farmers can make pastures.

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**BLUE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**Sponsor: United Kingdom**  
**Delegates: John Bush**  
**School: Grace-St. Lukes**

**A resolution to alter The Good Friday Agreement**

- 1 To the General Assembly:
- 2
- 3 Recognizing that Britain has voted for Brexit;
- 4
- 5 Concerned that we are being sued for our current plan to leave by the European
- 6 Union;
- 7
- 8 Understanding that our current plan breaks The Good Friday Agreement with
- 9 Ireland;
- 10
- 11 Distressed that we our breaching the agreement;
- 12
- 13 Understanding that the document is outdated;
- 14
- 15 Noting that the agreement is 30 years old.
- 16
- 17 The Delegation of United Kingdom Does Hereby:
- 18
- 19 Request the altering the Good Friday Agreement;
- 20
- 21 Calling for the repealing of all statements requiring there be no hard border
- 22 between Great Britain and Ireland be repealed;
- 23
- 24 Emphasizes the importance of Brexit on the jobs, security, and economy;
- 25
- 26 Expresses the desire of the British public for Brexit.

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Bangladesh**

**Delegates: Anna Pollan, Molly Browne, Haney Harris**

**School: Hutchison**

## **Resolution to Establish Binding of International Safety from Trafficking and Women's Rights in People's Of Republic Bangladesh**

1 Bearing in mind that women are trafficked and assaulted everyday, which can lead  
2 to many life threatening situations and kids never getting there own free feeling  
3 back;

4  
5 Concerned that 70-80 women are trafficked every day in the People's Republic of  
6 Bangladesh;

7  
8 Outraged that trafficking and kidnapping is a very big problem in People's Republic  
9 of Bangladesh;

10  
11 Alarmed that women and children being assaulted can lead to emotional problems,  
12 diseases, and other life problems;

13  
14 Informing that the People's Republic of Bangladesh is a beautiful country, but needs  
15 more safety for women;

16  
17 Aware that there is a death penalty for all assault crimes that the police are aware  
18 of;

19  
20 Emphasizing the imperative need to get girls off the streets into safety;

21  
22 Concerned about the amount of women and kids harassed a day by the men in  
23 their family, friends, and people on the streets;

24  
25 Emphasizing that People's Of Republic Bangladesh is tier 2 for human trafficking  
26 and the highest tier is 1;

27  
28 Conscious that the help from the United Nations would not only help our country  
29 but also the surrounding countries because this is a global problem;

30  
31 Alarmed that Children and women are taken to brothels to do things without their  
32 consent;

33  
34 Aware that the woman have to marry their rapists;

35  
36 Alarmed by that the People's Of Republic Bangladesh is overpopulated because the  
37 women are having babies caused of traffickers and rapists;  
38  
39 Noting with grave concern that women and kids have to live with the memory of  
40 that experience for their whole lives;  
41  
42 Acknowledged that women do not have many job opportunities in People's Of  
43 Republic Bangladesh;  
44  
45 The delegation of People's Republic of Bangladesh hereby  
46  
47 Affirms Sustainable Development Goal number 5 is gender equality;  
48  
49 Requests that the UN help us make a training camp for women;  
50  
51 Also request that the United Nations help get supplies for the camp and for offices;  
52  
53 Requests about \$15 million to build and buy all the supplies, planning on returning  
54 any leftover funds.

## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS

**BLUE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY****Sponsor: Sri Lanka****Delegates: Sarah Alexander, Morgan Perry, Coco Conrad****School: Hutchison****Resolution to end coral reef destruction in Sri Lanka**

- 1 Concerned that 90% of coral reefs are destroyed due to human destruction;
- 2
- 3 Alarmed that coral reefs support over 4,000 species of sea creatures;
- 4
- 5 Noting that 90% of coral reefs are lost yearly in Sri Lanka;
- 6
- 7 Noting with grave concern that dead coral reefs lead to habitat loss which leads to
- 8 dead sea creatures which leads to no food;
- 9
- 10 The delegation from Sri Lanka hereby
- 11
- 12 Requests that the UN facilitate an agreement between Sri Lanka and it's
- 13 surrounding countries to ban fishing from coral reefs;
- 14
- 15 Addresses Sustainable Development Goal 14 which seeks to conserve to at least
- 16 10% of marine areas.

