

# WHAT IS A POLICY STATEMENT?

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# POLICY STATEMENT:

- Is a document explaining the policies of your country/ organization
- Should refer to:
  - Topics of the committee
  - Topics of the conference

# WHY IS IT HELPFUL?

- Helps you focus on the exact points of view of your country/ organization
- Helps you form alliances
- Can serve as the basis for your opening speech
- It serves as a reference document to your delegation members and committee members during the conference

# WHAT DOES A POLICY STATEMENT CONSIST OF?

- Explanation and definition of the:
  - issue
  - terms
- Short summary of recent international action related to the issue
- Reference to key documents related to the issue
- Statement of the country's general position on the issue
- Suggestion of solutions that are in line with your country's policies

# HOW TO WRITE A POLICY STATEMENT?

- Carry out online research
- Contact the embassy of the country you are representing
- Tipp: It should not exceed 300 words.

## SOURCES:

- <https://mun.a-s-b.com/wp-content/uploads/2014/03/HOW-TO-WRITE-A-POLICY-STATEMENT1.pdf>