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**Subject: Africa**  
**Sponsored By: Iran**  
**Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political**

1 MINDFUL that water is necessary for every day human life from household to industrial  
2 uses consequently countries have to devise plans to displace water evenly among their  
3 entire geographical spectrum, and  
4

5 AWARE that some nations do not have easy access to water, let alone have the  
6 technology or economic resources needed to purify the water on their own, and  
7

8 RECOGNIZING that with the global population rising quickly and the climate change of  
9 the entire planet, rights to water will become much more obtrusive as time passes, and  
10

11 NOTING WITH GRAVE CONCERN that the African nations are the most exposed to  
12 these deplorable conditions, relying on such limitations as to hand pumping the water  
13 they need, and  
14

15 STRESSING that an estimated one billion people around the world do not have access to  
16 clean, drinking water;  
17

- 18 1) APPROVES of nay nation that is willing to displace the water or resources  
19 necessary to purify water, to countries that need it in order to raise their  
20 standard of living, through the distribution of clean, drinking water to its  
21 people;  
22
- 23 2) CONSIDERS mapping out and calculating where and who needs the water the  
24 most in order to distribute the water evenly among the more hydro-deprived  
25 nations;  
26
- 27 3) INSTRUCTS being considerate and responsible with the use of water, as it is  
28 a diminishing resource, and there is a dramatic decline of fresh drinking  
29 water;  
30
- 31 4) EXPRESSES THE BELIEF that soon water rights will be solved and there  
32 will be an even spread of clean, drinking water accessible to any country  
33 around the world.  
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Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Africa

Submitted By: El Salvador

1 Considering the fact that Africa is the world's poorest most underdeveloped  
2 malnourished continent and,

3  
4 Also Aware that if something is not done soon to help stimulate the development of regions  
5 it may only get harder for the regions to get to the level of development that other more  
6 wealthy regions are at, and

7  
8 Stressing that there is enough food that is produced around the world for everybody in the  
9 world, and

10  
11 Stating that helping to stimulate the development and movement towards no  
12 malnourishment in developing regions would help not only the region, but also the world as a  
13 whole because nations could transfer their resources to other causes, and

14  
15 Hopeful that once a solution is found the region could become dependent upon itself with  
16 little need of foreign aid, and

17  
18 Noting that with the right foreign stimulation the region could eventually no longer be the  
19 poorest, most underdeveloped, and malnourished continent, and that they may one  
20 productive region for the rest of the world

21  
22 1) Calls Upon other countries and members nations with resources such as  
23 food and clean water to help provide support to the region only long enough for the  
24 leaders of the regions to figure out a way to begin self- sustaining, and

25  
26 2) Urges countries to closely watch each step of the process of delivering support  
27 throughout the regions, to make sure the resources are going to the places they are  
28 intended

29  
30 3) Emphasizes that this process will not only benefit the region but the entire world,  
31 through advances that the new resources available will provide.



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Submitted To: First Political

Topic: Africa

Submitted By: Argentina

1 NOTING WITH SATISFACTION that the convictions of the Liberian leader, Charles Taylor,  
2 for supplying weapons to the Revolutionary United Front in exchange for blood diamonds have  
3 been upheld, and  
4

5 BEARING IN MIND this is the first leader to have been convicted of war crimes since World  
6 War II, and  
7

8 RECOGNIZING the difficulties of finding and convicting a world leader who has committed  
9 crimes against international peace and security, and  
10

11 REALIZING that Charles Taylor is not the only war lord who has, or is, committing such  
12 atrocities as terrorism, rape, murder, and using of child troops, and  
13

14 EXPRESSING DEEP CONCERN for the African people who have to live under the threat of  
15 these horrors which are destroying their ways of life, and  
16

17 SEEKING ways to not only deter but also prevent these acts so that these gruesome and  
18 appalling crimes are no longer performed;  
19

- 20 1) RECOMMENDS that the punishment for these heinous crimes be in proportion to and,  
21 therefore, more severe;  
22
- 23 2) CALLS UPON the United Nations to pay closer attention to these war lords as to be  
24 able to perform the necessary actions against their crimes sooner;  
25
- 26 3) ENCOURAGES the requirement for countries to hand over international war lords to  
27 the United Nations for criminal proceedings;  
28
- 29 4) REQUESTS for punishments for those nations who do not willingly comply with  
30 these extradition rules;  
31
- 32 5) URGES that a neutral third party to be appointed to inspecting those who have been  
33 suspected of any ties with these enemies of international security.



**Submitted To: First Political**

**Topic: Africa**

**Submitted By: Rwanda**

1 Believing that unrest and political instability in Africa has lead to economic issues, and

2  
3 Aware South Africa's economy is growing at the slowest rate in four years due to unrest, and

4  
5 Recalling revolts in Libya, Egypt, Algeria, and Somalia caused by political issues, and

6  
7 Grieved that the economic troubles will result in slowed or halted development for the countries  
8 experiencing unrest, and

9  
10 Concerned that the economic impact unrest can cause in Africa has the potential to halt progress  
11 on the continent;

- 12
- 13 1) Calls upon African countries to analyze their citizens complaints and evaluate how to
  - 14 best meet their needs;
  - 15
  - 16 2) Urges African governments to allow for longer transition times for reform when
  - 17 applicable, to prevent stress on the masses;
  - 18
  - 19 3) Recognizes that when unrest occurs it can be difficult to control;
  - 20
  - 21 4) Recommends that countries put measures in place, whether they be legislative or
  - 22 executive, to prevent demonstrations or strikes from becoming violent, which would
  - 23 further disrupt development;
  - 24
  - 25 5) Encourages countries to strengthen their economies against the shock of mass protests
  - 26 and other demonstrations, by evaluating their budget and its fluidity.



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Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Kenya

Submitted By: Pakistan

1 NOTING WITH DEEP CONCERN that Kenya's tragic/ violent terrorist attacks has dramatically  
2 sorrowed its ability to function as a government, and

3  
4 FULLY ACKNOWLEDGING that terrorism is a worldwide problem a country should still be  
5 able to have majority control of its people and that the inclined amount of civilians that have  
6 been killed by these attacks in alarming high, and

7  
8 STRESSING that the Kenya terrorist attacks are crippling there government and will eventually  
9 lead to more intense/ violent mass civilian outbreaks and deaths which will probably result in a  
10 rebellion against the government, and

- 11  
12 1) ENCOURAGES STRONGLY for Kenya's government to use a stronger  
13 parliament government to force cooperation of its people more effectively than  
14 what they are currently giving to their people;  
15  
16 2) PROMOTES Kenya to works on the toil that poverty has taken on them and work  
17 to fix this problem for it is a leading factor in the mass corruption;  
18  
19 3) SUGGESTS that all countries should use a firm and strong parliament in order to  
20 demand cooperation of its people and have a government that always remains in  
21 charge, even when problems arise.



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Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Africa

Submitted By: Columbia

1 Appalled by the fact that an estimated 300,000 children in over fifty countries are being torn  
2 from their families and taken from the streets being forced into becoming child soldiers, and  
3

4 Realizing that very few governments and peace treaties recognize the existence of child soldiers  
5 or try to create any provisions for their reintegration into society, and  
6

7 Alarmed that these children are used in war for multiple reasons including suicide missions,  
8 committing atrocities against their own families and neighbors, and fighting on the front lines,  
9 but  
10

11 Noting the adoption of *The Optional Protocol* ratification which tried to stop the use of child  
12 soldiers, and The ILO Convention on the Worst Forms of Child Labor, prohibiting the forced or  
13 compulsory recruitment of children under eighteen,  
14

15 Mindful that many of these children are vulnerable because they are poor, caught in the midst of  
16 combat, and have very little security for their future survival, and will do anything to be  
17 promised food and shelter, and  
18

19 Inspired by the efforts of Child Soldiers International, World Vision, UNICEF, and other  
20 organizations by reaching out to the governments of the many countries with child soldiers to  
21 help establish legal and practical mechanisms to help safeguard children, and  
22

23 1.) Urges governments to become more active in protecting the children of their country  
24 by signing peace treaties in place solely for the purpose of the children;  
25

26 2.) Reiterates the importance of gaining countries support to find and end the use of  
27 child soldiers;  
28

29 3.) Considers the idea of creating a committee to set up safe houses for the poor and  
30 orphaned children at risk of becoming child soldiers;  
31

32 4.) Invites the idea of creating an annual summit to discuss the progress in protecting  
33 children as well as to set new standards and goals for the next year;  
34

35 5.) Suggests actions be made carefully and quickly to end ensure the best care for the  
36 children involved.