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Marshall Islands**

**Delegates: Ellye Carpenter, Joy Hillyer, Ella Miller, Leanora Ceravola**

**School: Hutchison**

## Protecting the Coral Reefs of Marshall Islands

1 Alarmed that most of the food sources that feed the people of Marshall Islands  
2 come from the ocean surrounding it;

3  
4 Keeping in mind that the coral reefs of Marshall Islands are very important to the  
5 Marshallese;

6  
7 Pollution in Marshall islands coral reefs have caused health conditions for the  
8 Marshallese including fish poisoning and Bacterial Diarrhea;

9  
10 Concerned that the people are eating fish that may have been contaminated from  
11 the polluted water and reefs;

12  
13 Addressing the fact that receiving shipments of food from other countries is very  
14 rare in Marshall Islands, so most citizens rely on fish as their number one food  
15 source;

16  
17 Acknowledging that not all of the coral reefs in Marshall Islands are polluted,  
18 Marshall Island still needs protection from pollution and further damage;

19  
20 Noting that this problem is not required for just Marshall Islands, but 75% of the  
21 world's coral reefs are endangered because of this problem.

22  
23 Informing that all coral reefs are undergoing more high ocean temperatures and  
24 acidity ever in history in the last 400,000 years;

25  
26 The delegation of Marshall Islands hereby:

27  
28 Requests a loan from the United Nations to pay for health care and problems  
29 concerning sickness caused by pollution, and for the United Nations to send  
30 advisors to help with and supervise the pollution of our coral reefs;

31  
32 Advising that this resolution addresses sustainable Development Goal 6.

## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS



# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Madagascar**

**Delegates: Asher Johnson, Tommy Graves, Jansen Wood, Cooper Wilson**

**School: ECS**

## Preventing the Spread of Malaria

1 Concerned that since 2000, malaria has caused 350 to 500 million clinical episodes  
2 annually and resulted in over one million deaths, most of which were children under  
3 5 years old in sub-Saharan Africa;

4  
5 Noting that malaria is the fifth cause of death from infectious diseases worldwide  
6 (after respiratory infections, HIV/AIDS, diarrheal diseases, and tuberculosis) and  
7 the second in Africa, after HIV/AIDS;

8  
9 Disturbed by recent estimates that show that as many as 3.3 billion people live in  
10 areas at risk of malaria in 109 countries or territories;

11  
12 Further concerned that malaria puts a heavy economic burden on countries and  
13 contributes to the cycle of poverty people face in many countries;

14  
15 The delegation from Madagascar hereby:

16  
17 Calls upon the members of the United Nations to remember the Millennium  
18 Development Goal to halve the number of people with malaria by 2025;

19  
20 Recommends the donation of effective tools that make it possible to prevent and  
21 treat malaria with the potential to substantially reduce the morbidity and mortality  
22 from malaria;

23  
24 Noting that these tools include:

25 Long-lasting insecticidal nets (LLINs),  
26 Indoor residual spraying (IRS) in which insecticides are sprayed on the walls  
27 of homes,  
28 Preventive treatment for pregnant women (PTP) to prevent infection;

29  
30 Declares that substantial effort will be needed globally to reach universal coverage  
31 targets for all populations at risk.



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**COMMITTEE 8**

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Namibia**

**Delegates: Emily Jackson, Lillian Kent, Sophie Battaile, Bailey Moore**

**School: Hutchison**

## **Resolution to Solve the Problem of High Infant Mortality Rate and High Neonatal Disorder Rates In Namibia**

1 Bearing in Mind that Namibia's Infertility rate is the seventh highest in the world;

2  
3 Considering that malnourishment leads to increased infertility and neonatal mortality;

4  
5 Reaffirming that these complications can be avoided with the help of improved  
6 medicine, clean drinking water, and experienced physicians;

7  
8 Aware that medical support, and help, is tremendously hard to reach;

9  
10 Considering that there are more citizens in need of medical attention than there are  
11 physicians;

12  
13 Alarmed that the water in Namibia is not taken into consideration about beginning a  
14 large cause for medical issues;

15  
16 Emphasizing the infant mortality in Namibia, is surpassing the average infant  
17 mortality around the world;

18  
19 Deeply concerned that the physicians rate is drastically depleting over time;  
20 The delegation of Namibia hereby:

21  
22 Urges the United Nations to take into consideration these ongoing problems;

23  
24 Requests that the company of Medtronic to supply 20 million dollars worth of medical  
25 supplies and medicine around Namibia;

26  
27 Recommends that the company ITT Inc, supply a water filtering system for the  
28 people of Namibia;

29  
30 Acknowledge that the physicians density and hospital bed density does not cover the  
31 needs of the citizens of Namibia;

32  
33 Requests immediate action from the United Nations to prevent deaths among the  
34 citizens of Namibia.

