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Proposal # 14

Proposed by Japan

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Action on Proposal

City: Danville ____ Defeated

An Act to Reinforce Existing Nuclear Power Plants and Restrict Future Construction

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

Justification Clause: Japan is third in nuclear power usage, so it has a large amount of nuclear power plants. These plants are built on the coast and due to the geographic nature of Japan, seismic activity is a constant threat. The power plants run a risk of damage due to seismic activity which therefore creates safety threats to the high population density in Japan. Reinforcing the plants and keeping new ones far away from civilization is a viable solution.

Section I: Seismic activity such as tsunamis and earthquakes have affected nuclear power plants across Japan such as the Fukushima Daiichi Power Plant and the Kashiwazaki Kariwa Power Plant. These disasters have caused radiation leaks which have led to cancer, ARS, and deformities in offspring. The fact is that these plants are located near highly populated areas and therefore are causing damage to Japan's people.

Section II: This proposal will add more material to the seawalls for the plants on the sea, reinforce the plants' water containment walls, and make a law which states that any new power plants must be built away from civilization. The seawalls are to be a height of 6 meters. The water tank walls are to have a minimum of two meters added.

Section III: The Japanese government and local law will enforce the proposal. The company will have to get permission from the Japanese government to build in a certain location. If they continue to build the plant in a non-permissible place, the plant will be shut down. Existing plants will be inspected yearly for the safety requirements in section two. The fine for not meeting the criteria will be a two months suspension which will double yearly until they meet the criteria.

Section IV: These improvements will be funded by the Japanese government through tax money, and will cost roughly \$1,000,000.

Section V: This proposal will go into effect immediately upon passing of the proposal.