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Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Africa

Submitted By: Jordan

1 **Concerned** that a multitude of countries have entered a state of political turmoil that has led into  
2 civil wars, revolutions, and the over throwing of head government officials that have left said  
3 countries in an unstable political state, countries such as Libya have experienced such turmoil,  
4 rebels control parts of the country leaving the country in fragments, and  
5

6 **Noting** countries not experiencing political stability will not be able to continue giving and  
7 receiving imports and exports, and also cause political stress on surrounding countries that must  
8 compensate for problems Egypt has been at civil unrest for over fifteen years and coincidentally  
9 bordering countries of Sudan and Libya, and  
10

11 **Aware** over the last forty years, twenty countries in Africa have experienced civil war shaking  
12 the economical state of such countries and sending many of its people into poverty, but  
13

14 **Conscious** of the Department of Peacekeeping Operations (DPKO) created by the UN, was  
15 established with military, civilian, and police applicants that set out to ensure the security of  
16 civilians in countries experiencing war and help in the stabilization of the nation, but  
17

18 **Inspired** by the United Nations Development Program (UNDP), a department completely  
19 volunteer oriented and operating in over one hundred different countries helping developing  
20 countries by providing resources and assisting countries to build a democratic government that is  
21 fully functional, the Cross-Culture Solutions (CCS) is a local group in Africa that help build  
22 communities out of poverty for seventeen years, and  
23

24 1.) **Urges** member nations to raise awareness of UNDP to citizens and how to contribute  
25 to the difficult task of developing countries that are struggling, and  
26

27 2.) **Supports** the growth of the CCS because it is a new group and it needs support and  
28 resources to become completely effective, since the group is local to the countries  
29 they help personal and direct care can be given, and  
30

31 3.) **Invites** able member nations bordering struggling countries to provide support and  
32 needed resources to help in the development process.





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Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Africa

Submitted By: Ethiopia

1 **NOTING DEEP CONCERN** that new countries need to develop the infrastructure and  
2 government necessary to promote a healthy country beneficial to the world, and

3  
4 **SUPPORTING** The Republic of South Sudan in creating a strong and successful government, a  
5 strong foundation in infrastructure and economy is needed to succeed, and

6  
7 **FULLY ALARMED** that South Sudan is the newest nation in the world and thus needs extra  
8 support to allow a healthy new government to assist in the betterment of the world, plus the fact  
9 that President Kiir dismissed all of his ministers, with the possible intent being to increase his  
10 power, and

11  
12 **TAKING INTO ACCOUNT** that the United Nations has already assisted in South Sudan,  
13 through the UNIMISS, but only in the humanitarian efforts such as the preventing of conflict and  
14 not through assisting with the government and economy which needs significant assistance, the  
15 member nations will not feel substantial economic burdens with helping in South Sudan, and

16  
17 **INSPIRED** by the successful formation of countries such as Kosovo and Montenegro, and the  
18 joint efforts to develop governments in a way beneficial for all parties involved which leads to a  
19 stronger trade relationship which is not only good for South Sudan but also positive results for  
20 others involved, and

- 21  
22 1) **CALLS UPON** member nations to assist in the development of a new nation by  
23 donating funds or getting financial organizations to work with South Sudan to get out  
24 of debt;  
25  
26 2) **EMPHASIZES** the importance of helping South Sudan become the strongest nation  
27 it can possibly be through agricultural trade;  
28  
29 3) **ENCOURAGES** all member nations to help guide South Sudan down the right path  
30 in order to create a successful nation;  
31  
32 4) **SUGGESTS** that the nations send a committee of political and economic advisors to  
33 advise South Sudan during the creation of infrastructure and to assist in creating a  
34 successful trade network in South Sudan.



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Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Africa

Submitted By: Republic Of Tajikistan

1 Expressing deep concern that the Arab Republic of Egypt has fallen into a state of political and  
2 social unrest, and

3  
4 Mindful that Egypt is tied to the economies and political arenas of several nations in North  
5 Africa, the Middle East, and the Muslim world, and

6  
7 Conscious that the current ruling powers in the country have been unable to resolve the issue on  
8 their own over the past two and a half years, and

9  
10 Grieved that this issue has resulted in the harming of multiple foreign diplomats and tourists  
11 having no connection to either side in the conflict, and the institute of a militaristic government,  
12 lead by the Muslim Brotherhood, and

13  
14 Concerned that only violence and more riots have been achieved by the military as they attempt  
15 to push rioters and riot camps out of the cities, and

16  
17 Alarmed that the United Nations has only advised all participating parties to restrain from use of  
18 excessive force, stating only the obvious fact that any who do so can be punished by the  
19 constraints of international law, and

20  
21 Believing that the United Nations should take an active role in this influential and instable  
22 situation to benefit the whole globe, and

23  
24 1.) Suggests that the United Nations form a committee made specifically of experts on  
25 political reformation to aid Egypt through this difficult time period of civil unrest and  
26 unprepared politicians;

27  
28 2.) Urges neighboring nations to help receive refugees fleeing from the violent protests  
29 within the country so that aid can be prepared and not be drawn from emergency  
30 reserves that would drag those neighboring countries into a crisis of their own.



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Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Africa

Submitted By: Sudan

1 ALARMED BY polls that place the number of hungry people worldwide at 870, nearly one  
2 eighth of the world's populace, under the definition of "the exhausted condition caused by lack  
3 of food", and

4  
5 KEEPING IN MIND that the number of undernourished people in developing countries using  
6 the previous of 824 million in 1990-92 has not, as was set to have be achieved, halved by 2015,  
7 and

8  
9 ALSO NOTING that in 2012 that number had increased to 870 million people, a 50 million  
10 increase, even with a the accounted population growth, and

11  
12 DEEPLY CONCERNED that the number of the hungry grew in Africa alone from 175 million to  
13 239 million just between 192 and 2012, and

14  
15 WORRIED that because nearly one in four in sub-Saharan Africa are hungry, the modest  
16 progress achieved in recent years up to 2007 was reversed, with hunger rising little over two  
17 percent per year since then, and

18  
19 NOTING WITH CONCERN that the main reason for hunger in developing countries would be  
20 the lack of money, which leads to a surplus, which leads to unemployment, which leads to  
21 poverty;

- 22  
23 1) STRESSES the need for other member states to support many of these developing  
24 countries;  
25  
26 2) APPLAUDS the member states that already are supporting other nations and  
27 hopes that they continue to provide their support;  
28  
29 3) SUGGESTS that we take more care in placement for food drops and try a less  
30 predictable pattern.  
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Submitted To: 1st Political

Topic: Africa

Submitted By: San Marino

Expressing Deep Concern, about the many problems in Africa today, with over a million people having no home, and being displaced or relocated due to conflict in their community, and

Stressing that hundreds of people are being slaughtered from being around or in the civil war or conflicts, and

Having Reviewed their food crisis, protesting, and high unemployment, these problems are doing their country no good, and

Taking Into Account that the U.N. has tried to help by decolonizing a lot of Africa, creating peace in some areas, and promoting democratic institutions, this does not do a lot to lessen the unrest in Africa today;

- 1.) Support more non-profit groups like ASAP, S4S, etc. to help the African communities become more peaceful and better in their daily life;
- 2.) Urge the people to take a stand against the wars going on around them;
- 3.) Call Upon more South African officials to help with the issue;
- 4.) Draw Attention to certain trouble areas
- 5.) Order more military troops from the U.N. to the conflict to subdue the unrest.



