## 1876 Protecting LGBT+ Refugees and Asylum seekers

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## **Union Notes**

- 1. That since the outbreak of the Syrian Civil War an estimated 9 million have been forced to flee their homes.
- 2. Millions more have fled the region since the conflict with Daesh began.
- 3. LGBT people are frequently killed for their sexuality by both Daesh and the Syrian government.

## **Union Believes**

- 1. That Britain's support for LGBT Human Rights shouldn't stop at our border.
- 2. That LGBT people are fleeing persecution by cruel parties who would execute them for their sexuality.

## **Union Resolves**

- 1. To campaign for the government to extend asylum to LGBT refugees fleeing homophobic persecution.
- 2. To lobby the government to use the department for international development to promote LGBT human rights worldwide.