



RESOURCE SHEET 4B: 'Development'

- Latin America has a growing economy – it needs energy.
- More electricity = more jobs = more money = more happiness.
- Hydroelectric power is renewable – it's better than using fossil fuels.
- The environmental impact of the IIRSA scheme has been assessed.
- You can't stop progress – people will be happier in a modern country with modern goods and services.
- A scheme that makes 3000 people homeless but provides electricity for 11 million people is a good thing because it helps more people than it harms.