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Topic: "Eradication of poverty and other development issues"

The General Assembly,

Ensuring that all citizens have equal opportunities and rights,

Increasing the United Nation's budget towards eliminating poverty,

Noting the importance of job opportunities in less developed countries in order to continue the growth of its economic power,

Deeply concerned that countries with ongoing conflicts and corrupt governments do not have consideration for citizens suffering from poverty,

- 1. Hopes for equality in all countries, respectful of religion and beliefs;
- 2. Recommends and encourages the member states to promote gender equality in all countries and ensures that citizens have equal rights of employment and education;
- 3. Further recommends the implementation of higher educational programmes in developing countries with the purpose of creating more job opportunities for future generations;
- 4. Requests of member states that all hospitals are fully equipped for 24 hour service with proper medical supplies;
- 5. Encourages governments to establish a minimum wage in all countries by law;
- 6. Requests of member states that all citizens have access to clean water and sanitation by building water wells and pumps in areas of need;
- 7. Expresses the importance of establishing camps to provide shelters for citizens that do not have access to safe houses;
- 8. Encourages governments to distribute nutritional, non-perishable food to citizens in areas of need;
- 9. Promotes the sale or rental of land that is not in use in developing countries to large enterprises at competitive prices and with low taxes (with conditions, e.g. environmentally responsible), this will promote investment and should then lead to the setting up of new factories that will then be a much needed source of employment;
- 10. Further encourages countries to buy and sell local goods instead of importing them;
- 11. Suggests the installation of renewable energy plants suitable to each member state's characteristics to provide electricity for places that lack power, increasing the job opportunities for local citizens; and
- 12. Calls upon the UNO to increase the implementation of peacekeeping forces into regions of conflict in order to protect civilians who suffer from poverty.