

KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Proposal

Proposal #72

Proposed by Venezuela

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Action on Proposal

City: Louisville ____ Defeated

An act to implement a global seed collecting and planting month

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

Justification Clause: Deforestation has continued at an alarming rate since the early 1950s. Almost half of the original forest habitat has been cut down. The removal of trees without sufficient reforestation has resulted in damage to habitat, biodiversity loss and aridity. The purpose for this proposal is to lower the deforestation rate in countries throughout the UN by instituting a month in which seeds are collected and planted

Section I: The countries that participate will be responsible for the set up and organization of the collecting and planting of the seeds . The use of volunteer committees funded by the country in which they reside is encouraged.

Section II: The countries who chose to participate in this event will be given financial incentives

Section III: This initiative will last for a month and will be held annually. The exact month of the year is up to the country.