ENVIRONMENTAL HOTSPOTS MAP ARCTIC OCEAN BERING SEA ATLANTIC OCEAN MEDITERRANEAN SEA ' H **GULF OF** Н **MEXICO PACIFIC** CARIBBEAN **OCEAN GULF** SEA **INDIAN OCEAN SOUTHERN OCEAN** Source: Surname. Title. City of Publication. Year Ms. Nason CGR4M

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- A- Alaska and the Arctic: Melting glaciers
- B- Canada-Northern
 Alberta: Environmental
 damage from oil sands
 development
- C- Madagascar: Lemurs' habitat threatened by deforestation
- D- Southern California:Wildfires due to hotterand drier temperatures
- **E-** Philippines: Severe flooding from typhoons
- F- Gulf of Mexico: Number of cat. 4-5 hurricanes doubled in US since 1970s
- G- Amazon Rainforest:
 Deforestation of the largest rainforest in the world
- H- North Pacific Gyre: Great Pacific garbage patch
- I- Ethiopia: Drought due to 30% decrease in rainfall in recent decades
- J- Beijing: Worst air quality in the world
- K- India: Severe poaching of Bengal tigers
- L- Japan: Severe poaching of whales and sharks
- M- Kenya: Severe poaching of elephants and rhinos
- N- Australia: Severe coral bleaching and ocean pollution from