WLA 91

The Earth Emergency Rescue Administration (EERA)

(A Breakthrough opportunity for saving our Earth)

World Legislative Act 6 revised for Our 21st Century Crisis

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Whereas, since the EERA legislation was passed at the second session of the Provisional World Parliament in New Delhi in 1985, the opportunity to rescue our apparently doomed planet has been available. However, in this year 2025, the opportunity has become a necessity for survival. The Pondicherry Declaration of this PWP16 declares a STATE OF PLANETARY EMERGENCY. This Bill, identified as WLA 91 of PWP16, links the rescue of Earth to the holding of a 5th Constituent Assembly to update the Constitution for the Federation of Earth. The EERA will address the Climate Crisis using the latest scientific information of Earth System Scientists and from leading climate organizations like *Job One for Humanity* or *The Post-Carbon Institute*. By linking activation of an Emergency Rescue team to the 5th Constituent Assembly to update the Earth Constitution, this rescue efforts links directly to and absolute need to unify humanity in the fight against our pending, self-induced extinction.

Whereas, the strength, therefore, of the EERA is that it creates an organization directed to emergency rescue of our dying planet that is not a mere "civil-society" NGO, nor a mere initiative of individual governments. Instead, the Constitution for the Federation of Earth, written with the participation of hundreds of world citizens between 1968 and 1991, forms a constitutional foundation for authoritative cooperative action by the nations and peoples of Earth. The EERA is grounded in this legal and constitutional legacy as no other proposal can be, certainly not from the United Nations that (despite some very concerned persons within the UN) continues as a mere treaty of militarized sovereign nations and hardly carries any legitimate authority in a lawless world.

Therefore, this 16th session of the Provisional World Parliament, taking place in Pondicherry, India, 7-10 December 2025, reactivates the EERA within the context of calling for a new "Constituent Assembly" in which the people and nations of Earth can come together to update and edit the Earth Constitution for the 21st century. The EERA itself advocates for a future final ratification of the Earth Constitution by the people and nations of Earth, and this new, 5th Constituent Assembly is a key element in this process of humanity uniting to fight the twin omnicidal evils of climate change and possible nuclear war.

In the light of these facts, there is no need to repeat here the environmental goals articulated by WLA 6 and subsequent PWP legislation. The latest scientific information will need to be drawn upon by the EERA to carry out its momentous task to converting out planet to a sustainable, peaceful, refuge for humanity and all life. This bill modifies the structure of the original bill in the following ways: This EERA document hereby establishes a Board of Trustees of up to 200 members, serving 5-year terms. It shall be composed by the following groups:

(1) The Provisional World Parliament shall elect 20% of its members.
(2) The national governments or legislatures that formally join in the work of the 5th Constituent Assembly shall name 30% of the members. To "join in the work" means to send an official representative to officially participate on behalf of his or her nation. The first 10 nations to join this work (of a 5th Constituent Assembly) shall name 10 members, the next 20 nations to join the work of the 5th Constituent Assembly shall name 10 members, next 30 nations to join shall name 10 members, and the remaining countries on Earth shall name 10 members.
(3) Until such commitments to the Constituent Assembly have been accomplished the provisional World Parliament or provisional World Cabinet may appoint parliamentary or governmental leaders from various countries to serve on a temporary basis until members are duly named to the Assembly by their countries;
(4) The nations of Earth are invited to become voting members of the Provisional World Parliament within the House of Nations at the same time that they commit to becoming part of the effort to hold the 5th Constituent Assembly.
(5) Until the above commitments have been accomplished the provisional World Parliament or provisional World Cabinet may appoint parliamentary or governmental leaders from various countries to serve on a temporary basis until members are duly named by the participating countries;
(6) Subnational governmental entities that ratify this WLA 91 world legislation including states, provinces, cities, local and regional authorities shall elect or appoint 25% of the members;
(7) Organizations and corporations that ratify the *Earth Constitution* shall elect 25% of the members.
(8) The provisional World Parliament or the provisional World Cabinet shall designate three Co-Chairpersons for the Board of Trustees from three different continents, and shall designate an Executive Director and five Regional Directors, all of whom shall serve ex-officio with vote on the Board of Trustees. Each Trustee has one vote and only one vote, and there is no proxy voting.

(9) The Board of Trustees for EERA shall do whatever is necessary to implement this world legislation within legal conformance with world legislation and the *Earth Constitution*. The Board of Trustees shall establish its own rules of procedure and operating structure within the framework and terms of this World Legislation.

(10) The Board of Trustees is responsible to the provisional World Parliament and provisional World Cabinet, and in due course to the World Government established under a ratified *Earth Constitution*. The Board of Trustees shall make annual reports together with interim reports as necessary.

(11) The Board of Trustees shall elect an EARTH RESCUE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL (EREC) of 21-33 members to manage the daily operations of EERA between meetings of the full Board of Trustees. Included ex-officio on the EREC are the three Co-Chairpersons and the Executive Director. The EREC is responsible for preparing the operating budgets for EERA, subject to approval by the Board of Trustees. EREC shall employ all necessary key personnel.

(12) STANDING PARLIAMENTARY COMMISSION FOR EERA. The provisional World Parliament shall elect a standing Parliamentary Commission for EERA of 9 members to serve as liaison between the EERA and the Provisional World Parliament for the purpose of ensuring that the provisions of this World Legislation are carried out. The Standing Parliamentary Commission for EERA shall appoint the EREC if the EREC is not otherwise composed within six weeks after the adoption of this World Legislation. The EREC may include members of the Standing Parliamentary Commission for EERA.

13) FUNDING: In separate world legislation, the provisional World Parliament shall determine the values for equity salaries that are payable in equitably to all the members of the Trustees and the Council as determined by the Parliament. Since the task of EERA is similar in nature to a war for which all available resources are mobilized and given priority, the Earth Federation Funding Corporation (under Article 8.7) shall fund EERA in similar proportions. It shall set annual equity salaries per year, for the members and staff of the EERA. Sources of funding shall include:

13.1) Appropriations by those national governments which ratify this world legislation for EERA and commit to the 5th Constituent Assembly. Appropriations requested from national governments for EERA are 20% of the amounts currently being spent for military purposes.

13.2) This Act directs national governments to cancel military contracts for weapons of mass destruction, and to transfer unspent funds through the Earth Federation Funding Corporation to the Emergency Earth Rescue Administration, as well as to other useful peacetime projects for world economic development and to serve

human needs in accordance with World Legislative Act Number Two of the first session of the provisional World Parliament, and World Legislative Act Number 7 of this second session of the provisional World Parliament.

13.3) Appropriations and contributions from sub-national political entities, communities, corporations, organizations and individuals, through the Earth Federation Funding Corporation, shall be accepted with a promise of a return on their investment as determined by the World Parliament.

13.4) Sale of EARTH BONDS, if other sources of funding do not prove adequate. The Earth Constitution (Article 17, Section F.), requires the World Government to redeem priority contribution Earth Bonds for individuals at double the original value after the commencement of the first operative stage of world government. World Legislative Act Number 7, for the Earth Federation Funding Corporation, adopted at the Second Session of the provisional World Parliament, provides the procedures for the sale and redemption of Earth Bonds.

13.5) In sum, this revised legislation for the EERA establishes a legally grounded constitutional mechanism for the authority of the EERA that is rooted in the history of the Earth Constitution and the sequence of 16 sessions of the Provisional World Parliament. It unites the nations to both combat climate change and to forge a final Constitution for integrating all humanity to effectively face these potentially omnicidal challenges and to create a decent future civilization for all persons and other living creatures everywhere on Earth.