

# KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY OFFICIAL PROPOSAL

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Title: A proposal to create a new agency within the United Nations system whose mission is to protect children from forced recruitment into armed conflict

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#### Justification Clause:

There are an estimated 250,000 child soldiers in the world today. Their childhoods are being stolen. Some of the most prominent examples of this are the victims of the LRA in Uganda, but there are far too many cases of other child soldiers around the world.

#### Section I

A new agency called the United Nations Child Soldiers Organization will be added to the United Nations system.

#### Section II

This new agency will specialize in directing and coordinating issues related to child soldiers around the world. It will be responsible for providing leadership on raising awareness about these issues and mobilizing the world to take meaningful action to help protect these children.

#### Section III

Among other things, the new agency will work to eliminate factors that make children vulnerable to abduction. They will focus on creating protective environments that safeguard children against such abuses and will create policies to help those children already victimized. They will promote and help develop innovative research that will lead to creative solutions in order to make the world a safer place for future generations.

#### Section IV

The exclusive goal of the United Nations Child Soldiers Organization is the complete worldwide eradication of all child soldiers.

#### Section V

This proposal will take effect immediately upon passage.