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## American Model United Nations Historical Security Council - 1961

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## Statement by the President of the Security Council

At the meeting of the Security Council, held on 3rd of July, 1961, in connection with the Council's consideration of the item entitled "Situation in Congo," the President of the Security Council made the following statement on behalf of the Council:

The Security Council would like to further encourage all parties involved in the Congo Crisis to entertain 4 a cease-fire in order to allow humanitarian aid to be effectively distributed to the necessary population, noting resolution HSC-1961/1. Additionally, recalling the aforementioned resolution, the Security Council reaffirms the 6 United Nations commitment to hold peace talks for the parties involved. The Security Council supports the peace talks initiated in the region and hopes for their success. The Security Council hopes to expand safe zones based on its prior mandate HSC-1961/4.

The Security Council will continue to pay close attention to developments.

Passed by consensus, with 0 abstentions

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