

Commission : Sports  
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QUESTION OF : **ENHANCING SPORTS INFRASTRUCTURE TO PROMOTE HEALTHY LIFESTYLE**

The General Assembly,

Alarmed by the lack of high-end infrastructure in developed countries for world-class sporting events and absence of infrastructures in third world countries to promote physical activities,

Deeply concerned about the financial difficulties faced by developing countries due to which, the innovation and maintenance of sports infrastructure is not possible,

Stressing on the increasing rate of obesity, as the population is leading a sedentary lifestyle, one of the main reasons being innovation of technology,

Expressing deep concern that despite much progress, acts of discrimination still remain a threat towards people of different backgrounds, which discourages them to participate in sports activities,

Recalling that female participation rates in sports remain lower than males which implies the need to consider women's empowerment through sports infrastructures,

Deeply disturbed by the fact that there is a lack of sports infrastructure for the elderly and disabled,

Mindful that the security and safety of people in sports infrastructures must be taken into due consideration,

Taking into account the need for stronger financial assistance for sports development in smaller underprivileged communities, where people with poor socio-economic and educational backgrounds do not have proper access to sports infrastructure and equipment,

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1. Urges the UN to request governments around the world to increase the budget for the improvement of existing broken systems, promote and employ sustainable systems for new infrastructure and development;

2. Supports unsubsidised private funding, competition and innovation to meet humanity's need to show a disincentive for the state to maintain sound infrastructures, much less at competitive level;

3. Notes with satisfaction, countries seeking help from international financial institutions such as the International Monetary Fund and the Inter-American Development Bank;

4. Further requests organisations to offer supporting resources including inclusive policies and equipments;

5. Emphasizes the need to publicise obesity, its causes and effects so as to bring about a certain level of medical awareness through campaigns, to encourage them to practice sports activities;

6. Encourages the participation of people in sports by broadcasting more sports events through social and effective media coverage and effective publicities;

7. Suggests campaign to promote a different way of thinking towards people of different backgrounds, ethnic groups and race;

8. Stresses that there must be anti-discriminatory regulations in every sports infrastructure and young people must have a voice through which they can report their differences;

9. Recommends the creation of sports clubs, recreation and fitness organisations to promote sports among elderly, children and women;

10. Calls for a worldwide Paralympics program for 12-year-old children and up to promote sports throughout all ages, closely resembling the modern-day Olympics and calling upon member states of the UN to denote 0.5% of their GDP;

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11. Considers the innovation of sports infrastructure and equipment specialised for elderly and disabled people;

12. Acknowledges on the need for a global education system promoting sports from a young age so that people of all social classes are aware of the importance of physical activities and the need to go to such infrastructures;

13. Endorses the inspection of sports infrastructures for hazards and correction of these prior to all training and competition;

14. Demands that parties in charge of security become more involved in maintaining the safe ongoing of sporting events.