



American Model United Nations
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SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: The Situation in the Democratic Republic of the Congo

SUBMITTED TO: The Security Council

The Security Council,

1 *Deeply concerned* by the threat posed to the Congolese police forces, military, and
2 conservation officials by rebel groups, poachers, black marketers, and other persons
3 involved in such illegal trade,
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5 *Noting further* that the harvesting of mineral resources such gold, diamonds flora
6 and fauna, and rare earth minerals (REMs) by illegitimate means also funds rebel entities
7 within the Democratic Republic of the Congo and other Central African states while
8 simultaneously contributing to black market trade,
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10 *Encouraged* by the recent success of the “intervention brigade” in the Democratic
11 Republic of the Congo in the struggle against the insurgent groups active in the Great
12 Lakes region that resulted in the surrender of the M23 insurgent group to Uganda,
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14 *Deeply concerned* about the continued insurgent activity in the Great Lakes
15 region of the Democratic Republic of the Congo and the destabilizing effect these groups
16 have in the country and the region,
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18 *Noting with appreciation* the collaboration between United Nations Organization
19 Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUSCO), the
20 intervention brigade, and the Congolese Army, and the positive effect this collaboration
21 has had on the morale and revitalization of the Congolese Army,
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23 1. *Confirms* the support of the United States to Jean Pierre Jabogo and the
24 Rangers Assistance Group (RAG) in the Democratic Republic of the Congo to encourage
25 veterans and medical personal to train local Congo populations to further stabilize the
26 domestic resources;
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28 2. *Reiterates* its support for further collaboration between MONUSCO and the
29 Congolese Army as these forces endeavor to establish an atmosphere and reality of
30 security in the Democratic Republic of the Congo;
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32 3. *Urges* the government of the Democratic Republic of the Congo to ensure the
33 protection of human rights throughout this time of conflict;
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35 4. *Strongly condemns* all insurgent groups operating in the Democratic Republic

39 of the Congo and their continuing violence and humanitarian abuses, including summary
40 executions, sexual and gender-based violence, and large-scale recruitment and use of
41 children;

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43 5. *Demands* that all insurgent groups cease all forms of violence and destabilizing
44 activities and that their members immediately and permanently disband and lay down
45 their arms;

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47 6. *Decides* that the offensive operational capacity of MONUSCO against these
48 groups be continued against all insurgent groups still active in the Democratic
49 Republic of the Congo to reduce the threat posed by insurgent groups and to ensure,
50 within its area of operations, the effective protection of civilians under imminent threat
51 of physical violence and humanitarian issues;

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53 7. *Urges* Member States to report any cross-border disturbances stemming from
54 the situation in the Democratic Republic of the Congo to MONUSCO;

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56 8. *Calls* for the Victims and Witnesses Unit to take precautionary measures
57 concerning the protections of the thirty witnesses and their families who intend to testify
58 at the International Criminal Court trial of Bosco Ntaganda.

Passed by consensus, with 1 abstentions