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Belize**

**Delegates: Samantha Hulbert, Eva Lackie, Sophie Wilson**

**School: Hutchison**

## **Resolution that Establishes a Better Healthcare System in Belize**

1 Concerned that there is only one bed per 1,000 people in Belize, which shows the  
2 healthcare is in need of desperate aid;

3  
4 Alarmed that a majority of the 35,000 Belizean people with disabilities or special  
5 needs do not get the healthcare resources needed for their conditions;

6  
7 Noting that in early September, Belizean police confiscated 1,210 parcels of cocaine  
8 that was causing seizures across Belize from an aircraft;

9  
10 Deeply concerned that there are only 105 physicians per 100,000 Belizean people;

11  
12 The delegation from Belize hereby

13  
14 Requests the World Health Organization supply money to help construct more  
15 Belizean medical schools and purchase more medical supplies;

16  
17 Hopeful that volunteers from bordering countries will help contribute to create more  
18 resources for Belizians with special needs or disabilities;

19  
20 Desiring that neighboring countries of Belize will help with the big procedures and  
21 the other medical conditions

22  
23 Recognizing this will take several years to accomplish;

24  
25 Further requests doctors and or physicians from neighboring countries to contribute  
26 to Belizian health care by donating to or even for working with/for Belizean  
27 hospitals;

28  
29 Suggests medical teachers from our neighboring countries help educate Belizeans  
30 on how to improve and participate with Belizean healthcare;

31  
32 Supporting Sustainable Development Goal 11.

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Switzerland**

**Delegates: Mattie Ra, Neely Raby, Katie Clark**

**School: Hutchison**

## **A Resolution To Maintain and Improve Refugee Camps In Switzerland and Neighboring Countries**

- 1 Concerned that there are 4.8 million illegal immigrants in Europe;
- 2
- 3 Alarmed that Germany and the United Kingdom have over 1 million illegal
- 4 immigrants;
- 5
- 6 Noting with grave concern that refugees come into countries undocumented and
- 7 effect the economy, especially if there are too many illegal immigrants;
- 8
- 9 Bearing in mind that over 200,000 documented immigrants can also use resources
- 10 from the refugee camps;
- 11
- 12 The delegation from Switzerland hereby
- 13
- 14 Requests that the United Nations send advisors to help maintain and improve the
- 15 refugee camps in all of Europe, so the refugee camps will be sustainable enough to
- 16 hold refugees;
- 17
- 18 Supporting Sustainable Development Goal 17;
- 19
- 20 Assuring that we will partner with other countries to help refugee camps all over
- 21 Europe.

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**BLUE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY****Sponsor: Norway****Delegates: Caden Greer, Robert Martin, Jonah Johnson****School: Spring Hill Middle School****A Resolution to Lower the Income Tax in Norway**

- 1 Alarmed that Norway has a 22% income tax rate, which is a very high tax rate.
- 2
- 3 Noting with concern that if you made \$100,000 a year, you would have to give
- 4 38,200 dollars in tax.
- 5
- 6 We the Delegation of Norway do hereby:
- 7
- 8 Propose to lower the tax rate for income by 14%.

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Viet Nam**

**Delegates: Sam Gary, Jack Hagerman**

**School: Grace-St. Lukes**

## A Resolution to stop the misuse of Methamphetamine

- 1 To the General Assembly:
- 2
- 3 Acknowledging that there is a methamphetamine problem in Vietnam;
- 4
- 5 Aware that people are misusing methamphetamine as an antibiotic;
- 6
- 7 Further acknowledging that there are many problems associated with taking
- 8 methamphetamine.
- 9
- 10 The Delegation of (Vietnam) Does Hereby:
- 11
- 12 Requesting 20million doses of antibiotics;
- 13
- 14 Calls upon Doctors Without Borders for 20 doctors to educate the rural populous;
- 15
- 16 Further requests 10million United States dollars to fund the education of the rural
- 17 populous.

