Effectiveness of a legally enforceable framework on curtailing environmental pollution

**Word Count**: (excluding abstract and references)

**Essay topic:** Responsibility to the Environment

**Thesis:** The fact that the actions of corporations are contributing to irreparable damage to the environment makes a legally enforceable framework necessary in order to punish the most blameworthy firms, while deterring others from causing unnecessary pollution.

# **Abstract**

Word List:

Effectiveness of a Legally Enforceable Framework on Curtailing Environmental Pollution

1. Introduction
2. Business activities causing harm to the environment
3. Countries most affected by environmental pollution
4. Historical and current efforts to curtail environmental pollution
5. Effectiveness of the current environmental conservation efforts
6. Future outlook based on the current trends
7. Effectiveness of a legally enforceable framework on curtailing environmental pollution
   1. Responsibilities of nation states
   2. Enforcing agencies
   3. Recommended sanctions

* The need to toughen the sanctions in order to deter violators

1. Options for appeal

* The need for the establishment of a legal institution

1. Prospects of favorable outcome on account of the proposed legal framework

* The outcome will only be positive of all countries cooperate in developing a workable framework.

1. Conclusion

* A legally enforceable framework is paramount to counter global warming.

# **References**