

**Security Council**

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Letter dated 29 August 2025 from the President of the Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General

I have the honour to inform you that your letter dated 25 August 2025 ([S/2025/542](#)) concerning the financing of the Residual Special Court for Sierra Leone for 2026 has been brought to the attention of the members of the Security Council.

They take note of the intention expressed in your letter with the understanding that the requested subvention will be subsequently reimbursed from the voluntary contributions received by the Court and that the voluntary nature of the funding arrangement of the Court will not be changed.

(Signed) Eloy **Alfaro de Alba**
President of the Security Council

