

## KENTUCKY YMCA YOUTH ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY United Nations Proposal

Proposal # 23

Proposed by Luxembourg

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19 20 An act to require customs officers be educated on the signs of Human Trafficking

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

Justification Clause: It is estimated that between 600,000 and 800,000 people are trafficked across international boarders every year. Of these, some are made to do forced labor while many others are forced into prostitution. In a country like Luxembourg, where prostitution is legal, it can be difficult for law enforcement and customs officials to determine the difference between coerced and voluntary workers.

Section I: All members of the United Nations will be required to educate their customs officials on the signs of human trafficking. This education should be included in their general training.

Section II: Officers already working who have not been educated on the markers of human trafficking will be required to receive the training.

Section III: Funding should come from within the country's budget for training customs officers, but additional funding will be available from the United Nations Office of Drugs and Crime as determined necessary.

Section IV: All Customs Officers must have received training by the end of 2016.