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### **IF I COULD INVENT SOMETHING NEW**

Looking at the condition of the world today and the situation everybody is in Nigeria, my country, the only thing I could think of is a device that would bring down the high cost of living in this country. So, if I could invent something new, it would be a solar car.

This solar car will be powered with solar energy, that is, the sunlight which is free and natural. As such, solar car would be the best means of transportation, especially now that the country is battling with inflation. Users of solar car would only need to get a very strong solar converter installed in their vehicles, specifically, on top of their car roofs for easy conversion of the energy. Solar car would benefit Nigerians and other countries in many ways.

Firstly, solar car will bring down high cost of living in the country, as the use of fuel will be limited. Taxi drivers and car owners will maximize profit as they will use the money they would have spent on fuel, and car oil to invest in other essential needs of life. This automatically will influence the prices of things in the market to the advantage of the common man. Transportation fare as well, will be affordable.

Secondly, solar car will be environment friendly, in the sense that hydrocarbon produced by automobiles will be reduced. This hydrocarbon constitutes a greater percentage of pollutants in our environment. So, if the rate at which these automobiles generate fumes is reduced, it will reduce the degree of pollution. At the same time, create a conducive, green environment for living.

Thirdly, solar powered cars will help to protect the ozone layer; unlike fueled cars which generate hydrocarbons that damage the ozone layer. We all understand the negative effect ozone layer depletion has on man, as the heat of the sun comes directly on man which may cause some skin diseases, especially cancer.

Lastly, solar car will help to improve the health condition of man as clean air will be readily available for man to inhale. Researchers have shown that the inhalation of hydrocarbon and soot by man has contributed to some health challenges suffered by man, such as, lungs cancer and other organs malfunctioning. Therefore, solar cars will help man maintain good health. Solar car will serve as a means of generating revenue for the country as it will be exported to other countries of the world.

In conclusion, solar car would be more affordable, easy to maintain and environment friendly. It will also preserve human lives as ozone layer depletion and pollution would be reduce to the nearest minimum. As such, solar car would be of great advantage to the people compared to fueled cars. Therefore, if I could invent something new, it would be a solar car.