## KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY OFFICIAL PROPOSAL

Proposal #:

Assignment:

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Title: A proposal to mandate that private prostitution is illegal, and that the only legal form of prostitution will be provided through a legitimat

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Justification Clause: It is formally recognized that the business of prostitution is a legitimate occupation and often the only viable option for said women and men to make a suitable living for those in their family. If this type of business is to continue, the regulation associated with the act of prostitution must be changed to recognize the danger associated with such acts. Prostitution is currently legal in the country of Costa Rica but has many legal problems associated with it. Some of these include, health care licenses are not required by the prostitutes; the lack of tax revenue received from the actual acts; the lack of protection and high crime rate associated with the business of prostitution, and the inability of the prostitutes to provide a suitable living environment for their dependents.

Section I: The act of prostitution is permanently illegal unless it takes place in a licensed brothel. Everyone who wants to start a legal business entity for prostitution must pay a licensing fee, and must also maintain active records of all employees in their service. The records must include a health care license for every active employee to be renewed every six months. Therefore, the singular act of prostitution will be illegal unless it takes place at a licensed brothel. Said brothel must also provide services for their employees not to exclude, health care exams and the requirement of a health card, daycare services and aid for those in their service, and a proper place to live.

Section II: This proposal will require no cost due to the CCSS (Caja Costarricense de Seguro Social) which is a health institution that currently offers free health checks for prostitutes. Brothel owners will budget all funding for requirements stated in Section I.

Section III: Anyone who is practicing prostitution individually-without a brothel-or carries an expired health ID card will be subjected to the following penalties:

First Offense: \$500 fine. Second Offense: \$1000 fine.

Third Offense: Jail time of the discretion of the judge.

Unlicensed brothels will be subjected to harsher punishments that include the closing of the said brothel

and jail time for all accomplices.

Licensed brothels that violate requirements stated in section I will be subjected to:

First Offense: \$5000 fine. Second Offense: \$10000 fine

Third Offense: Closing of the brothel

Section IV: This will go into effect one year after passage.