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Russian Federation**

**Delegates: Ainsley Wages, Drew Davis, Jack Colley, Mark Hensley**

**School: ECS**

## **A Proposal to End the Conflict Between Armenia and Azerbaijan**

1 Acknowledging that the conflict between Armenia and Azerbaijan over the Nagorno-  
2 Karabakh region dates back several decades.

3  
4 Noting that It began when Stalin, using his divide and rule policy to divide the  
5 Caucasus Region of his empire, gave the mountainous land of Nagorno- Karabakh  
6 to the Soviet Republic of Azerbaijan, despite it having a 94% Armenian population.

7  
8 Further noting that violent revolts took place frequently within Nagorno- Karabakh,  
9 as the Armenians in the region sought unification with their homeland Armenia.

10  
11 Observing that when the Soviet Union began to collapse, the people saw it as an  
12 opportunity, and the Armenian's seized control of the territory. The efforts of the  
13 Armenian paramilitary group responsible for taking over Nagorno- Karabakh were  
14 heavily supported by the government of Armenia.

15  
16 Aware that Azerbaijan and Armenia went to war from 1992-1994, resulting in full  
17 Armenian control over the territory, and at least 20,000 deaths with over a million  
18 displaced. It ended with a cease fire, but strong military presence in the region and  
19 sporadic acts of violence.

20  
21 Concerned that violence has flared up again and the ongoing fighting has left more  
22 than 100 people dead - the most serious escalation in years.

23  
24 Deeply concerned that because both sides enjoy the support of powerful backers,  
25 the fighting between Armenia and Azerbaijan could end up reverberating beyond  
26 the region.

27  
28 The delegation from the Russian Federation hereby:

29  
30 Requests that under the mediation of the presidents of Russia and Kazakhstan, a  
31 declaration be signed by the leaders of Azerbaijan, Armenia, Kazakhstan and the  
32 Russian Federation outlining a road map to establishing a cease fire through the  
33 creation of an observer group of Russian and Kazakh representatives.

35 Urges this group to oversee the return of people who have been displaced from  
36 their homes during the conflict as well as the immediate release of hostages and  
37 the normalization of railway, air traffic, and communication systems.  
38  
39 Suggests that Azerbaijan agree to begin bilateral negotiations which would put forth  
40 proposals for a conflict settlement and ultimately the return of Nagorno- Karabakh  
41 to its original owner, Armenia.



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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: France**

**Delegates: Niya Johnson, Anna Grace Fletcher**

**School: ECS**

## Defining Acceptable Conditions for Child Workers

1 Deeply disturbed that one third of the world's children live in countries that haven't  
2 ratified ILO Convention 182 on the worst forms of child labor and Convention 138  
3 on minimum age for work,

5 Noting with deep concern that more than half of all child laborers worldwide do  
6 hazardous work and that many are enslaved in bonded labor,

8 Further deploring that hazardous work has been increasing among older children,  
9 age 15 to 17,

11 Understanding that families are often dependent on their children's income for  
12 survival,

14 Recognizing that there are cultural differences in how "child" is defined and how  
15 children's roles are understood,

17 Strongly believing that all children need to be educated for their future and to break  
18 the cycle of poverty,

20 The delegation of France hereby:

22 1. Recommends that all governments sign the International Labor  
23 Organizations Convention 182;

25 2. Confirms that child labor be defined as the worst forms of labor where  
26 children are under the age of 15 working in dangerous conditions; being  
27 exploited by their employer; and not free to quit their job;

29 3. Recommends that all governments set the minimum age for child work by  
30 2022;

32 4. Recommends that every child who works outside of his or her family earn a  
33 minimum hourly wage set by the government;

35 5. Requires all governments to make employers submit information about work

36 performed by children to the government in order to get permission for  
37 employment;  
38  
39 6. Calls upon all developing countries where children continue to work create a  
40 system that requires all employers to be licensed and managed by the  
41 government to employ children in safe conditions;  
42  
43 7. Insists that local monitoring groups trained by the United Nations staff work  
44 to end debt bondage by 2021 in countries where there are child labor  
45 problems;  
46  
47 8. Demands random safety checks in the manufacturing industry be carried out  
48 by United Nations staff in countries which have not signed and ratified ILO  
49 Convention 182;  
50  
51 9. Urges all countries to ensure compulsory education systems;  
52  
53 10. Requests that all governments that have children who have not finished  
54 compulsory education restrict these children from working more than 4 hours  
55 a day, and restrict all children from working more than 8 hours a day;  
56  
57 11. Requests all governments promote education as a means to improve the lives  
58 of children.

