The destruction of our planet’s natural ecosystem is the most dangerous threat to human existence as we are destroying our own future beyond help. The world is wasting away and we wear masks of denial to keep ourselves safe from oblivion. As humans we have created so much and are risking losing all that we have learned. The human population has never been as large as it is today and the levels of greenhouse gases, water pollution, habitats being demolished, the acidification of the oceans, the extinction of key animals that sustain the food chain, and natural space being destroyed is growing exponentially. One of the largest contributing factors causing the planet to deteriorate is mass agriculture and farming techniques. Today’s farming practices involve heavy machinery for the planting, watering, distribution of pesticides, harvesting packaging and distribution process. The tools need to be made and maintained both of which are harmful. The pesticides erode the soil, poison animals, fish, and other species, as well as damaging short and deep root systems. These pesticides also end up in water ways and reach the ocean thus attributing to the decreasing pH of the waters which affect the geological carbon cycle. As well the overproduction and disposal of the plastics “needed” for packaging is a cheap and wasteful practice. The industrial scale of farming is so high that it also destroys the habitats of animals as the land needing to be cleared, such as trough burning, cutting down or “bleeding” trees a process in which a thick ring of bark is ripped from around the trunk, killing it. Why must we destroy so much life? All but only to serve a thankless population.

Another factor contributing to the decline of the earth is it losing its capability to heal due to overpopulation and the increased demand for resources. Currently the planets homo sapien population is over 7 billion people with the expected increase to 9 billion in only a few years. As well by continuing in our ways we would need three earths to sustain us with fresh water. The human race is unsustainable.

The state of Qatar is aware of our huge environmental downfalls, such as being the highest ranked worldwide in carbon dioxide per capita in the world, due to our economies reliance on exploitation our countries natural gas reserves, our dependency on energy wasting desalination processes, the electricity used to cool our infrastructure, the lack of incentive to conserve energy and water as it is free, due to the majority of our people being dependent on welfare.

Laws that protect against the further deterioration and promote healthy living on earth will enable countries to take action in the fight to protect the planet. Laws such as maximum allowed numbers of animals to be bred and raised. The raising of animal for their deaths is cruel but from an evolutionary and biological standpoint humans are made to eat meat, when the first people begame to eat meat their brains started to grow into the sophisticated super processers they are today due to the new protein in their systems. Allotted animals per country based on the number of citizens will help to stop the unjust and sickening practices involved with the meat business, lower the expulsion of carbon dioxide and methane into the atmosphere and animal waste runoff that damages the soil and oceans. Qatar shouls focus on allowing more access to higher level of education so as to help lower the economic disparity. This allows better qualified people to stimulate the economy so it can lose its dependency on exploiting natural resources, while gradually shifting to cleaner sources of renewable energy. Other actions countries may enact are laws that will regulate the amount of pollution being expelled within society such as mandatory and enforced recycling, compost and donation, the only two things that cannot be recycled are used baby diapers and plastic number 6. These two material can be replace with biodegradable or reusable options. To help balance out the costs of rewriting and implementing the laws is the integration of prisoners into public work, they will work for only slight wages as they are being punished for disrupting their society. This will make it so that the taxes saved from these services can go toward creating an ecofriendly state. Qatar should impose maximums on energy consumption as well as water use. Education systems should also be reevaluated and written so as to cater to an evolving world. Courses like cosmology which is the study of the origin, the [evolution](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Chronology_of_the_universe), the scientific laws that govern the changes that the earth faces and the [fate of the universe](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ultimate_fate_of_the_universe), cooking and living in a natural way, and political science for all students so they become active and skilled members of a society. The strict crackdown on companies that profit from animal abuse, habitat destruction, improper waste disposal, not ensuring the safety of those around them with the use of harmful techniques, chemicals and industrial tools.

To conclude, Qatar urges governments to begin taking serious action worldwide and unite all humanity to protect all that there is, to protect the knowledge of what has been, what we have learned about the world around us, the achievements of individuals and communities, those who changed the world with their ideals, the art people have created, that which has been evolved to adapt to its surroundings, the distinct languages, cultures and flavours of the world around us, and for the sake of what we have yet to learn.