Submitted To: First Political  
Topic: Asia  
Submitted By: United Kingdom

1 Alarmed that China has taken Cambodia under it's wing and that billions of dollars have been funneled  
2 into another communist country for controversial reasons, and  
3

4 Noting with grave concern that Cambodia remained silent in the ASEAN (Association of South East  
5 Asian Nations) Summit last year over the South China Sea dispute after receiving millions of dollars in  
6 pledges, and  
7

8 Mindful that China has donated 9.17 billion dollars between 1994 and 2012, consequently creating  
9 employment for thousands of women in the textile industry, strengthening the Cambodian energy sector,  
10 and allowing Cambodia to build roads and bridges, and  
11

12 Having reviewed the distribution and regulation of the funds received from China, the funds have been  
13 found to actually have exacerbated corruption through the lack of regulation and therefore distribution of  
14 funds meant for the building of Cambodia's infrastructure, and  
15

16 Expressing with deep concern the training of the Royal Cambodian Armed Forces and shipping of  
17 military supplies into Cambodia, including 250 jeeps and trucks and 12 helicopters, and  
18

19 1) Expresses with appreciation that China has helped Cambodia in its time of need by funding  
20 them with billions of dollars and helping build their infrastructure while doing so;  
21

22 2) Invites other countries to follow in China's footsteps by funding countries that cannot create  
23 funds with which to build roads and invest in "green" energy sources;  
24

25 3) Emphasizes that the distribution of wealth from the given funds need to be closely monitored,  
26 as to not exacerbate corruption in countries that already have major problems;  
27

28 4) Recommends a United Nations committee be made to oversee the supplementation of  
29 militaristic vehicles and devices, training of foreign troops, and land used for military purposes;  
30

31 5) Reaffirms that the United Kingdom supports all charity and foreign aid given to other countries  
32 as long as the right amount of supervision is applied to ensure minimal loss of money to political  
33 figures who are corrupt;  
34

35 6) Requests that all nations go through proper steps in the supplementation of another countries  
36 military so that other nations are not alarmed by the possible outbreak of war or other military  
37 action.



Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political  
Topic: Asia  
Submitted By: South Africa

1 Concerned with the deployment of a 27,000 ton "flat-topped destroyer" that is larger  
2 than some aircraft carriers in Britain, Italy, and Spain, and  
3

4 Aware that constructing an aircraft carrier is a breach of Japan's Peace Constitution  
5 (created after the attack on Pearl Harbor and the bombings of Hiroshima and  
6 Nagasaki) that renounces its ability to wage war against other countries and  
7 proclaims Japan's agenda to build an exclusively self-defense military, and  
8

9 Recognizing China's (among other Asian countries) own alarm to the deployment of  
10 'Izumo' and Japan's other expansions of military, and  
11

12 Bearing in mind that Japanese officials, more so the prime minister, stated that the  
13 ship will only be intended to defend Japan and deliver personnel and supplies to  
14 areas affected by natural disasters, such as the devastating earthquake in 2011, and  
15

16 Cognizant that many of the citizens in Japan encouraged and requested the  
17 expansion of the naval and air forces in order to enforce territorial control over  
18 China, who has bought and began operating an aircraft carrier and plan on building  
19 another, and  
20

21 1) Draws attention to the fact that; although the "frigate" is "meant" for the use  
22 of helicopters for Japan's defense, it could easily be used by fighter jets in an  
23 offensive against any number of surrounding countries in Asia and other parts  
24 of the world;  
25

26 2) Instructs the United Nations to set up conferences between China and  
27 Japan to define Japan's true intentions of building the "flat-topped destroyer",  
28 and address Japan's concerns with China buying their own destroyer;  
29

30 3) Recommends the United Nations review Japan's peace agreement and  
31 asses Japan's other military developments to confirm that their Peace  
32 Constitution is being followed accurately and without any breaches of its  
33 clauses or paragraphs;  
34

35 4) Instructs Japan to dismiss any land, air, or sea forces that are being  
36 maintained for any reason other than the defense of Japan and inventory its  
37 military so Japan can continue to flourish while staying within the boundaries  
38 of their Peace Constitution.  
39



Submitted To: First Political  
Topic: Asia  
Submitted By: Luxembourg

1 REALIZING the entire world's current population of 7 billion people is more than double that of the  
2 world's population 50 years ago and continues to increase exponentially, and  
3

4 MINDFUL that over 60 percent of the world's population resides in Asia, and  
5

6 AFFIRMING that many developing nations and nations with the worst housing issues tend to have  
7 the highest populations, and  
8

9 ALARMED that the projected world population in 2050 will be over 9 billion people, most of which  
10 will reside in Asia, and will have to not only be sustained economically, but also keeping living  
11 conditions, the environment, and world peace in mind, and  
12

13 STRESSING that an increasing population will certainly cause increasing world issues concerning  
14 the economy, environment, poverty, conflict, and disease that the world still has not completely dealt  
15 with, and  
16

17 BELIEVING that the worst effects of population growth will hit Asian nations first if they have not  
18 already started feeling the effects, and  
19

20 APPRECIATING all nations, including Asian nations, that realize this pressing global issue and are  
21 trying to ameliorate the current population growth problems at hand;  
22

- 23 1) CALLS UPON nations with exponentially increasing populations to support initiatives  
24 for family planning to help cut down on the average family size;  
25
- 26 2) URGES all nations to keep the environment in mind when dealing with population  
27 growth by encouraging sustainable energy, recycling, and land and water preservation to  
28 their constituents;  
29
- 30 3) CONSIDERS nations to invest in successful development projects, help educate citizens,  
31 manufacture products in a fair manner, and communicate as clearly and transparently as  
32 possible to neighboring nations and the globe to alleviate poverty;  
33
- 34 4) RECOMMENDS all nations to invest in scientific research in vaccinations, antibiotics,  
35 and medical techniques while improving sanitary circumstances and finding ethical ways  
36 to reduce or slow population growth;  
37
- 38 5) DRAWS ATTENTION TO peace projects and their importance to prevent war, save  
39 lives, and promote peace throughout the earth.



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Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Asia

Submitted By: Russia

1 **Concerned** over recent hostilities in Asia between the Buddhist and Muslim population, as  
2 conflict in this area has reached a peak of violence, and

3  
4 **Alarmed** at the large death toll in recent years in countries such as Burma, Myanmar, Sri Lanka,  
5 and Thailand from violence caused by both the Buddhist and Muslim people, as in Thailand,  
6 over 5,000 people have been killed, and in Burma alone, over 12,800 people have been displaced  
7 by the conflicts and many have not been able to return, and

8  
9 **Aware** of radical Buddhist monks, such as Wirathu, who is the leader of 969, a group that  
10 believes Muslims threaten the security and purity of these countries, orate anti-Muslim rhetoric  
11 to rouse people into protest and violence toward the Muslim minority, and that both the Buddhist  
12 and Muslim communities have destroyed housing, businesses, and places of worship, and

13  
14 **Recognizing** that the Dalai Lama has made statements on this issue, saying, "Killing people in  
15 the name of religion is really very sad, unthinkable, very sad," and has asked for all violence to  
16 stop, and

17  
18 **Taking into account** that the United Nations has sent envoys to review the situation and damage  
19 done by the conflict and that the United Nations has urged these countries' governments to,  
20 "address the deep-rooted ethnic and religious prejudices and discrimination fueling tension and  
21 conflict between the Buddhist and Muslim communities," United Nations members have also  
22 called for a review of the 1982 Citizenship Act, which currently allows discrimination and  
23 intolerance in Burma and makes it nearly impossible to become a naturalized citizen, further  
24 reducing acceptance of all inhabitants, and

- 25  
26 1. **Encourages** all members of these troubled nations to increase punishments for  
27 attempted racial cleansing and violence;  
28  
29 2. **Urges** surrounding nations with the means to open up their borders to refugees of the  
30 violence and terror;  
31  
32 3. **Demands** these countries enforce the policy of tolerance toward all religions and to  
33 crack down on any violations of this right, and for these countries to modify  
34 antiquated and unjust laws and acts;  
35  
36 4. **Instructs** members of both the Buddhist and Muslim community to show peace and  
37 tolerance to members of the opposing community.





Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political  
Topic: Asia  
Submitted By: Republic of India

1 **RECOGNIZING** that the trade of any arms from something as small as a pistol to a tank  
2 has caused many nations to become increasingly apprehensive about neighboring states  
3 not controlling their progression of arms, and

4  
5 **TAKING NOTE** that the Arms Trade Treaty mentions that any who sign will regulate  
6 their import and export of any size arms between any nation, and had a total of three  
7 nations to ratify against the treaty, twenty-three to vote abstain, and 154 to vote in favor,  
8 and

9  
10 **BELIEVING** that this treaty was created in order to resolve unstable trade of arms of  
11 any magnitude, and to keep any group of malicious intent from acquiring any size  
12 weaponry or arms, and also grants help to not only trade of arms within the country itself,  
13 but trade between other nations as well, and

14  
15 **BEARING IN MIND** that the trade of arms has been an immense problem in the past  
16 being that it has been the start and also the end of many international and global wars;

- 17  
18 1) **SUPPORTS** any nation that is currently controlling any arms trade  
19 progressing within their own borders and export of arms to other nations;  
20  
21 2) **ENCOURAGES** the construction of a database to track and oversee safely  
22 the inflow and outflow of arms of any magnitude between nations that have  
23 signed the Arms Trade Treaty;  
24  
25 3) **INVITES** other states abstain or against the Arms Trade Treaty to reconsider  
26 their choice and to show more interest towards the safety and security of other  
27 nations or states;  
28  
29 4) **EMPHASIZES** that these nations may or may not be willing to change their  
30 mind in terms to ensure the safety of other states and is not mandatory of them  
31 to change their stance.



Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Asia

Submitted By: Vietnam

1 **RECOGNIZING** that pollution produced from industrial and residential areas in large quantities  
2 have harmful effects on both the environment and the communities located around, and

3  
4 **REALIZING** that according to the United Nations Environmental and Social Commission for  
5 Asia and the Pacific, pollution produced from vehicles, industries, and energy production causes  
6 an estimated 500,000 deaths from outdoor pollution every year in the Asia-Pacific region, and

7  
8 **ALARMED** that according to the UN ESCAP, 1.7 billion people in the Asia-Pacific region still  
9 rely on dung, wood, crop waste, and coal to meet their basic energy needs, which causes 1.6  
10 million deaths due to indoor pollution, and

11  
12 **AWARE** that United Nations officials have called for urgent action regarding the deteriorating  
13 air quality in Eastern Asia, and

14  
15 **BEARING IN MIND** that booming economic areas use methods of power which produce  
16 harmful gases because of their cheap and easy accessibility for use in factories and refineries;

- 17  
18 1) **COMMENDS** all member states who have switched from pollution-creating means  
19 of energy to more efficient methods of power, such as wind power and water power,  
20 increasing air-quality in urbanized areas;  
21  
22 2) **REQUESTS** all nations with worsening air conditions, especially those in the  
23 Southern Asia-Pacific region, to switch from coal-based methods of power, to more  
24 energy efficient, cleaner burning means of power;  
25  
26 3) **CALLS UPON** all nations who have embraced cleaner means of energy to support  
27 member states willing to embrace more competent means of energy.



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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



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Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: North America

Submitted By: Georgia

1 Fully acknowledging the problem of unwanted personnel in one's own country of residence, and

2  
3 Mindful of all the cheap labor provided by said immigrants, as well as other benefits of illegal personnel,  
4 and

5  
6 Taking note of Illegal Immigration having negative economic effects, as an example, similarly skilled  
7 American workers have to choose between taking lower pay or not working in the field at all, and

8  
9 Realizing countries like the United States that are in debt, in which the United States spent 18 million  
10 dollars on enforcing immigration laws and the border in 2012, and

11  
12 Conscious of the reasons behind immigrants wishing to cross the border, such as lack of money,  
13 applicable living conditions, and many other reasons;

- 14  
15 1) Expresses its hope in the United States and all countries being companionate of the needs of  
16 their neighbors to the south, while maintaining their sovereignty and leading themselves away  
17 from accumulation of debt;  
18  
19 2) Draws attention to the benefits of illegal immigration, such as the jobs that need to be done  
20 that people don't want being taken, as well as helping the families that desperately need a  
21 source of income to survive, and the negative effects of illegal immigration such as said jobs  
22 being taken from people who need them as well and the average salary lowering for such jobs  
23 because of immigrants willing to do the jobs for less than the citizens of the country;  
24  
25 3) Recommends that the United States and all countries change its views on immigration, in a  
26 way such as to allow the immigrant to profit as they already are, to have the United States and  
27 all other countries benefit from their immigration, in a way such as making them pay to  
28 come, but at a lower fee than that of someone attempting to sneak them across, and to legalize  
29 them as citizens;  
30  
31 4) Urges the United States and other countries to try to adopt a sense of the whole world as one  
32 people, not as each country with a huge wall between them and the next, while we are all  
33 individual countries, the reason behind the United Nations is to bring about world peace.



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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



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Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Healthcare

Submitted By: Haiti

1 Reminding the delegates of Haiti's over 80% unemployment rate and the devastating earthquake  
2 in 2010,

3  
4 Reaffirming the fact that some disease's in our country are no longer present in developed  
5 countries because of a lack of vaccination,

6  
7 Stressing the large amount of diversity faced living in this country which has no form of  
8 structured healthcare system or large revenue,

9  
10 Noting the continual problems with the government and the problems with money laundering in  
11 the country,

12  
13 1. Encourages other countries to provide help in the form of vaccines and monetary  
14 donations;

15  
16 2. Stresses the need for continual support from large nations around the world in order to  
17 help better the country;

18  
19 3. Calls upon help to establish a just government which could help to establish the country  
20 and let it stand on its own.



Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Americas

Submitted By: The Federal Republic of Germany

1 NOTING WITH GRAVE CONCERN the ongoing conflict in Colombia that began in 1958 and  
2 has now reached an anniversary of fifty-five years of fighting with over 220,000 people dead,  
3 and  
4

5 GREIVED by the fact that more than four in five deaths is that of a civilian who is in no way  
6 involved with the fighting but is still killed by either rebel forces or paramilitary forces, and  
7

8 REALIZING that not only are innocent civilians being killed, but also over a period of nine  
9 years a person was kidnapped every eight hours and at least one person a day has been killed by  
10 the use of land mines, and  
11

12 DEPLORING the paramilitary groups' false statements of its attempts to stop the advancement  
13 of guerilla groups when, in actuality, are only spreading the drug trade and various acts of  
14 terrorism, and  
15

16 ALARMED by the 1,982 massacres that have occurred over the fifty-five years since the conflict  
17 began, half of which have been massacres caused by the paramilitary groups that are opposing  
18 the Colombian government, and  
19

20 APPRECIATING the acts done by members of the United Nations who have supported the  
21 Colombian government in its acts to protect the rights of the Colombian government through  
22 funding, providing troops in Colombia, and other forms of aid;  
23

- 24 1) DIRECTS the United Nations to create a summit where members of all sides can  
25 meet and discuss different methods to eventually stop the fighting and bring peace to  
26 Colombia after fifty-five years;  
27
- 28 2) TAKES NOTE that through ending the conflict in Colombia not only is the conflict  
29 being resolved, but also can result in the reducing of drug trafficking in Colombia  
30 with the disbandment of paramilitary groups;  
31
- 32 3) EMPHASIZES the importance of the United Nations stepping in as a resolution to  
33 this conflict has not been reached since the conflict began fifty-five years ago so that  
34 Colombia can regain peace;  
35
- 36 4) WELCOMES any other nation's idea to resolve the conflict as the issue can only be  
37 solved if all nations work together.



Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Americas

Submitted By: Kuwait

1 **Expressing deep concern** that Mexico is among the most popular child abduction places in the  
2 whole world, with the least effective system of returning these children to their families, and  
3

4 **Alarmed** of the corruption within all of the levels police force in Mexico, often being bribed to  
5 protect criminals or ignore crime altogether, and  
6

7 **Grieved** that Mexico has failed to reform its court systems as requested by the United Nations  
8 Commission on Human Rights from 2002, providing criminals an easy-out by avoiding federal  
9 courts and turning to fraudulent state courts, and  
10

11 **Noting** that many of Mexico's political leaders are sent to jail on a daily basis for reasons such as  
12 embezzling money, collaborating with drug traffickers, and murder, and  
13

14 **Emphasizing** that Mexico is a hot spot in the world for drug trafficking, getting the national  
15 military involved in it and having over 60,000 people being killed since the end of Calderon's  
16 administration, and that Mexico's primary concern is to merely take down the drug cartels  
17 instead of stopping the trafficking of drugs, and  
18

19 **Conscious** that there is an average of 1500 crimes for every 100,000 people in Mexico, who has  
20 a population of 112.3 million, and  
21

- 22 1.) **Applauds** the United States' effort in the Mexican Drug War that has been officially  
23 taking place over the past seven years, and  
24
- 25 2.) **Calls upon** Mexico to focus its efforts in stopping the trafficking of drugs instead of  
26 only concentrating on the drug cartels, and  
27
- 28 3.) **Urges** Mexico City to crack down on government official discipline and to go out of  
29 its way to make sure that the correct person into political offices, and  
30
- 31 4.) **Stresses** the importance of having an uncorrupt police force in order to install an  
32 uncorrupt democracy, and  
33  
34



