



## Resolution GA/2/2.I

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**Topic: Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa**

Concerned by the fact that lots of people take water for granted, but some people are in dire need for it,

Considering how abusing the right to clean water is affecting millions of lives on a daily basis,

Alarmed that if people don't have enough water, it can lead to disease, desertification, dehydration, and these all lead to death,

Acknowledging desertification transforms productive land into desert or arid areas,

Fully aware of the importance of desertification knowledge,

Acknowledging the importance of taking actions of resolution to reduce the effects of desertification and save millions of lives,

Bearing in mind that desertification can be detrimental to peoples' lives,

Observing that aid can help mitigate detrimental effects of desertification,

### **Ecological Solutions to Water Use Management**

1. Urges the creation of Friday lessons at schools on desertification;
2. Strongly advises recycling water using rain collectors, filters, water towers, and more;
3. Encourages sustainable land management and conservation efforts;
4. Supports the promotion of desertification on social media;
5. Endorses the creation of policies against desertification;

### **Education Methods**

6. Calls for the creation of educational advertisements on desertification;
7. Advises programs for adults to be educated about desertification;

### **The Impact of Desertification**

8. Encourages countries to import soils, seeds, and fertilizers appropriate to areas experiencing land degradation;
9. Suggests the use of water filtering and recycling methods;
10. Calls upon countries to donate food, water, and compost supplies;
11. Promotes more actions towards reforestation;
12. Calls upon creating paper out of invasive trees;

### **Helping People Affected by Desertification**

13. Suggests building shelters that have desertification supplies;
14. Calls for the reuse of plastic;
15. Strongly encourages countries to expand forested lands and to create large land restoration programs that plant drought resilient plants;
16. Urges reducing the use of fossil fuels.