



# Security Council

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## Russian Federation: draft resolution

*The Security Council,*

*Reaffirming* the purposes and principles of the Charter of the United Nations,

*Recalling* Article 2(4) of the Charter of the United Nations, which prohibits the use of force against the territorial integrity or political independence of any State,

*Expressing its deep concern* over the current military escalation in the Middle East and beyond,

*Mourning* the tragic loss of life throughout the ongoing hostilities in the region,

1. *Urges* all parties to immediately stop their military activities and refrain from further escalation in the Middle East and beyond;

2. *Condemns* in the strongest terms all attacks against civilians and civilian infrastructure, and *calls* for their protection, *underscoring* the obligations of all parties under international law, including international humanitarian law;

3. *Underlines* the importance of ensuring security of all States in the region of the Middle East and beyond;

4. *Strongly encourages* all parties concerned to return to negotiations without any further delay and to make full use of political and diplomatic means.

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