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SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: Declaration of Ethical Principles in relation to Climate Change

SUBMITTED TO: The United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organi-

zation

The United Nations Educational, Scientific, and Cultural Organization,

- Recognizing the need to encourage and develop renewable sources of energy,
- 2 Emphasizing the international scale of the ongoing Climate Crisis,
- 3 Seeking cooperation from Member States in the areas that are most affected by rising, tides, water and air 4 pollution, and changes in local climates,
 - Welcoming countries with like-minded ideas to help in any possible means,
- 6 Emphasizing the importance of knowing member states intentions and their close allies as to be as transparent 7 as possible,
- 8 Further recognizing the need for import and exports of precious metals and minerals required for the devel-9 opment of renewable resources among member states,
- 1. Reaffirming previous United Nations resolutions, the Paris Climate Accords and the UN Sustainable Development Goals;
- 2. Calling on Member States to further specify how to achieve these goals by implementing concrete policies for:
 - (a) The proportion of the renewable energy sector in the economy;
- (b) Limiting reliance on fossil fuels;
- 16 (c) Expanding train tracks for electric trains and expanding electric car charging stations in order 17 to be less reliable on fossil driven cars;
- 3. *Encourages* Member States dependent on pollutive resources to put forth an effort to reduce emissions from fossil fuels and greenhouse gasses;
 - 4. Supports efforts to promote the development of sustainable energy technologies;
 - 5. Urges Member States to discontinue use of coal or petroleum fuels, ideally by 2030 and at latest 2035;
 - 6. Condemns the use of nuclear energy as dangerous and unsustainable;
- 7. Draws the attention to Member States who have not met their goals for climate change to reconsider their goals and objectives within the Paris Accords and own state legislation..

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