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Ecuador**

**Delegates: Allegra Lipman, Miles Miller, Kalia Nugent, Eleanor Flynn**

**School: Hutchison**

## Resolution of Educador

1 Argument: Equal pay for women in ecuador ;

2  
3 Bearing in mind that most women don't have rights or equal pay in the country of  
4 Ecuador, this

5  
6 causes a huge problem when it comes to electing a leader; Despite that there are  
7 more women than men in Ecuador, women's salaries are still 13-26% lower than  
8 their men peers; Women in rural areas work on average 23 hours per week longer  
9 than men do;

10  
11 Considering that Ecuador has an unemployment rate crisis before, we believe it is  
12 wise that everyone, regardless of gender, has equal pay; This way all people will  
13 have more job opportunities, and the unemployment rate will go down;

14  
15 Emphasizing that more women are unemployed than ever and have harder job  
16 conditions, although the Constitution guaranteed equal pay for equal work;

17  
18 We request a new job system where the government helps young and older  
19 women get out of poverty and find new jobs that will support them and supply  
20 basic necessities;

21  
22 This job system will create more jobs for the country of Ecuador and equal and fair  
23 pay.

24  
25 Imagine that just because of one's gender, not being able to provide for your  
26 family;

27  
28 Women in Ecuador are going through so much and need to be supported by their  
29 government;

30  
31 We hope you will take into consideration supporting our new job system and equal  
32 pay for women;

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Thailand**

**Delegates: Selena Carpenter, Kaia Vidal**

**School: St. Georges**

## A Resolution to Provide Clean Water in Thailand & Surrounding Nations

1 Fully alarmed by the fact that nearly 43 million of the 70 million people living in Thailand  
2 are consuming contaminated drinking water, we thought it necessary to find a solution;

3  
4 Noting the fact that polluted water is not only a problem in Thailand but also in other  
5 surrounding countries, such as Laos, Myanmar, and Cambodia;

6  
7 Keeping in mind that clean water is an essential need for humans to live;

8  
9 Realizing that drinking this water could lead to many illnesses such as Diarrhea, Cholera,  
10 Typhoid, Amoebiasis, Hepatitis A, Transmission it is extremely important to fix this;

11  
12 Recognizing the fact that unsanitary water can cause serious illnesses, poor nutrition,  
13 and death;

14  
15 Deeply concerned that millions in Thailand and surrounding areas are not getting the  
16 water they need;

17  
18 The delegation of Thailand does hereby:

19  
20 Encourages all the members of the United Nations to support the increase of healthier  
21 water in areas such as these that don't have access to clean water;

22  
23 Expresses its hope to perform a test run in Thailand and surrounding countries;

24  
25 Recommends the ESPAP to support this plan by providing \$1500 for Aquatabs that will  
26 help purify the water;

27  
28 Further request to have setups to provide locals with Aquatabs;

29  
30 Calls upon the United Nations task groups to provide workers that will enable us to  
31 execute our plan;

32  
33 Strongly supports the usage of this idea in other places around the globe in the near  
34 future.

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Colombia**

**Delegates: Michael Fojas, William Karan Patmor, Hunter Johnson, Cairo Weaver**

**School: Heritage Middle School**

## **A Resolution to Minimize Illegal Drug Production, Usage, and Exports in Colombia**

1 Alarminglly Colombia is the world's largest producer of cocaine and a top producer  
2 of drugs like marijuana. Cocaine usage affects 175,639 of the population over the  
3 age of 18. Colombian coca farmers use approximately an accumulated area of  
4 between 169,000 hectares to produce the country's cocaine;

5  
6 Keeping in mind that the main consumers of cocaine and marijuana are countries in  
7 South America, the United States, and Europe,

8  
9 Noting with concern the effects of cocaine can be auditory hallucinations, serious  
10 chest pain, drug overdose, seizures, and physical and mental dilemmas, especially  
11 in the circulatory/cardiovascular systems;

12  
13 Noting further, in Colombia, the coca used to produce cocaine is grown mostly in  
14 remote parts of the country where the state has been absent and locals have no  
15 access to the legal economy;

16  
17 Mindful that once the coca is processed to cocaine, it is trafficked by local drug  
18 traffickers, guerrillas and nationally operating groups to one of the country's five  
19 borders. Violence is a constant factor in acquiring these drugs, and Drug Wars  
20 have plagued Colombia for many decades;

