

United Nations Environment Programme

MetMUNC XLVIII

Topic: Welcome Letter

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Distinguished Delegates,

It is with great pleasure that we welcome you to the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP) at MetMUNC XLVIII. Established in 1972, UNEP aims to coordinate environmental activities and assists developing countries in implementing environmentally sound policies and practices.

My name is Kasha Bhatia and I am a junior at POBJFK HS. This is my second year in MetMUNC and my first year as a chair. Aside from being involved with our school's Model UN club, I am part of the school's Mock Trial team. I also enjoy art and playing the piano. I am looking forward to meeting all of you and hearing you debate!

My name is Jasbina Sabharwal and I am a junior here as well at POBJFKHS. This is my third year in the club and my second time chairing. I am also a delegate trainer for Model UN. Outside of Model UN, I am a member of DECA, Science Olympiads, and I am on the Varsity Girls Tennis and Badminton Team. I am so excited to see how this conference goes, with debates, resolutions, and the amount of fun we all are going to have.

My name is Jenna Rabin and I am a sophomore at POBJFKHS. This is my second year in Model UN and my first time chairing. I am looking forward to meeting all of you in December and hearing your country's viewpoints. Other than MetMUNC I am a varsity cheerleader as well as a coach for kindergarten through third grade cheerleaders. I cannot wait to watch all of you debate at MetMunc XLVIII!

During this conference, UNEP has decided on three important topics: **Waste Disposal Regulations, Displacement of Species Due to Urbanization, and Thawing of Permafrost.** We hope that all delegates conduct research on their country's views and discover innovative ideas to incorporate into resolutions. One thing we ask is that delegates respect one another and their respective views. We look forward to meeting and getting to know you all during our two days together. If you have any questions, please feel free to ask and reach out to us at: jasbinasabharwal@gmail.com, kashabhatia000@gmail.com, and jlrabin18@gmail.com.

Sincerely,

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