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Poverty anywhere is a threat  
to prosperity everywhere

### Outline

1. Introduction
2. Prosperity and poverty are the two factors which indirectly relate to each other.
3. Poverty in a small patch of world affects the global prosperity.
  - a) Poor governance when everybody does not contribute in political affairs.
  - b) Poverty anywhere affects the overall economic development.
  - c) Individual poverty affects the global prosperity.
  - d) Democracy does not find its roots to flourish.
  - e) Less involvement of women in different fields reduces the overall prosperity.

- f) Poverty anywhere is a hindrance to a peaceful environment.
- g) Poverty anywhere leads to create a rift between poor and rich.
- h) Fights on different resources start when there is a poverty in any small area.
- i) Hegemonic culture develops if there is a division between poor and rich.
- j) Increases the rate of crimes.
- k) Illiteracy rate increases with poverty.
- 4) Way forward : Eliminate poverty from everywhere to enjoy prosperity everywhere.
  - a) Ensures the circulation of wealth.
  - b) Equity in provision of different resources.
  - c) Implementation of good poverty reducing policies.
  - d) Give opportunities of employment

## To the people of backward area

### 5. Conclusion

According to Maslow's hierarchy of needs, psychological needs e.g. needs of water, food and shelter come first than any other need. If people even from any small area do not enjoy their basic needs, they will not move forward to contribute in the path of progress. Hence, the ignorance from a small number of people creates the big difference in overall progress of a country or a world. However, poverty in a small patch of world affects the global prosperity by giving birth to many issues. Poverty leads to poor governance and economic issues which slows

down the progress. Moreover, it increases many social and cultural issues which further aggravates the situation. But, poverty can be eliminated from everywhere by taking some economic and social reforms. So, poverty in a small patch of world is a hindrance to global prosperity. Poverty anywhere leads to many economic, political and social issues which reduces <sup>prosperity</sup> poverty everywhere. However, it is possible to eliminate poverty so that prosperity comes everywhere.