

# RESOLUTION XV – REPUBLIC OF PARAGUAY

THEME : SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOAL

CONCERN : IMPROVEMENT OF WATER QUALITY AND WASTE MANAGEMENT IN PARAGUAY

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,

- Preoccupied with our planet's well-being as well as the health of our people , about water pollution and recycling issues,
- Rrecalls the water pollution in Paraguay is 60,71 % while dissatisfaction with public garbage disposal is 71,43 % , and is far away from the international environmental goals,
- Stresses that we are destroying our world and we need to do something against it it,
- Aware of the high level of pollution in the Paraguay waters and waste pollution,
- Decides to invite all states to aim at the introduction of the following acts in their legislation :
- 1. Permits for discharges directly in surface water and ground water: industries as well as public and private facilities must obtain permits if their discharges of water go directly to the environment ;
  - 2. Water criteria for lakes : Estabilish water criteria for lakes and rivers addressing 29 toxic pollutants with maximum levelsl that are safe for humans, wildlife and aquaticlife ;
  - 3.Intensify recycling economy: Introduce the recycling economy and produce new ressources as well as limiting the waste. Communities that make good reycling, will be rewarded with tax relief.

*The English text is binding.*