

## **United Nations Food and Agricultural Organization**

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**Topic:** Malnutrition

The UN Food and Agricultural Organization, reminding all nations of Article 25 of the Declaration of Human Rights,

Affirming that many citizens in developed countries are unaware of the full extent and impact of malnutrition in developing countries,

Recognizing that many people in developing countries who are already affected by malnutrition do not know that they can receive aid and they do not know where they can request it,

Observing the amount of waste farmers end up with,

Contemplating how little adults/children know about proper nutrition,

Taking into account that many people have an insufficent amount of money to buy safe and nutritious food;

Alarmed by the fact that 805 million people in the world do not have enough food and that 3.1 million children die from starvation each year,

- 1. *Encourages* the financial support of NGO's and the governments, to support the people who lack proper nutrition;
- 2. Calls upon member states, including developing and developed countries, to:
  - a. inform their citizens about where and how they can combat malnutrition through
    - *i.* posters, campaigns, advertisements and other similar methods;
    - ii. well known and influential people promoting awareness

- b. provide physical examinations and advice on how to care for themselves;
- 3. *Requests* the construction of wells where ever possible to provide fresh water in undeveloped countries;
- 4. *Encourages* setting up lessons in all schools to teach children about how charities can help those with diseases, proper nutrition and how to familiarize children with charity work;
- 5. Further invites schools to provide free lunch or mid-day meals for children;
- 6. Recommends creation of community kitchens in rural areas;
- 7. *Supports* educating farmers about efficient and modern agricultural practices by giving free training courses;
- 8. *Encourages* the introduction of food stamps provided by the member states to the poor that can be availed for free meals and drinking water;
- 9. *Recommends* the creation of training centres (focus groups) which provide direct support to member states regarding nutrition;
- 10. *Calls upon* member states to provide medical care for pregnant women and their infants for the first 1000 days;
- 11. Calls for further research into the issue of malnutrition.