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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



3/5

Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Americas

Submitted By: Azerbaijan

1 **ALARMED** that violence continues to grow in Central America, with Guatemala having 46  
2 murders per 100,000 people per year, and countries around Guatemala have had violence  
3 increase during the past years, it has doubled in the past decade, passing the rate during their  
4 civil wars, and  
5

6 **CONCERNED** that four of the seven countries in central America are very vulnerable to natural  
7 disasters, without any protection it adds to the malnutrition and poverty problems, and  
8

9 **GRIEVED** with the illness that these countries are very big on drug trade and many organized  
10 crimes, with the drug trade being so big, so is their biggest buyer; the United States buys most of  
11 their cocaine, most of the cocaine produced in the world comes from Columbia, and  
12

13 **AWARE** of the lack of education in any of these countries, the poverty level of these nations has  
14 affected education, and with crime being so high, causing youth gangs, Costa Rica is the only  
15 nation that has tried to educate its people;  
16

17 1.) **ENCOURAGES** other nations to adopt a similar program the same program that  
18 Guatemala has; the International Commission Against Impunity in Guatemala (CICIG),  
19 the CICIG has helped removed corrupted cops and judges, with this program they have  
20 reduced a lot of crime and and  
21

22 2.) **RECOMMENDS** developing countries to help set up protection to help these  
23 countries in need of protection against natural disaster, aid them and help them set up  
24 better structures and  
25

26 3.) **DRAWS ATTENTION TO** the U.S. not having a better lockdown on the drug  
27 trading between Columbia and themselves, and encourages them to send more military  
28 and security officials to block the drug trade and track it down more efficiently, and  
29

30 4.) **DIRECTS** education officials to be sent these countries, and the government of these  
31 nations to make new policies on education and to have a better view on how to educate  
32 their people.  
33



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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



3/6

Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: The Americas

Submitted By: France

1 **AWARE** that Latin America is a crucial geographic area for the production and trafficking of  
2 drugs, and

3  
4 **OBSERVING** that the illicit drug trade is a \$400 Billion a year business that damages millions  
5 of lives annually, and

6  
7 **NOTING** that there exists broad international agreement that illicit drugs are harmful substances  
8 whose use must be heavily regulated, and

9  
10 **DEFINING** drug cartels as groups of individuals that control the production and distribution of  
11 narcotic drugs, and

12  
13 **NOTING** drug cartels often fund terrorists organizations, and

14  
15 **STATING** that organizations like the Interministerial Mission for the Fight against Drugs and  
16 Drug Addiction help prevent the intake of narcotic drugs and can save numerous lives;

17  
18 1) **REQUESTS** that we of the United Nations define and standardize what are illegal  
19 and legal drugs;

20  
21 2) **ENCOURAGES** an international cooperation between law enforcement agencies in  
22 order to better cooperate across their respective borders;

23  
24 3) **URGES** countries in Central America to develop, with help from the United Nations,  
25 services, like the Interministerial Mission for the Fight against Drugs and Drug  
26 Addiction, to help prevent the use and intake of narcotic drugs.  
27





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**Submitted To: Education Problems**

**Topic: Guatemala**

**Submitted By: 1st**

**Date: November 6&7**

1 Alarmed that current state of education remains very underfunded and in many class rooms  
2 nation wide  
3 Confused at why minimum standards for class room space, teaching materials, equipment,  
4 furniture and water and sanitation not being meet while  
5 Noting more than half of population is living below the poverty line and  
6 Emplacing children's interest and well being to come first in any solution discussed and  
7 Feeling that way government decides a percentage of its budget to education activity and  
8 Mindful that this problem is an epidemic in poverty stricken areas as well, the lack of curriculum  
9 guides weakens all the rural schools. With the improvement of government funds a change can  
10 be made.  
11 REQUEST: that all independent organizations outside rural areas come forth immediately to  
12 prevent decline numbers in male and female success rate made in school as well as funding to  
13 enhance system;  
14 URGES: a radical change in educational levels, which for a long term plan starting with  
15 management of school and school funds and;  
16 IN SINCER HOPE: one day to reverse the performance in rural areas schools as well to meet the  
17 curriculum requirements as needed the government funding and school mangentment must make  
18 a change.



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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



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Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Middle East

Submitted By: Democratic Republic of the Congo

1 Appreciating the recent efforts of the Turkish Government to introduce new laws to increase the  
2 rights of its Kurdish citizens to introduce limited education of the Kurdish Language and  
3 repealing of the ban on headscarf wearing in public, and

4  
5 Considering that in the recent decades, the Kurds have been persecuted by different Middle  
6 Eastern nations, this is a major olive branch in the Middle-East, and

7  
8 Mindful though of the fact that the Turkish government has not agreed so far to fulfill all of the  
9 demands that the Kurdistan Worker's Party have given to the government, further talks are being  
10 proposed and there has been discussions between the party and the Turkish Secret Service, and

11  
12 Having considered the issue at hand, support should be given to the Kurdish People in this  
13 matter, the ceasefire that has been called has ended thirty years of violence, in which more than  
14 forty-thousand people have lost their lives;

- 15  
16 1) Applauds the Turkish Government and the KPP to cease warfare that has been going  
17 on for three decades, and the idea of increasing the rights of a persecuted minority;  
18  
19 2) Supports the increasing of rights of the Kurdish people living in Turkey and an end to  
20 the persecutions of the Kurds throughout the Middle East;  
21  
22 3) Emphasizes the need of peace and understanding among different ethnic groups and  
23 peoples of the Middle East in a time of turbulence and disorderly conflicts.



Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> political

Topic: Middle East

Submitted By: Syria

1 **OBSERVING** the chemical attacks that took place on august 21st in the agricultural belt outside of  
2 Damascus not only affected Syrian citizens but also Assad regime government officials, proving that this  
3 attack was not carried out by the Assad regime and that blame is being pushed on them to provoke  
4 military intervention, and  
5

6 **RECOGNIZING** that the Syrian civil war has been going on for two years now between the current  
7 Assad regime and the rebel fighters has resulted in 100,000 deaths, This conflict has received a lot of  
8 attention from the international community and they are trying to enter a conflict they have no business  
9 in, and  
10

11 **TAKING IN ACCOUNT** that the rebels are being covertly supplied by the United States and their allies  
12 but also that they are aware that they are losing this war makes them open to irrational decisions making it  
13 very likely that the attacks were carried out by the rebels to curve their chance at winning and provoke  
14 intervention from the international community, and  
15

16 **REALIZING** that Syria does have a stock of chemical weapons the regime would never use them against  
17 their own people inside the limits of Syria, and seeing that the United States has ordered the regime to  
18 turn over their chemical weapons is hypocritical since Israel which is supported by the United States has  
19 allegations of nuclear weapons but has received any pressure to turn them over or provide evidence of not  
20 possessing these weapons, and  
21

22 **UNDERSTANDING** that from the United Nations (UN) report analysis of the chemicals used in Syria  
23 they concluded it was sarin nerve gas, sarin gas is commonly referred to as a "kitchen gas" because any  
24 person who desires it can make it at home making it possible for the rebels or terrorist to create this gas  
25 with ease and use it for their benefit, also realizing that the rebels are supported and backed by other  
26 countries they could receive this gas from them if the country has it and is willing to give it to the rebels;  
27

28 1) **PROPOSES** that the United States and their allies cease the constant threat of air strikes and  
29 clear Assad of all accusations of war crimes in return for the disbarment of all chemical weapons  
30 Syria possesses;  
31

32 2) **DEMANDS** that the United States and their allies present their evidence to the United Nations  
33 (UN) of the Assad regime being the perpetrator behind the august 21st chemical attacks or cease  
34 these allegations at once;

35 3) **REQUEST** that the United States cease supplying the Syrian opposition with weapons and  
36 other military supplies due to the fact that the Syrian opposition is occupied with terrorist,  
37 extremist, and jihads that could be the true group responsible for these chemical attacks in Syria;  
38

39 4) **PROMISES** rebuilding contracts for any broken infrastructure or damaged property from the  
40 civil war to any country willing to support Assad's regime  
41



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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



4/3

Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Middle East

Submitted By: Brazil

1 COGNIZANT of the stalemate reached by Israel and Palestine concerning the lack of headway  
2 towards peace between the two regions, and  
3

