

**KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY
OFFICIAL PROPOSAL**

Proposal #: **73**

Assignment: **B**

Country: **Zimbabwe**

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Title: **An act to create standard education guidelines for UN member countries.**

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

Justification Clause: The United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), states that 94% of rural schools, serving the majority of Zimbabwe's population, were closed in 2009. The education systems in third-world countries like Zimbabwe are failing the children and youth of our generation. Attendance rates in these systems plummeted from 80% to 20% since the 1990s. Children without schooling range from 220,000 to 480,000, according to Nation Master. Hundreds of thousands of children lack the essential skills in becoming productive citizens to their respective countries.

Section 1: This proposal will set certain standards to improve education in Zimbabwe and other United Nations member-countries with failing education systems. This proposal will ensure that the children of Zimbabwe and other United Nations member-countries will have equal opportunities in Science and Mathematics.

Section 2: The following guidelines will be in place for all countries worldwide:

- a. All children, both girls and boys, will be given equal opportunities to learn.
- b. Schools must be attainable to all students (i.e., location).
- c. Schools must have reasonable costs to families (i.e., uniforms, supplies).
- d. Students must attend school from ages 6-15.
- e. Students must be required to attend school.
- f. Education systems must thrive to provide the best quality education to all students.

Section 3: Countries may receive funding based on the state of their educational systems and economic hardship. The United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) will carry out and fund this proposal.

Section 4: This proposal will go into effect upon passage.