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## THE SITUATION IN THE REPUBLIC OF THE CONGO

Ghana, India, Indonesia, Iraq, Morocco, United Arab Republic  
and Yugoslavia: draft resolutionThe General Assembly,

Recalling its resolution 1474 (ES-IV) of 20 September 1960 as well as the resolutions of 14 and 22 July and of 9 August 1960 of the Security Council and in particular the request therein to the Secretary-General to continue to take vigorous action,

In view of the grave and ominous developments and continuing deterioration in the Congo, the prevalence of anarchic conditions and the absence of effective Central authority,

Noting with grave concern the hostile attitude and resistance of armed detachments to the operation of the United Nations in the Congo as recently reported by the Special Representative of the Secretary-General and also the continuation of lawlessness, violence and continuing deterioration of the economic situation in the Congo,

Conscious of the inescapable and urgent responsibility of the United Nations both in the interests of the Congo as well as in the interests of peace and security which stand endangered and for the avoidance of grave civil war,

1. Considers that the United Nations must henceforth implement its mandate fully to prevent breach of peace and security, to restore and maintain law and order and the inviolability of persons, including United Nations and diplomatic personnel and property, in accordance with the Charter and to take urgent measures to assist the people of the Congo in meeting their most pressing economic needs;

2. Urges the immediate release of all political prisoners under detention, more particularly, members of the Central Government of the Congo and officials of Parliament and others enjoying Parliamentary immunity;

3. Urges the immediate convening of Parliament and the taking of necessary protective measures thereto by the United Nations, including custodial duties;

4. Urges that measures be undertaken forthwith to prevent armed units and personnel in the Congo from any interference in the political life of the country as well as from obtaining any material or other support from abroad;

5. Draws the attention of the Government of Belgium to its grave responsibilities in disregarding the resolutions of the United Nations;

6. Demands that all Belgian military and quasi-military personnel, advisers and technicians be immediately withdrawn in pursuance of the resolutions of the United Nations, the repeated pledges and assurances given by the Government of Belgium and in the interest of peace and security.

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