

SEATTLEMUN POSITION PAPER OUTLINE

HEADER:

Delegate Name Country Name School Committee Name Topic

PARAGRAPH ONE: INTRODUCTION

Provide brief background on the situation Define relevant terms, events, etc. State country position on the issue Assert urgency of the UN to take action

PARAGRAPH TWO: PREVIOUS ACTION

Reference previous international efforts employed by the UN in order to mitigate the issue

Incorporate specific action taken by your country to respond to the issue Reference strategies of your allies and neighboring member states Explain whether or not past action was effective and why

PARAGRAPH THREE: CURRENT SITUATION

Describe the current situation of the issue in the world, your region and within your member state

Current laws in place and practiced should also be referenced and analyzed Explain why the world is in the state that it currently is and what factors are affecting the issue

PARAGRAPH FOUR: IMPORTANCE OF THE ISSUE:

Why is this issue important to your country?
Why is this issue important to the world?
What are the consequences of neglecting this issue?
What other issues are connected to this topic?

PARAGRAPH FIVE: SOLUTIONS

Describe potential solutions to the issue Solutions should have a level of depth and be reasonable Solutions can include setting up programs, placing quotas, endorsing funds, etc. Include solutions that would benefit your country and act in its favor

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Can be in any format (URLs, footnotes, MLA) based on delegate preference

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