

**KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY
OFFICIAL PROPOSAL**

Proposal #: **37**

Assignment: **E**

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Title: An act to ask each country to develop a minimum wage or living wage for that country that will be approved by the United Nations

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS

Justification Clause: In Mexico, our economy relies on selling goods to wealthier countries. Because some countries are paying their workers unfairly low wages, they are able to sell goods for less than they are actually worth. Our main consumers are turning to these other countries to purchase goods, and the Mexican economy suffers. Issuing a minimum wage around the world would be better for the welfare of workers, and goods would be much more likely to be sold for fair prices. This is apt to stabilize the economy of the world and could standardize things to avoid erratic price changes, crises, and the like.

Section I: If this proposal is enacted, then each country participating will set a living wage, to be approved by the United Nations. The approval of the UN will be based on the living cost in the country in question, such as food, rent, transportation, etc.

Section II: The living wage will need to be reapproved by the UN every five years so that the accuracy of the wage is not changed by a rise or decline in the cost of living. When the time for reapproval comes, a country will be allowed to attempt to alter the living wage, but the alteration must be approved by the UN.

Section III: When this proposal is passed, each country that is participating will have to enact a wage by March 31, 2014.