

## **M.Phil Year 2 Translation 13HT Week 7**

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### **Pollution costing China dear: Report**

1. China is paying an increasing price for pollution brought about by economic development, says a report by the country's environmental protection academy.
2. China spent 3.8 percent of that year's GDP to clean up the environment, according to the statistics in the recently released China Green National Accounting Study Report 2009.
3. It's irresponsible. We enjoy the temporary prosperity and leave the burden to our next generation.
4. As economic globalization expands, most governments in China make economic development a priority and are becoming hostage to the heavy-pollution industries.

[http://www.chinadaily.com.cn/bizchina/2012-02/04/content\\_14537149.htm](http://www.chinadaily.com.cn/bizchina/2012-02/04/content_14537149.htm)