

## **United Nations Environment Programme**

**Topic:** Access to Sanitation

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Unclean water and poor hygiene is responsible for 88% of childhood deaths and causes an estimated number of 3,000 deaths per day. Most children in under-privileged countries die in the first 10 years of their life. Most people have no idea how important sanitation is to our daily life. Every human deserves the right to have access to clean water and waste disposal facilities,

Noting that not all humans have access to this right,

Observing that the United Nations Environmental Program is trying to solve this issue,

Accepting the fact that this issue will take a while to solve,

<u>Requesting</u> that NGOs and other organizations take this into consideration since we are using recyclable materials that would right now be in a landfill.

- 1. Calls upon wealthy and developed countries to donate and support this cause by helping us raise \$35 billion;
- 2. Encourages the formation of an infrastructure bank to help under-developed nations;
- 3. Educates citizens to practice safe feces disposal and hygiene;
- 4. Uses recyclable materials to create toilets;
- 5. Creates pit latrines out of reusable and recyclable items;
- 6. Makes water systems out of recycled materials;
- 7. Improves people's sanitary lives in public areas;
- 8. Lowers cost ways of purifying water; and
- 9. Supports other organizations trying to achieve the same goals we have.