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book also concludes with a brief consideration of the effects of the

COVID-19 crisis on environmental attitudes, situating the project globally.