4 AWARE of Israel's occupation of Palestine, which in turn has halted the progress towards peace  
5 because of Israel's illegal expansion and construction of settlements in the Palestinian territory  
6 occupied by the Israelis, and  
7

8 ALARMED by Israel's abusive detention and interrogation of nearly 5,000 Palestinians,  
9 including over 200 children who are kidnapped and bound in the middle of the night for said  
10 interrogations and detentions, and  
11

12 TAKING NOTE of Israel's restrictions on travel and land use to Palestinians, which both  
13 disrupts the lives of Palestinians wanting to travel between the territories of Gaza and the West  
14 Bank and hampers the agricultural developments of the region, and  
15

16 NOTING WITH GRAVE CONCERN the violent incidents occurring in the West Bank territory,  
17 such as the recent abduction and murder of an off-duty Israeli soldier by a Palestinian, that could  
18 deeply harm the long journey for peace, and  
19

20 EMPHASIZING the dire need for a two-state solution between the regions;  
21

- 22 1) URGES the two regions to cease violence and enmity towards each other to facilitate  
23 the execution of a much needed two-state solution;  
24
- 25 2) REQUESTS that the restrictions put upon the Palestinians be reduced to deter civil  
26 unrest and boost agricultural economy;  
27
- 28 3) IMPLORES the United Nations to send aid to the Palestinian territories of Gaza and  
29 the West Bank to meet the humanitarian needs of the Palestinians.



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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



4/4

Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Middle East

Submitted By: Morocco

1 RECALLING that the Syrian Crisis has gone on since 15 March 2011 and has yet to stop, and

2  
3 CONCERNED that as of June 2013, the death toll surpassed 100,000 and rising, and

4  
5 STRESSING that tens of thousands of protestors have been imprisoned and there are reports of  
6 widespread terror in state prisons, and

7  
8 RECALLING that all of this began when Assad began launching large-scale military operations  
9 against resistive towns which involved the use of tanks, infantry carriers, and artillery, and

10  
11 BEARING IN MIND that the conflict is asymmetrical, with clashes taking place in many towns  
12 and cities around the country, and

13  
14 NOTING WITH GRAVE CONCERN that the Syrian government in fact holds illegal chemical  
15 weapons, and

16  
17 APPRECIATING that even though Russia is a close allies with Syria, Russia has reached a deal  
18 with Syria on how Assad should retire his chemical weapons, and

19  
20 NOTING WITH REGRET that the Hezbollah, a terrorist organization, has supplied Assad over  
21 3,000 fighters, and

22  
23 TAKING IN ACCOUNT that the Hezbollah fighters have helped Assad retain control of some  
24 strategically located villages in Syria,:

- 25  
26 1) REQUESTS support from Security Council to surround Syria and make sure nothing  
27 goes in or out without approval;  
28  
29 2) CALLS UPON Middle Eastern countries to set up well guarded bases for refugees in  
30 need;  
31  
32 3) URGES Syria's allies to help Assad get rid of his chemical weapons all together:  
33  
34 4) RECOMENDS Middle Eastern countries watch out for terrorist organizations such  
35 as the Hezbollah, Al Qaeda, and the Taliban.  
36



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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



4/5

Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Syria

Submitted By: Turkey

1 EMPHASIZING the fact that for the world to be more united, common systems of government  
2 must be used throughout all countries, and  
3

4 TAKING NOTE OF Syria's government as the reason why rebellion has arose extremely fast  
5 and that an inclined amount of civilians are suffering and dying from Syria's governments' lack  
6 of stability, and  
7

8 DECLARES that Syria needs to incorporate a parliament democratic government so that they  
9 may have better control and cooperation of their people, and  
10

11 (1) REQUESTS Syria change their government all together and stop acting that a  
12 controlling military form of dictatorship;  
13

14 (2) NOTES Syria change their terrorist ways and become a more civilized  
15 government to better suit their people's needs;  
16

17 (3) FURTHER INVITES all countries to act in this way so that a government can run  
18 more efficiently and laws are decided by all with the higher percentage of support  
19 of the government by the people.



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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



4/6

Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Middle East

Submitted By: Lebanon

1 **Alarmed** there has been conflict in Syria for the last two and a half years, starting in March of  
2 2011, the civil war in Syria is between its current government and rebel groups trying to take  
3 Bashar al-Assad, the Syrian President, out of power and both sides are only using force, and  
4

5 **Noting** the corrupt government and failing economy and how the GDP fell between 50% and  
6 80% in 2012, also there were many promises that President Assad told his people such as, reform  
7 Syria's socialist economy and ease political repression, but never took action on these, and  
8

9 **Expressing deep concern** for the way that Assad is allowing his people to be treated by his  
10 military regime because they are being mistreated in unimaginable ways such as torture, rape,  
11 execution without due process, hostage taking and being the lab rats for chemical weapons, and  
12

13 **Recognizing** that there are many groups trying to overthrow President Assad's government, but  
14 one of the main political foes is the Syrian National Council, and when Assad loses his power as  
15 President, there are still rebel groups wanting to become the one in power, and that is also what  
16 the Free Syrian Army and the National Coordiance Committee are trying to do, also realizing  
17 some groups like the Military regime and the Hezbollah terrorist group want the Assad's current  
18 government to stay how it is now, but  
19

20 **Concerned** that there are so many neighboring countries overflowing with Syrian refugees  
21 seeking a safe and stable environment to live in for the time being, and  
22

23 **Having considered** this the U.N. Human Rights Council in 2011, was authorized to investigate  
24 and record all the violation of human rights law inflicted by the Syrian government, and  
25

26 **Recalling** the U.N. and Humanitarian partners issued an appeal in March 2012 for US \$84  
27 million to support Syrian refugees, and  
28

29 1.) **Stresses** to weigh the benefits of working towards a more political resolution and  
30 putting an end to the fighting;  
31

32 2.) **Suggest** a volunteer committee to help the refugees in other states that are receiving  
33 lack of resources;  
34

35 3.) **Recommend** this committee remain open ended on a final political solution  
36 depending on Syrian government cooperation with the U.N. regarding acts of force  
37 and relinquishing control of chemical stockpile.



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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



4/7

Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Middle East

Submitted By: Bangladesh

1 Alarmed by the evidence that Syria has used chemical weapons against their own citizens in the  
2 attack in Damascus which killed more than fourteen hundred people, including children, and  
3

4 Grieved by the fact that over one hundred thousand people have died in the Syrian Civil War  
5 since it started on March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2011, and millions, including more than one million children, have  
6 been displaced from their homes and forced to take shelter in refugee camps in the surrounding  
7 countries of Iraq, Jordan, Lebanon, and Turkey, and  
8

9 Deeply concerned that the Syrian Civil War has affected its neighboring countries, especially  
10 Lebanon, by having bombings and deaths connected directly with the Syrian War, including the  
11 twin bombings on August 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2013 in Tripoli, Lebanon that caused extensive damage and  
12 injured and killed people, and  
13

- 14 1) Requests that the Syrian government agrees to a proposal to give their chemical  
15 weapons to United Nations for proper disposal, and that the Syrian government will  
16 allow the United Nations to monitor their weapon production and dispersal of the  
17 afore mentioned weapons;  
18
- 19 2) Urges the neighboring countries of Turkey, Lebanon, Iraq, and Jordan to set up more  
20 useful and needed refugee camps for the citizens of Syria that have had to flee their  
21 homes because of the violence happening, and if need be, ask for help from other  
22 countries around the world that would be willing to send supplies and help that would  
23 be needed to make the transition from Syria to the neighboring countries easier on all  
24 the citizens of Syria that have been displaced from their homes;  
25
- 26 3) Encourages the governments of the neighboring countries of Syria to not declare their  
27 opinions on the war as to not invite attacks on their own country, and monitor borders  
28 carefully to make sure that weapons are not being sold and transported from your  
29 country into Syria making violence increase in both countries, and governments  
30 should monitor known violent groups that would be willing to fight for one side in the  
31 Syrian Civil War and would be likely to spill blood in your country.