21  
22 The delegates of Colombia do herby:

23  
24 Call upon the Special Political and Decolonization Committee to supply  
25 peacekeepers inside and on the borders of Colombia, in order to establish domestic  
26 tranquility, and to attempt to alleviate the mass drug trafficking within the Nation;

27  
28 Request that the Special Political and Decolonization Committee help track down  
29 and arrest organized crime groups related to drug trafficking;

30  
31 Support the investment of \$1.5 million to the Colombian Navy, reason being, to  
32 secure the coastline, stopping drug trafficking through the oceans, being exported  
33 to other countries. We suggest slight naval assistance from the USA, in order to  
34 help secure the coastline;

35

36 Encourage the supplying of chemicals, such as glyphosate, to the Colombian  
37 government, in order to terminate fields of coca plants, used in the production of  
38 cocaine;

39

40 Further request advisors from foreign countries in the UN that have expertise in the  
41 coal, oil, or coffee industries to aid the lower class of Colombian citizens, as they  
42 adjust to a new economy, in order to stop the return to a drug based economy by  
43 creating a more permanent economy.

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**BLUE  
GENERAL ASSEMBLY****Sponsor: Poland****Delegates: Keegan Kilpatrick, Jacob Ebaugh****School: Spring Hill Middle School****A Resolution to Solve Poland's Vulnerable Economy**

- 1 Observing the declining amount of workers in Poland and the COVID-19 pandemic
- 2 have led us to consider Poland having the possibility of a declining economy soon if
- 3 action is not taken.
- 4
- 5 Alarmed by a declining economy
- 6
- 7 Worried that if action is not taken then Poland's technological development will slow
- 8 down even more than it already is.
- 9
- 10 We the Delegation of Poland do hereby:
- 11
- 12 Propose some options to take action would be to encourage working in Poland by
- 13 raising the minimum wages for workers,
- 14
- 15 Requesting to increase the number of parks and tourist spots to help benefit
- 16 Poland's economy and bring in more workers to Poland.



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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Germany**

**Delegates: Hannah Taylor, Peyton Smith, Meredith Lyle, Adelaide Graham**

**School: ECS**

## Enabling Refugees to Seek Asylum in Other Countries, Free from Persecution

1 Acknowledging that under international law, a refugee is a person who has fled his  
2 or her country because of fear of persecution based on race, religion, nationality, or  
3 membership of a particular social group;

4  
5 Bearing in mind that Article 14 of the 1948 Universal Declaration of Human Rights  
6 states that refugees "have a right to seek and enjoy in other countries asylum from  
7 persecution.";

8  
9 Emphasizing that victims of human rights abuse must be able to leave their country  
10 freely and to seek refuge elsewhere;

11  
12 Noting with regret that governments frequently see refugees as a threat or burden,  
13 refusing to respect this core principle of human rights;

14  
15 Conscious that the presence of refugees represents a considerable burden on the  
16 resources and infrastructure of host countries, particularly developing countries;

17  
18 Expressing the wish that all countries, recognizing the social and humanitarian  
19 nature of the question of refugees, will do everything within their power to prevent  
20 this question from becoming a cause of tension between countries,

21  
22 The delegation of Germany hereby:

23  
24 Calls upon members of the United Nations to combat acts of racism, xenophobia,  
25 and related intolerance against people seeking asylum;

26  
27 Recommends member states take appropriate measures to create harmonious  
28 relationships with the local communities and refugees by creating awareness of  
29 their needs as well as promoting respect for the culture, customs, and religions of  
30 asylum-seekers;

31  
32 Further recommends that countries receiving refugees:

33 - Register new arrivals with a careful screening process;

34 - Have adequate security arrangements to prevent hostility in the refugee camps;

35 - Allow refugees access to shelter, clean water, food, medical facilities, and  
36 education;  
37  
38 Trusts that expulsion of refugees will only occur when compelling reasons of  
39 national security require it, or as the result of a decision reached with a process of  
40 law.

