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Statement by the President of the Security Council

At the meeting of the Security Council, held on 26th of November, 2025, in connection with the Council's consideration of the item entitled "The Situation in Nigeria," the President of the Security Council made the following statement on behalf of the Council:

On 23 November 2025, at approximately 8:41 AM, the United Nations Security Council was made aware of a substantial increase in the larger pattern of the abduction of Nigerian school children and teachers, reaching 1,500 in the region. Due to the increasing scope and size of these actions we find it imperative to address this issue promptly. This becomes increasingly important to address when realizing the state of Niger within Nigeria has already closed schools. Education is a major factor in promoting peace and stable development for future generations, thus these schools need the security to open again. The United Nations Security Council condemns any and all actors involved in the abduction and movement of children and teachers within the country of Nigeria. These school children are the future of the Nigerian state and their educators are the guiding force behind these young minds. It is also important to recognize that both young boys and girls are being abducted. Although we do not yet know the reasoning behind these abductions, we can only imagine the irreversible harm that these abductions may have on both these young boys and girls, as well as their families, communities and education. It is therefore crucial to take immediate action to fully investigate the source and motivation of these abductions to most appropriately guide further actions to root out and eliminate this concerning trend.

The Security Council calls the Third Committee of the General Assembly and the Human Rights Council to investigate this situation and claims of possible genocide in the nation including but not limited to religious and ethnic genocide. The Third Committee of the General Assembly specializes in crises involving childrenan especially vulnerable group that multiple criminal organizations are targeting. Thieving away the childhoods of these children is inhumane, and an extensive investigation must be conducted to find these children and give justice to the families. A thorough investigation needs to be done to find and charge those who are responsible, and the Third Committee of the General Assembly with the Human Rights Council are the most equipped to do so.

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

Passed by consensus, with 0 abstention

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