Forum: United Nations Security Council

**Question of:** Securing Peace and Enhancing Human Rights in Afghanistan

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The United Nations Security Council, 1 2 *Increasingly concerned* by the threat of attacks brought on by various militant groups 3 domestically and internationally, 4 5 6 Acknowledging the need for economic support at a time of instability to support the country and 7 its people, 8 9 Noting with regret the oppression faced by women and various Afghan ethnicities when it comes to education and career, 10 11 Alarmed by the grave human rights crisis unfolding in Afghanistan in deep concern over the 12 widespread human rights violations occurring in the country, 13 14 15 Expecting the prevention of manufacturing, abuse and trafficking of a controlled substance, 16 Emphasising the urgent need for all parties involved in the Afghanistan conflict to immediately 17 cease human rights violations, 18 19 20 Alarmed by the scenery of demographic decline in the Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan due to neglect from the geopolitical powers of the world, 21 22 Understanding the crucial role of humanitarian aid in alleviating the suffering of internally 23 displaced persons (IDPs) and refugees affected by the Afghan crisis to strengthen institutions 24 responsible for human rights protection and promotion in the country, 25 26 Deeply convinced Islam is a religion of peace and compassion that respects and protects the 27 28 rights of all women and girls, *emphasising* that the human rights violations stem from an abuse of Islam and Sharia Law, 29 30 Affirming that creating long lasting peace and forming a stable and prosperous Afghanistan 31 32 should be the top-priority, *convinced* the prevention of another violent conflict is essential, Taking into account the 3.5 million Afghan refugees fleeing to other countries, especially 33 Pakistan and Iran, 34

36 Expressing its support for the establishment of an inclusive, representative government,

Deeply concerned about the obstruction and undermining of the work of the United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan (UNAMA) caused by the ban of women in Afghanistan working for Non-Governmental Organisations (NGOs), and *stressing* the important role UNAMA will play in promoting stability in the country,

1. <u>Proposes</u> the investment into new infrastructure opportunities and other sectors to economically stimulate a politically insecure country via voluntary donation of member states to UNAMA:

a. infrastructure projects take a lengthy amount of time to complete, which provides stable job opportunities for the Afghan people, therefore boosting the economy:

i. the construction of methods of transport, such as railways and highways, will provide easier access to various places throughout the country and will benefit supply chains,

ii. this advancement will better help the country in becoming more economically linked throughout the region, transforming the isolated country into one that can be connected with others,

iii. this promotes trade and economic cooperation, resulting in growth and security,

iv. while ensuring that no excessive dependencies from global powers are created and abuse of infrastructure by drug traffickers, terrorist groups, or outside states who may without transparency extract resources from Afghanistan,

b. bettering and Investing in the fields of science and technology aids the country in developing a sustainable nation,

c. encouraging cooperation in the means of agriculture, disaster recovery, and poverty alleviation once again emphasises the strive for peace and rehabilitation of the nation;

**2.** <u>Strongly discourages</u> forceful intervention in Afghan matters by UN member states unless deemed absolutely necessary by the Security Council since foreign involvement from an international standpoint has brought on countless losses and sources of pain for the Afghan people in the last twenty years, such as:

i. regional involvement should be primarily considered due to proximity reasons, but still kept at a minimum,

ii. military involvement should be avoided at all costs, in order to encourage security for Afghanistan,

iii. it is not believed that military units shall be deployed into the country or its neighbours, as an effort to further relevant countries' geo-political agendas on the basis of terrorism;

3.	Strongly condemns any attempt to replace the current leadership of Afghanistan by
	force to avoid increasing instability;

**4.** <u>Suggests</u> that actions are being taken by the Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan to internally resolve the problem on behalf of opium breeding after an economic revolution took place in Afghanistan;

## 5. Strives to resolve narcotics issues:

illegal activities related to drugs,

 a. supporting the end of illicit narcotics in Afghanistan, aids in achieving better social discourse throughout the country and bettering quality of life for Afghans,

b. working with the Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan in an effort to crack-down and further prevent the illicit drug trafficking throughout the country and across borders, betters relationships with the people and eliminates the source of narcotics within the region,

c. aimed with the goal of preventing the illegal export of narcotics from Afghanistan to other countries;