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Syria**

**Delegates: Ellie Palmer, Aliya Shwartz, Maya Pentecost**

**School: Hutchison**

## Resolution for the Funding and Support of Syrian Refugees

1 Concerned that nearly 12 million Syrian refugees are in dire need of humanitarian  
2 assistance;

3  
4 Outraged that Syrian refugees' living conditions are far from sufficient;

5  
6 Noting that refugees do not have access to education, do not have enough to eat,  
7 do not have clean drinking water, and have buildings and homes that are not  
8 enough to protect themselves from the harsh weather conditions that have  
9 traumatized them before;

10  
11 Thoroughly noting that failure to acquire these necessities will put everyone at risk  
12 to illness, fatigue, hunger, and oftentimes, death;

13  
14 Alarmed that as attacks move further north in Idlib, people are increasingly  
15 squeezed into a small area near the closed border with Turkey, which was already  
16 hosting hundreds of thousands of displaced people;

17  
18 Recognizing that Syria has been in a civil war since around 2011, and this war  
19 caused Syrians to flee the country;

20  
21 Acknowledging the fact that among the 815 million people suffering from chronic  
22 malnutrition in 2016, 60% of them lived in areas affected by armed conflict;

23  
24 Alarmed that there is currently no source of clean water available to most if not all  
25 of the refugees;

26  
27 Convinced that refugees deserve the natural rights of life, liberty, and the pursuit of  
28 happiness;

29  
30 The delegation of the Syrian Arab Republic does hereby

31  
32 Urges the UN to form humanitarian and health care groups to take control of this  
33 terrible crisis;

35 Declares that all refugees should have the rights to health care, nutritious food,  
36 clean water, quality and affordable education, and decent/affordable living  
37 conditions;  
38  
39 Requests that the UN work with non-governmental organizations to raise awareness  
40 and funds for this problem;  
41  
42 Recommends that the UN work with Syrian humanitarian workers to form a plan for  
43 food, shelter, and clean water distribution;  
44  
45 Mentions that the UN will be in charge of managing any funds raised for this cause;  
46  
47 Appeals for reliable long term shelter for as many refugees as possible;  
48  
49 Proposes that the UN works with educators and volunteers to create an affordable,  
50 accessible source of quality education for the refugees;  
51  
52 Endorses the reaching of the SDG goals, 2-zero hunger, 3-good health and well  
53 being, 4-quality education, and 6-clean water and sanitation;  
54  
55 Further requests that the UN partner with other refugee organizations like the  
56 UNRWA to achieve all of these goals.

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Belarus**

**Delegates: Parker Hedges, Naomi Betapudi, Lauren Watson, Mary Margaret Cooper**

**School: St. Marys**

## A Resolution to have the UN Preside over Belarus Presidency Elections

- 1 Aware that President Lukashenko has been re-elected in 2020 for the sixth time
- 2 since 1994;
- 3
- 4 Knowing that President Lukashenko has arrested two of his opposing candidates;
- 5
- 6 Acknowledging that opposition leader, Sviatlana Tsikhanouskaya claimed to have
- 7 won with at least 60% of the vote, though official results state that President
- 8 Lukashenko has won by 80%;
- 9
- 10 Mindful that protests have been going on for several months due to the results of
- 11 the election;
- 12
- 13 Concerned that the citizens of Belarus and the rest of the world believe that the
- 14 election system is corrupt;
- 15
- 16 Having examined the UN presiding over elections of several different countries
- 17 including Afghanistan, Central African Republic, the Democratic Republic of the
- 18 Congo, Iraq, Nepal, Sierra Leone and Sudan;
- 19
- 20 Convinced that to appease the people of Belarus, there should be a re-election;
- 21
- 22 The Delegation of Belarus does Hereby:
- 23
- 24 Requests that the UN preside over Belarus Presidency elections;
- 25
- 26 Trusts that the United Nations will verify that fair results are achieved;
- 27
- 28 Affirms that Belarus will accept the results of this election.

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Brazil**

**Delegates: Anne Tyler Bartusch, Mary Allen Wallace, Ellie Gooch**

**School: Hutchison**

## Resolution to Control Illicit Drugs and Drug Trafficking

1 Concerned that cocaine is imported from Colombia to Brazil, and is making Brazil  
2 the second most drug trafficked country in the world;

3  
4 Aware that Brazil uses 18% of the worlds cocaine;

5  
6 Noting with grave concern that the people of Brazil will start to intake more illegal  
7 drugs;

8  
9 Recognizing that cocaine prices range from \$10.00-\$13.00;

10  
11 Noting Further that police could benefit from more training in catching drug  
12 dealers;

13  
14 Conscious that Brazil needs more training with dogs to detect drugs by the smell;

15  
16 The delegation from Brazil hereby

17  
18 Urges the MUN to help put our plan into action in Brazil urgently;

19  
20 Requests trainers from the U.S. to help train the police and the animals for drug  
21 detection;

22  
23 Noting that some people actually need the drug for healing purposes;

24  
25 Further recommends that they ban the drug and if they are caught with it for non  
26 medical reasons they go to house arrest and have jail time if it is that serious, and  
27 it goes onto their permanent record;

28  
29 Affirming Sustainable Development Goal 12 for Responsible Consumption and  
30 Production.

