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At the time of this blog's publishing, the 2016 Olympic Games will have commenced in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, and will end on Sunday, August 21st. Brazil, now the 5th largest country in the world must be ready to host the crowds, the athletes, and the spectators from its country and all over the world for this year's summer Olympics (Olympics, "Rio 2016"; Geohive). Despite the country's initial excitement about hosting the Olympics, it's a big job, and one that requires vast resource expenditures, security measures, and personnel to provide everything the athletes and fans need to enjoy their time at the Olympic Games. Brazil has

infections are rampant in Brazil, and over \$5 billion has been invested to improve sanitation for 15 million people, but some say it is only a quick fix ahead of the Olympic Games, and that the amount invested is nowhere near what it needs to be to sustain the health and cleanliness of the world's fifth largest country (Pinheiro Machado).

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