

# Consumerism

Stimulates growth

Provides/creates/generates employment/jobs

Products are thrown away after a few years

Our resources are finite

Fulfill/meet our needs

Replace sth bad with sth new

Bankruptcy=insolvency

Lack of demand leads to many companies' insolvency

The government must support social services

Fundamentals of society

Unsustainable use

Waste disposal is fast becoming a major challenge

Built-in obsolescence

The advertising world

Their constant quest for new markets

Demise

Outstrip

Society relies heavily on consumption

Vitally important

A major shift of attitudes

Consumerism should be controlled so that

It has a minimal impact on the environment