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Dear Editor,

I hereby submit my paper, "Shortfall of Domestic Resources to Eradicate Extreme Poverty by 2030."

As we have passed the halfway point since the adoption of the SDGs in 2015, it is time to assess progress towards the universally accepted goal of eradicating extreme poverty by 2030 (the first SDG). In this paper, I assess whether growth and domestic redistribution are sufficient to eradicate extreme poverty by 2030. In the lowest income countries, extreme poverty is estimated to persist even after strong growth and radical redistribution.

This finding has far-reaching implications for global policy dialogues, such as UN Framework Convention on Tax and the G20, as international solidarity appears to be the only way to achieve the first SDG. These research results could potentially reshape international policy discussions.

Sincerely,

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