KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY OFFICIAL PROPOSAL

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Title: An act to establish two vocational facilities which will reduce piracy in the Caribbean and Mediterranean Seas.

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Justification Clause: Over the past few years, piracy has become an alarming problem. We propose to open facilities that would educate people at risk of becoming pirates and give them the opportunity to live a happy and sustainable life without having to turn to piracy.

Section I: In 2011, there were 439 pirate attacks and 45 hijacks recorded. Because of this, shipping companies were forced to pay millions of dollars for security and ransom damage.

Section II: We propose that the United Nations would offer to people at risk of turning to piracy the option to come to vocational facilities. Over time, the people at these facilities would be trained to work for shipping companies that they might have harassed as pirates. In doing so, these people would be given opportunities that they otherwise would not have.

Section III: Shipping companies, who use waterways where piracy is a major issue, will fund this proposal. They will contribute an amount of money, yet to be determined, to aid these facilities. Eventually, these companies would save much more than they would have spent fixing the damage caused by piracy.

Section IV: The proposal will be enforced by requiring each participant in the facilities to complete at least 70 hours of training in shipping job related skills and ethics to make sure that the people sent on to work would function as competent employees.

Section V: BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS this would go into effect one year after passage.