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Proposal # 39

Proposed by Uganda

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 An act to provide assistance to homeless Invisible Children in Uganda.

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

Justification Clause: Young children in Uganda called the Invisible Children have been abducted from their homes for years by the Lord's Resistance Army (LRA). These children were abused and viciously mutilated before being forced to fight in the rebel army. The LRA has been weakening, key officers are dying, and it is thought that the LRA will be soon be completely disbanded due to small numbers currently in the LRA Army. Currently the LRA has moved out of Uganda and left the Invisible Children homeless.

Section I: We would like to provide safe houses for Invisible Children that are still displaced from the war. We will call this program, "Plan Visible."

Section II: We will provide these safe houses in Kampala and Gulu. Invisible Children will be provided with health care and education. Basic needs of food, clothing, and shelter will also be provided. United Nations Army will keep the safe houses safe. We will call the safe houses, "The Yellow Palace."

Section III: These children will remain in "The Yellow Palace" until they are reunited with their family, adopted, or reach 18 years of age.

Section IV: The Committee on the Rights of a Child will be responsible for running "Plan Visible." United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) will pay for the upkeep of the centers through donations.

Section V: This proposal would go into effect one year after passage.