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Topic: The situation in the Great Lakes region (Africa)

Recognizing the conflict in the Great Lakes Region of Africa as a humanitarian crisis,

Taking into account the division of ethnic groups between countries,

Noting the struggles of the governments involved in the struggles of the Great Lakes Region,

Fully believing that the great lakes region has the potential to become a strong group of countries,

Viewing with appreciation the progress already being made on this topic,

Emphasizing the importance of the goals outlined by the Peace, Security and Cooperation framework,

Keeping in mind the need for sustainable and long term solutions,

1. Supports local elections;

2. Recommends diversifying governments;

3. Trusts peacekeepers to distribute supplies appropriately;

4. Encourages the affected countries to create the position of impartial legal advisors;

5. Calls upon the leaders and ethnic groups affected to attend a summit held in an unaffected country to address the situation;
6. Expresses the United Nations hope that awareness and funding for this situation can be gained through social media;

7. Calls upon other nations to contribute to a fund to support the stabilization of the great lakes region of Africa;

8. Recommends that countries establish quotas on the resources each country in the region can take from the lake;

9. Encourages the creation of a committee to oversee and monitor the lake;

10. Suggests that some funding will supply the peacekeepers improved equipment;

11. Draws attention to the need to educate the general public on the working of a successful government;

12. Supports all current organizations that are taking action to improve the lives of people in the Great Lakes region;

13. Reminds countries of resolution 1653 that States that the citizens of the countries in Africa have the right to vote.