



## Resolution Human Rights Council/I.1

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### Topic: Adequate Housing

Acknowledging the lack of support towards the implementation of accessible and sustainable adequate housing in impoverished areas,

Deeply alarmed by the rapidly increasing amount and severity of natural disasters as well as the negative effects it has on the people and the environment,

Concerned by the population increase in comparison to the housing availability,

Fully aware of the displacement of individuals caused by armed conflicts,

Noting with deep concern that more than 1.8 billion people live in inadequate housing, such as slums or pop-up type shelters,

Realizing that many governments don't provide sufficient financial support to individuals regarding housing,

Keeping in mind the various circumstances of individual countries,

### Aiding Communities in Turmoil

1. Calls upon member states to enforce building standards, including stopping construction in disaster prone areas;

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2. Recommends that for every tree used for a new home multiple are planted in its place;
3. Condemns the targeting of innocent civilians living in war zones and instead assist in evacuating them to safe environments;
4. Further requests that all countries stop using non eco-friendly products and implores them to do the opposite;
5. Emphasizes the need for adequate, accessible, and affordable education;
6. Approves the work done by organizations and governments focusing on this issue and encourages more organizations to do the same;
7. Requests governments to partner with impoverished communities, local NGOs, to provide easily accessible homes and developments;
8. Encourages governments to devote more money towards creating adequate homes for communities in turmoil, as well as creating these homes efficiently in dire times;
9. Endorses the implementations of localized and accessible places that supply resources to communities in need;
10. Calls upon all nations and NGOs to devoting more money towards creating accessible, sustainable, and affordable services, transportation, security, and health care;

### **Building Solutions**

11. Insists that governments create ways to build houses inexpensively without sacrificing quality;
12. Further requests that houses are built with more sustainable materials;
13. Encourages the renovation of inadequate houses to create more living space;
14. Recommends to alter the building standards of housing such as cost of materials and land, location of houses, safety requirements, meets necessary utilities like heating, electricity, water, sanitation, etc.;

### **Housing Aid and Accessibility**

15. Expresses hope for government-based funds and the collaboration with both local IGOs and NGOs;
16. Urges member states to provide aid and housing for disabled persons;
17. Suggests that governments work together to reduce the cost of portable prefabricated homes and sustainable materials;

### **Social Aid**

18. Further recommends countries to invest in more sustainable building materials such as bamboo;
19. Reiterates the need for sanitation centers, food banks, and health clinics;

20. Endorses reconstruction and revitalization in all affected areas;
21. Further introduces community-centric duties with reasonable salaries and flexible schedules.