



American Model United Nations
Historical Security Council – 2003

HSC-2003/3

SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: The Situation in Afghanistan

SUBMITTED TO: The Historical Security Council – 2003

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- 1 *Deeply concerned* with recent acts of terrorism in Afghanistan and the surrounding regions,
2 *Reaffirming* the previous resolutions of the Security Council on the matter, especially Resolution 1314 (2002)
3 and Resolution 1386 (2001),
4 *Bearing in mind* the Counter-Terrorism Committee, created by Resolution 1373 (2001), which assists the
5 United Nations in counter-terrorism measures,
6 *Recognizing* the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights' definition of terrorism as
7 being "commonly understood to refer to acts of violence that target civilians in the pursuit of political or ideological
8 aims",
9 *Recalling* the commitments of the international community with regard to the International Convention for
10 the Suppression of Terrorism Bombings (1997) and the International Convention for the Suppression of the Financing
11 of Terrorism (1999),
12 *Respecting* and committed to the respect of sovereignty, independence and territorial integrity of each Member
13 State,
14 1. *Strongly condemns* the acts of terrorist groups in threatening the peace and security of Member States
15 and the international community and peoples that comprise those nations, including, but not limited to the following
16 events:
17 (a) The attack on the United Nations convoy in Afghanistan that killed two Afghan security officers,
18 as reported on 27 January 2003;
19 (b) The battle between American forces and terrorist insurgents during which American forces seized
20 weapons and bomb-making materials, as reported on 27 January 2003;
21 (c) The bombing of a bridge in Kandahar, Afghanistan which killed 18 people, as reported on 4
22 February 2003;
23 (d) The ambush on American forces by terrorist insurgents, where 17 civilians were killed by the
24 insurgents, as reported 16 February 2003;
25 2. *Designates* the United Nations Counter-Terrorism Committee to review accusations of terrorism sponsored
26 by state actors and provide the Security Council with annual reports detailing any factual claims of state-sponsored
27 terrorism and interim reports as needed;
28 3. *Declares* accordingly that any state that is found by the United Nations Counter-Terrorism Committee
29 to be sponsoring terrorists will face the possibility of sanctions and other consequences that are deemed appropriate
30 by the Security Council;
31 4. *Continues* the support of ongoing missions in the region such as the International Security Assistance
32 Force as envisioned in the Bonn Agreement;
33 5. *Decides* to remain seized of the matter.

Passed, Yes: 15 / No: 0 / Abstain: 0