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The Secretary-General has received the following written statement which is circulated in accordance with Economic and Social Council resolution 1996/31.

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Immigration due to environmental problem

Introduction

Throughout of the world, non-governmental organizations have proven to be effective institutions for raising awareness regarding the issue of public concern to mobilize citizens into action. The increase in population, rapid urbanization and destruction of pasture lands, Air pollution, water scarcity are among troubling trends in Iran .To cope with this situation Iran has developed a comprehensive strategy for Environmental protection which is not enough .

Unfortunately, there are serious gapes between policy and practice. NGO's have been encouraged to bridge the gape and mobilize communities to respond to the challenges. Despite this declared policy NGO's face many structural constrain. But still are working as partners with Government to fulfill some of the basic unmet needs.

Iranian Environmental NGO's are becoming active in advocacy, public awareness, mobilization and training.

Escape from dry lands in east of Iran and conflicts in the eastern and western boarders has been destroyed and polluted the soil. The dust particles are the result of these neglect ion.

Environmental destructions such as Dust particles and other sources of pollution will put the life of the Local people in danger. Therefore, these immigrants in the new location will encounter the problem by local people even may bring conflict between them.

Of the other hand industrialization reduced self production system .For example building dames will prevent the water for the Agricultural production .Of the other hand the construction of the dams in Turkey will prevent water to the Iraq and Iran .Consequently due to the draught the amount of dust particles will increase.

Construction of the Hyrmand dam in Afghanistan will prevent water running to the Eastern boarder of the Iran. We clearly watch the in the provinces of Systan and Baluchistan these Environmental disasters causes immigration .

So, we know the immigration due to the surveillance is not beneficiary for any country.

Non- governmental Environmental Organizations ask the united nation pays serious attention to the Need of national and international cooperation for the protection of the Environment.
