

 <p>KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Proposal</p>	Proposal # 16
	Proposed by Colombia
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1 An act to create tranquility along the Colombian/Venezuelan border

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

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5 Justification Clause: Since 2010, rebel forces have made camps along the Colombia and Venezuelan border.
6 The Venezuelan government has responded by placing military vehicles and personnel on there side of the
7 border. The Venezuelans have become increasingly aggressive as they search out rebels. An invasion of
8 Colombia could cause many countries who have allied themselves with either country to become involved in a
9 military conflict. This proposal is designed to prevent armed conflict along this border.

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11 Section 1: A Demilitarized Zone (DMZ) shall be formed on the Venezuelan/Colombian border. It shall extend
12 20 miles on both sides of the border. Neither country will be permitted to place active duty military
13 personnel or military vehicles in the zone without explicit approval from both thee United Nations Security
14 Council and the other country.

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16 Section 2: The DMZ will be enforced by UN Peacekeeping forces stationed at intervals along the border. If a
17 country is found to have troops in the DMZ, the Peacekeeping forces will have the right to apprehend the
18 troops and report them to the United Nations. If either country is reported as having troops in the DMZ, UN
19 investigators will immediately investigate the offense. If the investigation reveals that a country has placed
20 troops in the DMZ, the offending country will be cut off from UN aid, or the support of other UN members in
21 military combat as punishment.

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23 Section 3: All citizens of either Colombia or Venezuela who have property inside the DMZ will remain the
24 owners of their land and they can use it for any purpose as long as it corresponds with the laws of the
25 countries in which the property is located. The DMZ will last for 5 years, but can be reinstated through the
26 popular vote of the UN General Assembly. This proposal will become enacted two weeks after its passage.
27 These two weeks will be used to transport UN Peacekeeping troops to the region, and for both countries to
28 remove any forces that are stationed in the DMZ.