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From the water crisis to the solid waste crisis. A sad experience in the city of La Paz - Bolivia.

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La Paz city has a hard experience due to a bad water and solid waste management policies. During the emergency caused by the



shortage of drinking water for the city of La Paz in November 2016, the local government has used spring water to distribute drinking water to affected areas. The present study has evaluated the physicochemical and bacteriological quality of these water sources and has found that all samples of the studied springs are contaminated by organic and chemical parameters. When everything started to improve, the solid waste crisis comes with a landslide slide, revealing tons of solid waste that went to contaminate the rivers around the city.

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