



Security Council

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The Security Council,

Recognizing that the United Nations has proclaimed and agreed in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and in the International Covenants on Human Rights that everyone is entitled to all the rights and freedoms set forth therein, without distinction of any kind, such as race, color, sex, language, religion, political or other opinion, national or social origin, property, birth or other status,

Recalling that in the Universal Declaration of Human Rights the United Nations has proclaimed that childhood is entitled to special care and assistance,

Recognizing that the child, for the full and harmonious development of his or her personality, should grow up in a family environment, in an atmosphere of happiness, love and understanding,

1. *Urges* to provide the countries where there is the highest rate of children recruitment with all available and necessary means for investigation of international crimes against children and monitoring fulfillment of human rights under the aegis of the UN;
2. *Agrees* to recognize children recruitment as international crime and to establish special international criminal tribunal aimed at bringing to justice all perpetrators involved in children recruitment;
3. *Requests* to establish a blacklist on the basis of the criminal information database of the International Criminal Police Organization, to strictly restrict the entry of personnel with criminal history of human trafficking, and to conduct regular random checks on criminals so as to combat crime and reduce the crime rate;
4. *Calls on* the United Nations to set up a UN steering group in the countries, that are recognized to have serious child labor problems to increase investment, fight poverty, and solve the problem of child recruitment and involvement in armed conflicts from the root;
5. *Calls upon* imposing economic sanctions and arms embargoes on countries, individuals and organizations which do not obey the SC resolutions 1261, 1308, 1314, 1325, 1379, 1460 and 1539;
6. *Urges* all states to join the key initiative «safe schools declaration» to protect teachers, students, schools and universities while any armed conflict is going

- on by adopting the Guidelines for Protecting Schools and Universities from Military Use during Armed Conflict;
7. Agrees to let the countries take actions upon armed groups using children in armed conflicts to locate and prosecute aforementioned groups without an agreement of international community;
 8. Encourages the countries neighboring the ones that are using children in armed conflict to create temporary shelters for refugees from those suffering from armed conflicts;
 9. Calls on states to update database on governments and organizations that are using children in armed conflicts annually;
 10. Calls on the member states and international organizations to increase the level of interaction and coordination with the countries, which have not ratified the Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on involvement of children in armed conflict by measures such as, but not limited to:
 - a. organizing monitoring every six months for the area related to the manifestation of violence against children,
 - b. promoting projects to attract workers in the field of education in order to form educational platforms for children,
 - c. conducting professional preventive advice to the armed forces of countries on the prevention of child recruiting,
 - d. providing clear reports on arms flows in countries at risk of involving children in armed conflicts;
 11. Strongly suggests regional organizations in the Middle East, Asia and other regions establishing departments dealing with issues of joint fight against children recruitment and which aims will be such as, but not limited to:
 - a. exchange of member states experience in struggling the issues of children recruitment, legislative regulations on children protection and on other related topic,
 - b. implementation of regional programs aimed at improving the socio-economic security of children in countries inside the region which are at risk of the children recruitment problem;
 12. Urges countries-producers of arms to improve their means of controlling the flow of arms with the measures such as, but not limited to:
 - a. placing the serial number of any kind of a gun (arm) not only on the gun (arm) itself, but on the components as well;
 - b. mounting search beacon in any gun unit that is connected with its (gun's) serial number;
 - c. making it impossible to remove a serial number from a gun (arm) by making the gun inappropriate for the future military use if a serial number is removed.