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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



4/18

Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Middle East

Submitted By: China

1 **ALARMED BY** the number of casualties caused by the daily riots in the Egyptian country, and

2  
3 **CONCERNED** that since the most recent conflict began, at least 900 unnecessary deaths have been  
4 recorded, and

5  
6 **DEEPLY CONCERNED** for the 3,500 injured innocent civilians in Egypt, and

7  
8 **EXPECTING** that many more civilians will be injured, if not killed, before the conflict is over if  
9 action is not taken, and

10  
11 **CONCERNED** that political/public relations are getting violent as a result of high unemployment,  
12 government corruption, and lack of safety and stability, and

13  
14 **CONFIDENT** that a resolution can be reached while avoiding violence altogether, and

15  
16 **GREIVED** children are being used as symbolic witnesses and subjected to violence, and

17  
18 **APPRECIATING** the efforts being put forth by Bernardino Leon, the ambassador from the  
19 European Union envoy, to bring about peace in the Egyptian state;

- 20  
21 1) **URGES** the Egyptian armed forces to respect the rights and responsibilities given by the  
22 Universal Declaration of Human Rights;  
23  
24 2) **APPROVES** the action taken by the Egyptian people took to bring about change in their  
25 government leadership;  
26  
27 3) **APPLAUDS** the precautions taken by the Egyptian government takes to protect visitors  
28 and foreign diplomats;  
29  
30 4) **STRESSES** the importance of mediation in order to bring about a peaceful resolution to  
31 the Egyptian state in order to promote peace and prosperity.  
32  
33 5) **CALLS UPON** the Egyptian government officials and citizens to solve the conflict  
34 peacefully;  
35  
36 6) **SUPPORTS** the talks being initiated by the high-ranking Egyptian officials to find a  
37 peaceful solution to this problem;  
38  
39 7) **EMPHASIZES** the belief that progress can be made to bring a lasting political solution  
40 to the problem in the hope that a state of peace and stability will be reached.  
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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



4/9

Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Middle East

Submitted By: Canada

1 NOTING the long standing conflict between the two nations Palestine and Israel, and

2  
3 LONGING for a lasting agreement between Palestine and Israel that continue to be a struggle  
4 for the region, and

5  
6 CONFIRMING that al nations will cooperate with any solution or peace agreement composed  
7 to bring the two countries to an end to this long conflict, and

8  
9 AWARE that if peace is restored in the region military and political issues will be brought to an  
10 end, and

11  
12 TAKING NOTE that if any solution or peace agreement is made, it be made through  
13 negotiations, and

14  
15 ENCOURAGES neighboring or allied countries to participate in any peace agreement or  
16 solution that leads to an end between these two countries;

- 17  
18  
19 1) CALLS UPON Israel and Palestine to came together and work through negotiations  
20 to develop a peace agreement;  
21  
22 2) REQUESTS that member states contribute monetary resources to help the nations  
23 develop there economies;  
24  
25 3) CALLS for an immediate cease fire between Palestine and Israel to reopen  
26 possible negotiations with the long term hope of bringing of peace and stability to the  
27 region;  
28  
29 4) SUGGESTS that member states take steps to help disarm rebel terrorist groups in  
30 the region;  
31  
32 5) REQUIRES that broader security be increase along the West Bank and the Gaza  
33 Strip so the cease fire is kept between the two countries;  
34  
35 6) RECOMENDS that Islamic and Arabic leaders help the two countries into to  
36 talking into negotiations;



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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



4/10

Submitted To: First Political  
Topic: The Middle East  
Submitted By: Israel

1 REALIZING that more than 10,000 Palestinians and Israelis have been killed in the on-  
2 going conflict with Israeli, roughly one fifth being under the age of eighteen, and  
3

4 NOTICING that this conflict has been active for almost one-hundred years without long-  
5 term ceasefire, and  
6

7 STRESSING the dramatic increase of casualties since the year 2000, when fighting  
8 escalated, and  
9

10 EMPHASIZING that out of the ten-thousand people killed, the number of casualties from  
11 both sides adds up to approximately 5000 people, over half of the total casualties being  
12 civilians, and  
13

14 NOTING that both Shimon Peres, the current leader of Israel and Mahmoud Abbas, the  
15 current leader of Palestine, have shown progression towards active peace talks;  
16

- 17 1. SUGGESTS allies of both Israel and Palestine to persuade them toward initiating  
18 a peace talk between the two;  
19
- 20 2. ENCOURAGES allies of both Israel and Palestine to help in suggesting the  
21 notion of a ceasefire, and act as a moderator of the two;  
22
- 23 3. APPLAUDS peace-seeking nations that are persuading these nations to end the  
24 war on peaceful terms.



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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



4/11

Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political  
Topic: Middle East  
Submitted By: United Arab Emirates

1 EMPHASIZING the fact that there are many nations in the Middle East that are having a  
2 civil war resulting from both religion and political differences, and

3  
4 NOTING WITH DEEP CONCERN that between 83,260-110,370 people have died in the  
5 Syrian war and 638 in the Egyptian war, not including the civil wars in Libya, Iraq,  
6 Bahrain, Afghanistan, Pakistan, Syria, Jordan, and Yemen, and

7  
8 EMPHASIZING that with respect to the Middle East, the UAE believes that peace and  
9 stability cannot be achieved without resolving the Arab-Israeli conflict, and

10  
11 STRESSING that the UAE is mindful of its neighbors and the international community  
12 with regard to regional peace, stability, and security;

13  
14 1) CONFIRMS that in order to achieve these goals, it has a purposefully  
15 promoted bridges, partnership and dialogue, and has emphasized moderation,  
16 tolerance and respect for all people and religions;

17  
18 2) URGES people to bring lasting peace by destroying the will to fight and by  
19 removing the motives and opportunities for further violence;

20  
21 3) DIRECTS people to discuss the differences in a non-harmful way and to come  
22 together to draft and sign a treaty.



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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



4/12

Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Middle East

Submitted By: South Korea

1 REITERATING that since March 2011, Innocent Syrian citizens' human rights have been  
2 robbed due to the fight between the Syrian government and opposing groups to oust current  
3 President Bashar Al-Assad has killed over 100,000 people, more than 2 million refugees have  
4 fled to neighboring countries (half of those children) 4 million internally displaced, 6.8 million  
5 Syrians in need of urgent humanitarian assistance, half of whom are children, and  
6

7 RECALLING that UN peace monitors were sent to Syria in April 2012 as part of a peace plan,  
8 but were asked to leave due to increased dangerous protests and attacks between Sunni Rebels  
9 and Assad's Alawites, and  
10

11 BEARING IN MIND that there has been preparation of a meeting between representatives of  
12 Syrian parties as well as senior United States, Russian, and UN officials to create a political  
13 solution for the Syrian Crisis, but recent course of action was changed due to Assad's alleged use  
14 of chemical weapons on Syrian citizens outside of Damascus, the Syrian capital, on August 21<sup>st</sup>  
15 which violates the international law of warfare instituted at the 1925 Geneva Convention, and  
16

17 AFFIRMING that samples taken by the UN chemical weapons inspection team and were  
18 analyzed when Secretary General Ban-Ki Moon later announced on the sixteenth of September  
19 that chemical weapons were indeed used, and that Assad agreed to turn his remaining chemical  
20 weapons over to international control;  
21

22 1) EXPRESSES THE HOPE for UN representatives to continue working with the Syrian  
23 government for the approval of field operations and visas for humanitarian aid workers so  
24 they may peacefully continue relief operations in Syria with the help of NGO's and  
25 community organizations;  
26

27 2) URGES that support increases for the United Nations Children Fund (UNICEF) to  
28 provide children of Syria with basic human rights that are being ignored which include  
29 access to vaccinations, safe drinking water, shelter, and an education;  
30

31 3) CALLS UPON senior representatives of the Syrian government, Syrian rebels, and UN  
32 officials meet frequently to take steps toward the creation of a political solution to the  
33 Syrian civil war to inflict as little death as possible and promote humanitarian rights for  
34 the nation of Syria.



