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## Topic: Guidance on use of agricultural plastics

Alarmed by the inexpensive prices of plastic that aren't being disposed properly,

Fully aware that only nine percent of plastic is recycled, and most of which the effect of single use plastic,

Deeply regretting the excessive amount of agricultural plastics that animals are digesting,

Deeply concerned that plastic is not being researched enough, and in detail,

Noting with regret that plastic has not been disposed of properly in many countries,

Aware that there will be more plastics than animals in the sea by 2050,

Noting with regret that there is a lot of work to be done with all plastics,

Acknowledges the fact that the ocean is getting filled with waste,

#### **Alternatives to Plastics and Prices**

- I. Calls upon countries to use bio-based materials;
- 2. Recommends countries with a higher GDP to raise the price of plastic;
- 3. Welcomes multi-use and biodegradable plastics;
- 4. Invites factory associates to use bamboo in place of agricultural plastics;

- 5. Further requests member states to use hydroponic instead of traditional farming methods;
- 6. Strongly encourages member states to have monthly plastic clean ups;

## **Uses and Cleanup of Plastic**

- 7. Calls upon all member states to clean the oceans of plastics;
- 8. Requests all members states to use eco friendly plastics for better disposing and agriculture;
- 9. Recommends more business to be eco friendly;

## Agricultural Plastics Cleanup and Research

- 10. Encourages member states to take action on plastic waste and clean up;
- II. Introduces the proper use of agricultural plastics to youth through educational programs;
- 12. Further requests governments to spread more information about the use of agricultural plastics;
- 13. Encourages local communities to recycle plastic;
- 14. Suggests countries find alternatives for plastics;

## **Plastics Cleanup and Research**

- 15. Suggests that member states should create organizations to research plastic;
- 16. Calls upon member states to implement plastic consuming organisms;
- 17. Urges countries to research bio-degradable plastics;
- 18. Stresses the need to clean up oceans, streams, rivers, and other bodies of water;
- 19. Encourages countries to introduce new and better cleaning strategies;
- 20. Advises member states to research more about plastics;
- 21. Request that programs are created to combat plastic pollution.