

**KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY
OFFICIAL PROPOSAL**

Proposal #: **5**

Assignment: **H**

Country: **Costa Rica**

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Title: **An act to place military personnel in prisons in those countries that repeatedly violate human rights standards.**

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Justification Clause: In Costa Rica, torture problems run rampant in the prison system. In addition to this country, the dilemma is seen in Georgia and Mexico. Prisoner Johoel Araya was found dead and by all appearances the government killed him. The infamous prisoner, who recently led a failed prison break at La Reforma Prison in Alajuela, was confined to a maximum security cell and separated from inmates when he was found dead. Autopsy results revealed that Araya and others had been subject to physical abuse at the hands of the prison guards. Bruises and lacerations are irrefutable evidence that torture was carried out by his custodians who were agents of the state.

Section I: According to the United Nations, torture and other cruel inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment are prohibited and constitute serious violations of human rights.

Section II: The United Nations is requested to support this doctrine by posting military police from the United Nations into prison systems found guilty of violating human rights standards. This law will be enforced by the United Nations to protect the rights of citizens in Costa Rica and other targeted countries.

Section III: The United Nations is asked to fund the cost of placing these officers in the designated prisons systems.

Section IV: This proposal will go into effect January 2014 upon passage.