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**RESEARCH TOPIC: PROBLEM OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT IN NIGERIA.**

**QUESTIONS: STATE THE RESEARCH PROBLEMS, THE AIM OF THE STUDY, THE OBJECTIVES OF THE STUDY AND THE RESEARCH QUESTIONS OF THE STUDY.**

**ANSWER**

**STATEMENT OF THE PROBLEM:**

A healthy environment suppose to clean and free from the hazardous effect of solid waste from human and animals. The aesthetic parts of our environment suppose also to be protected but as a result of increased urbanization and infrequent environmental practices, urban residents dump solid waste carelessly. City officials appear unable to combat unlawful and haphazard dumping of hazardous commercial and industrial wastes which are a clean violation of the clean Air and Health Edicts in our environmental sanitation laws, rules and regulation.

Because of this bad sanitation management, so many people will likely face the risk of needless disease and death. Again non-existence sewage system and toilets fuels the spread of disease like diarrhea. Poor sanitation exercise and refuse generation has its negative effects on the health of the Nigerians, quality of environment and the urban landscape.

This gap between policy formulation, execution and implementation which worsen the problem of solid waste management in Nigeria need to be urgently filled and resolved by strict enforcement and implementation of existing environmental sanitation laws, effective mobilization of resources such as involving all stake holders in regular counter measure to suppress uncontrolled solid waste generation and irregular disposal.

### **AIM OF THE STUDY:**

The aim of this study is to evaluate the problem of solid waste management in Nigeria.

### **OBJECTIVES OF THE STUDY:**

1. To identify the causes of poor solid waste management in Nigeria.
2. To evaluate the problem associated with the management of solid waste in Nigeria.
3. To ascertain the consequences of poor solid waste management in Nigeria.
4. To suggest strategic measures that will be adopted for the management of solid waste in Nigeria.

### **RESEARCH QUESTIONS:**

1. What are causes of poor solid management in Nigeria?
2. What are the problems associated with the management of solid waste in Nigeria?
3. What are the consequences of poor solid waste management in Nigeria?

4. What are the strategic measures that will be adopted for the management of solid waste in Nigeria?