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Sao Tome and Principe**

**Delegates: Knox Aaron, Ford Crane, Caiden Caldera, Ryder Sills**

**School: ECS**

## **A Resolution to Restructure Sao Tome and Principe's Water Supply Services**

- 1 Recognizing the United Nation's established commitment that water is essential to
- 2 human development.
- 3
- 4 Emphasizing that the cleanliness of our water supply is consistently tainted by
- 5 runoff from our mountainous regions.
- 6
- 7 Regretting that only 16% of Sao Tome and Principe's population has access to
- 8 water that meets the United Nation's standard for drinking.
- 9
- 10 Noting that Sao Tome and Principe's annual rainfall and access to water is adequate
- 11 to service the population of the island, but that it lacks the effective means of
- 12 purifying it.
- 13
- 14 Alarmed that roughly 1/3 of Sao Tome and Principe's population survives on less
- 15 than \$1.90 a day and spends much of their valuable time traveling to locations
- 16 where water is pure.
- 17
- 18 Having considered that the island is the home of the Unesco Biosphere Reserve and
- 19 is home to many unique species of flora and fauna that may suffer without
- 20 adequate water.
- 21
- 22 We the Delegation of Sao Tome and Principe do hereby:
- 23
- 24 Call on the United Nations to invest \$5,000,000 in the restructuring of our water
- 25 supply services so that water can be purified and infrastructure put in place to pipe
- 26 clean water to all areas of the island.

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# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Fiji**

**Delegates: Ellie Epps, Zoe Evans, Hadley Rhett**

**School: Hutchison**

## Fiji Floods

- 1 Concerned about the floods, hurricanes, and cyclones in Fiji;
- 2
- 3 Alarmed 8.3 out of 1,000 people die from floods;
- 4
- 5 Further alarmed that one flood in Fiji affection 3,500 people, killing 8, and the
- 6 property damage cost \$17.2 million;
- 7
- 8 Concerned about the effects climate change in Fiji causing things like hurricanes
- 9 and floods;
- 10
- 11 The delegation from Fiji hereby
- 12
- 13 Requests that the United Nations help build and raise money to enforce structures
- 14 and homes to protect them from harsh weather and make better stable buildings,
- 15 so there is no damage from extreme and climate change;
- 16
- 17 Further requests that United Nations teach people to build better homes and
- 18 structures that are more stable;
- 19
- 20 Asks that the United Nations assist and help pay for some shelter homes for people
- 21 whose homes got destroyed;
- 22
- 23 Suggests that the United Nations recommend that people donate to non
- 24 governmental organizations;
- 25
- 26 Supports Sustainable Development Goal 9 - industry, innovation and infrastructure.



## TENNESSEE YMCA MODEL UNITED NATIONS



# BLUE GENERAL ASSEMBLY



**Sponsor: Netherlands**

**Delegates: Samantha Ring, Alia Sims**

**School: Hutchison**

## **Resolution to Help Prevent Floods in Countries around the World**

1 Concerned that many countries around the world are flood-prone, including  
2 Germany and Belgium;

3  
4 Alarmed that some of these countries do not have the resources or expertise to  
5 deal with these floods, thereby destroying parts of their country, such as in  
6 Germany: North Rhine-Westphalia, Rhineland-Palatinate, Saarland, and Lower  
7 Saxony;

8  
9 Noting with grave concern that the Netherlands have these same problems, except  
10 they have more experience successfully preventing floods, therefore making it  
11 easier for them to try to prevent floods;

12  
13 The delegation from the Netherlands hereby:

14  
15 Requests that the United Nations facilitate the formation of a foundation to help  
16 other countries around the world learn how to prevent and fix the destruction from  
17 flooding and other water-related natural disasters;

18  
19 Further noting from what we have learned, the Netherlands are very experienced  
20 with handling floods due to their position and elevation, and offers to assist by  
21 providing expertise in this endeavor.  
22