**6.** <u>Asks</u> regional neighbours for supporting putting an end to the drug crisis in Afghanistan and suggests the implementation of new laws such as, but not limited to:

 establishing high fines for drug trafficking through the borders and accordingly checking the borders for them,

b. using international resources such as Interpol and the UNODC to further monitor

c. legalizing the use of drugs in small amounts for medical reasons through prescriptions of a licensed pharmacy or similar institutions that are to be established by the Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan;

7. <u>Invites</u> strengthened counterterrorism, counter-separatism, and counter-extremism Initiatives:

a. Afghanistan firmly believes in its opposition to becoming a "terrorist haven" for various military groups,

b. active measures must be taken through various channels to eliminate youth radicalization, the spread of terrorist ideologies, and terrorist video materials to both cure the symptoms of terrorism in the nation and prevent its increase,

c. international cooperation between global and regional powers and the Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan is required to be able to share vital intelligence and coordinate joint operations, limiting the risks which terrorism imposes;

**8. Prioritizes** achieving a prudent and fair governance in Afghanistan:

a. the government of Afghanistan shall be one that represents all its people and secures each individual their basic rights,

b. by developing a stable and representative government in Afghanistan, it opens opportunities for trade and interaction with neighbouring countries, once again stimulating advancement,

132	Afghan refugee crisis,	
133	c. asking countries receiving monetary aid to use the monetary aid provided to give	
134	shelter, food, water and safety to the Afghan refugees,	
135	d. requesting that the countries receiving monetary funds give monthly reports on	
136	how the money provided is spent,	
137	e. allocate funds to improve conditions of shelters for IDPs;	
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139	10. Recommends that the Afghan government is helped in matters:	
140	a. the state treasury and planning expenditures,	
141	b. by participating, all countries shall eventually benefit from the investment first	
142	made in this up-and-coming state,	
143	c. investigating new ways for Afghanistan to develop economically and socially;	
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145	11. Calls for the full respect of women's and girls' rights in Afghanistan, and calls upon	
146	the Taliban to revoke their policies restricting the freedom and opportunities of women	
147	and girls including but not limited to:	
148	a. the ban of women in Afghanistan working for NGOs,	
149	b. the ban of girls in Afghanistan getting higher education,	
150	c. the restriction of women and girls to travel more than 75 kilometres without a	
151	male family member,	
152	d. the ban of women in the political and judiciary sectors:	
153	i. respecting and acknowledging the different cultural customs of each	
154	member state, such as The Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan, the council	
155	invites women to participate in governmental matters and be employed	
156	in the aforementioned fields,	
157	ii. urges all member states to from now on include women in all diplomatic	
158	delegations and trade delegations that are sent to the Islamic Emirate of	
159	Afghanistan,	
160	e. the restrictions regarding women's dresscode;	
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162	12. <u>Resolves</u> that UNAMA will, despite the recent implementation of policies hindering its	
163	work, continue its mission in Afghanistan and help advance the situation in support of	
164	the Afghan People;	
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166	13. Strongly condemns the Taliban's violations of human rights, which are unlawful under	
167	international law including the UN Charter and the Universal Declaration of Human	
168	Rights, included but not limited to:	
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c. ensuring that the judges upholding the rule of law in Afghanistan are

b. for this particular issue, the support will be mainly focused on Iran and Pakistan,

two neighbouring countries consistently welcoming and dealing with the

9. Proclaims the establishment of a specific program in the UNAMA, the RSDPP

a. funded by a budget of donations from United Nations member states,

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independent;

(Refugee Support for Displaced Persons Program):

169	a. f	undamental education,
170	b. p	political inclusion,
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173	e. u	inlawful detention,
174	f. re	efugee rehabilitation;
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176	14. <u>Propose</u>	s further research on Afghanistan by the United Nations to:
177	a. n	nonitor Afghanistan to see if changes following the guidelines, set in this
178	a	greement by the countries of the United Nations will be made,
179	b. ii	nvestigate further violations of human rights and international law;
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181	15. Invites t	the countries of the United Nations and the Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan to
182	Geneva,	in an effort to create better diplomatic relations between countries;
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184	16. <u>Decides</u>	to stay actively seized of the matter.
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187	<b>Voting Results</b>	
188	In favour: 11	
189	Against: 2	
190	Abstentions: 2	