KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION **KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY** **United Nations Proposal**	**Proposal # 7** **Proposed by Barbados**
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An act to decrease the unemployment rate

Be it hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the United Nations

Subject: An act to decrease unemployment rate successively in Barbados.

Justification Clause: The current unemployment rate in Barbados in approximately 22.6%. With a population of only .3 million, this percentage is extremely high. Through increased exportation of Sea Island Cotton, Barbados will gain extensive job opportunities and an increase in overall revenue. Currently the industrialization of Sea Island Cotton is a lingering idea among economic experts in Barbados, but in the mindset of job and revenue growth, this is beneficial solution.

Section 1: This is proposing that the United Nations (UN) support and help fund international exportation and trade of Sea Island Cotton between Barbados and other investing countries.

Section 2: Through increase in agricultural availability specializing in Sea Island Cotton and developing exportation and manufacturing plants, Sea Island Cotton will shortly become a main cash crop for Barbados.

Section 3: Exportation of Sea Island Cotton will cost an average of 7,000 dollars per 2,250 bales of cotton (480 lbs each). The industrialization of the product will come from government funds, private investment, and UN financial assistance. This is estimated to be approx. 50.4 million dollars all together. This is paying for common business capital expenditures and expanding the nation's infrastructure to accommodate production and distribution.

Section 4: We ask that the UN will support increased production of the Sea Island Cotton industry to accommodate increased trade and funding to an economically depressed region of the world. This proposal accommodates 3 of the UN's Millennium Development Goals, meaning it will be very beneficial to both Barbados and the rest of the world.