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Environmental disasters affecting agricultural soils

Accidental (mine tailing dam failures, oil spills or nuclear accidents) or intentional (caused by wars and conflicts) environmental disasters are affecting agricultural soils around the world, on which the poorest people depend, threatening their livelihoods, health and the production of safe and nutritious food.

Further consideration

of environmental disasters should be taken by the international community, joining forces to remediate their negative effects on the environment and human health and well-being.

BE THE SOLUTION TO SOIL POLLUTION

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