## KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY OFFICIAL PROPOSAL

Proposal #: 56

Assignment:

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Title: An act to end human trafficking in Myanmar

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

SECTION 1: Myanmar for years has been a source of human trafficking. Every year, thousands of Burmese men, women, and children are sold into forced labor, sex slavery, and into the military to become soldiers. Some children are as young as 11 years old when they are forced into slavery. This is an invasion of human rights—no one should be treated like this. We propose the United Nations come together to stop this injustice.

SECTION 2: We propose for the United Nations to grant \$5,000 to Myanmar to go towards anti-trafficking organizations (such as World Vision) to eventually put an end to forced labor and sex slavery in our country.

SECTION 3: World Vision is an organization dedicated to helping the poorest of the poor in our world. They are partnered with many international countries, like Myanmar. They are currently working to save trafficking victims and eliminate cases of slavery. Donating money would help sponsor a victim and save lives. The money will go directly to sponsoring children that are victims of human trafficking.

SECTION 4: Human trafficking isn't just an issue in Myanmar—it is a problem present all around the world. Nearly 2.5 million people in the world are victims of human trafficking each year, and the majority of victims are between age 18 and 24. It is time that we act now to stop this tragic enslavement that is present in 161 countries on Earth; that leaves millions of lives stolen. By taking steps to end this slavery in Myanmar will start a chain reaction to end human trafficking completely. The UN can be that catalyst for change.