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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



4/13

Submitted To: First Political

Topic: Middle East

Submitted By: Kazakhstan

1 STRESSING how the president of Syria, Assad, has a flawed regimen which breaks the code of  
2 basic human rights, and

3  
4 NOTING how Assad's regimen has allowed both himself and people within the government to  
5 torture citizens of Syria, and

6  
7 EMPHASIZING the fact that chemical warfare is unjust and inhumane and should be  
8 condemned if done by any country, and

9  
10 RECALLING times when chemical weapons were legal and how they have, and still are  
11 affecting the country of Kazakhstan and its' citizens, and

12  
13 REITERATING how chemical warfare was banned long ago by the means of the Chemical  
14 Weapons Convention (CWC) and

15  
16 REMINDING how chemical weapons should have been destroyed long ago, and how Syria had  
17 agreed to this convention but has failed to carry out its function by its' government using  
18 chemical warfare against their own countries' citizens;

19  
20 1) ENCOURAGES countries willing and within the convention to form a committee to  
21 aid Syria;

22  
23 2) STRESSES that some action be taken against Syria, specifically the governing  
24 houses, to prevent the use of chemical warfare and acts of inhumanity from occurring  
25 again not only because of the brutality of it, but also the fact that in participating in  
26 the use of chemical warfare, Syria broke an international law;

27  
28 3) REQUESTS that the laws of the convention be reiterated to all countries so that they  
29 be reminded of what they should not do involving chemical warfare;

30  
31 4) DRAWS ATTENTION TO how brutal and inhumane this act in Syria was and how it  
32 should not be forgotten;

33  
34 5) DECLARES that help be sent to the people of Syria from the countries within the  
35 committee for any mental, emotional, or physical damages caused by acts of their  
36 own government which mostly unavoidable to them.  
37



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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



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Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political  
Topic: Middle East  
Submitted By: Monaco

1 Believing the Syrian military to have one thousand tonnes of chemical agents and  
2 precursor materials, and

3  
4 Alarmed that three thousand six hundred patients received neurotoxic symptoms, and

5  
6 Condemning the widespread violations of human rights by the Syrian authorities, as well  
7 as any human rights abuses by armed groups, and

8  
9 Recalling that those responsible shall be held accountable, but

10  
11 Expressing its appreciation of the significant efforts that have been made by  
12 the States bordering Syria to assist Syrians who have fled across Syria's borders as a  
13 consequence of the violence, and

14  
15 Noting with regret some of these issues are still not dealt with completely and effectively;

- 16  
17 1) Calls upon bringing an immediate end to all violence and human rights  
18 violations, securing humanitarian access and facilitating a Syrian-led political  
19 transition leading to a democratic, plural political system, in which citizens are  
20 equal regardless of their affiliations, ethnicities or beliefs, including through  
21 commencing a comprehensive political dialogue between the Syrian government  
22 and the whole spectrum of the Syrian opposition;
- 23  
24 2) Declares Syria to withdraw troops and heavy weapons back to their barracks;
- 25  
26 3) Calls upon all parties in Syria, including the opposition, immediately to  
27 cease all armed violence in all its forms;
- 28  
29 4) Calls upon the Syrian armed opposition groups and relevant elements to  
30 respect relevant provisions;
- 31  
32 5) Decides to have a United Nations Supervision period for 60 days or more if issue  
33 is not resolved.  
34

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# **MODEL UNITED NATIONS**

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**Submitted To: 1st Political**

**Topic: Labor Laws**

**Submitted By: Qatar**

1. Reminding the delegates of Qatar's Law 14 of 2004 and the lack of enforcement of this law,
- 2.
3. Reaffirming the lack of these problems in bigger, more developed countries due to stronger
4. enforcement and watch,
- 5.
6. Stressing the 1.2 million migrant workers, many from human trafficking, now and the rapid increase
7. to that number due to the hosting of the 2020 World Cup
- 8.
9. Noting of the lack of human rights and power against government,
- 10.
11. 1. Encourages other countries to stop all human trafficking;
- 12.
13. 2. Stresses the need for support from other larger countries in order to help better the
14. country;
- 15.
16. 3. Calls upon stricter labor laws to migrant workers and halting of human trafficking
17. into the 17. country to help the country manage money easier.





Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political

Topic: Europe

Submitted By: Greece

1 **CONSIDERING** that seventeen of Europe's countries use the Euro as their source of currency,  
2 and

3  
4 **REALIZING** that the effects that one nation's debt could have upon the sixteen other countries  
5 that use the Euro, and

6  
7 **EMPHASIZING** the effect being deflation, banks collapsing, and consumer prices rising in the  
8 Euro region with thousands of businesses needing protection from bankruptcy and millions  
9 without jobs and also the collapse of the Euro, and

10  
11 **SEEING** that there has been little done to prevent this crisis from happening, and

12  
13 **NOTING** that what has been done is not allowing the Euro countries to default for fear of  
14 contagion, (a domino effect where banks in other countries and nations default due to another  
15 nation or bank defaulting), and

16  
17 **UNDERSTANDING** the lasting effect that the collapse of the Euro poses to the world is the  
18 collapse of seventeen different country's economies collapsing, and

19  
20 **RECOGNIZING** that the collapse of the Euro not only affects those countries that lie within the  
21 Euro zone but also every other country in the world who relies upon trade with these countries,  
22 its seems apparent that this crisis be solved;

23  
24 1. **SUGGESTS** that trade with the countries in the Euro zone increase to help stimulate  
25 the economy further;

26  
27 2. **INVITES** all countries that are currently using the Euro to get rid of the Euro because  
28 of the negative effect that it will have upon the economy in the Euro zone;

29  
30 3. **RECOMMENDS** the countries in the Euro zone ease into their old, new, or existing  
31 currency and out of the Euro so that they have a currency that will sustain the country  
32 after they remove the Euro.  
33



Submitted To: 1<sup>st</sup> Political  
Topic: Antarctica  
Submitted By: United States of America

1 **ALARMED** by the increased melting of the polar ice caps and the sovereignty issues that  
2 loom with the resources and the five circumpolar nations (Russia, Canada, Norway,  
3 Denmark, and the United States of America) surrounding the area, and  
4

5 **EXPRESSING** concern that the sovereignty issues will cause turmoil amongst the five  
6 bordering countries of this region putting resources up for grabs in the area, and  
7

8 **RECALLING** that The Law of Sea Convention, established by the UN, gave grants to  
9 certain areas of the Arctic sea floor to the five circumpolar countries, and  
10

11 **NOTING WITH DEEP CONCERN** that when The Law of Sea Convention took place  
12 was during the 1980's and that was before there were any access to resources and the  
13 pole was still frozen at the time.  
14

15 **EMPHASISING** the need for a new set of borders drawn for the five circumpolar  
16 regions and the division of all the resources in the area amongst the five countries, and  
17

- 18 1) **REITERATES** the need for a new set of borders to keep sovereignty amongst the  
19 five circumpolar nations  
20  
21 2) **CALLS UPON** the First Political Committee to look over the situation in the  
22 north pole and to make different borders from the Law of Sea Convention in  
23 broken up committee's;  
24  
25 3) **STRESSES** the importance of the cooperation of the five circumpolar nations to  
26 keep the area sovereign.



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# MODEL UNITED NATIONS



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Submitted To: First Political  
Topic: Antarctic Reformation  
Submitted By: Andorra  
November 5, 2013

1 **HAVING REVIEWED** the Antarctic Treaty, which entitles seven countries to three-fourths of  
2 its continent as to establish research stations, and

3  
4 **CONCERNED** about the depletion of the ozone shield, which encourages emission of  
5 chlorofluorocarbons or CFCs in the atmosphere, depleting its imperative purpose to absorb  
6 ultraviolet radiation that can be fatal to living organisms, and

7  
8 **EMPHASIZING** that the Antarctic Treaty's main job is protecting the arctic ecozone, which in  
9 turn, prohibits any kind of military activities, mineral mining, nuclear activity as well as  
10 supporting further scientific research, and

11  
12 **CONSIDERING** a plan that may allow Antarctic research stations to conduct further research on  
13 Antarctica to ensure a possible solution to reduce the chance of Global Warming;

- 14  
15  
16 1. **APPLAUDS** the creation of the Antarctic Treaty Consultative Meetings, which  
17 is meant to extend upon the Antarctic Conservation Act, which is to penalize  
18 unauthorized entry and/or activity 60 to 90 degrees in Southern Longitude;  
19  
20 2. **REALIZES** that the continental ice is melting due to to the numerous  
21 environmental warnings, which includes but not limited to: Greenhouse heat  
22 (which accelerates the warmth in the atmosphere), severe living conditions (which  
23 in turn, leads to isolation), and the ultraviolet rays DNA of Arctic sea life;  
24  
25 3. **REGRETS** the current issue regarding unregulated fishing of the Chilean sea  
26 bass (which may undergo extinction), along with the current environmental  
27 dangers;  
28  
29 4. **REQUESTS** the United Nations and the Convention on the Conservation of  
30 Antarctic Marine Living Resources (CCAMLR) to look over the policies of the  
31 Antarctic Treaty.  
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