



COMMUNITY
OF DEMOCRACIES

The Community of Democracies Parliamentary Forum

RESOLUTION On the Situation in Georgia

The convening meeting, 2010 March 12

1. Deeply concerned with the lack of progress on safe and dignified return of all IDPs to their homes as well as humanitarian situation of Georgian citizens remaining in the occupied territories;
2. Deeply concerned with the continuous absence of international monitoring mechanisms from Abkhazia, Georgia and South Ossetia, Georgia as a result of vetoing of extension of the OSCE and the UN missions in Georgia by the Russian Federation and its refusal to grant access to the European Union Monitoring Mission (EUMM);
3. Condemns the ongoing militarization of Georgian regions of Abkhazia and South Ossetia, by the Russian Federation;
4. Deeply concerned by continuous non-fulfillment of the EU-brokered Ceasefire Agreement by the Russian Federation and particularly non-withdrawal to ex ante war positions;
5. Confident that successful implementation of principles entailed in the new Georgian State Strategy on Reintegration and further democratization of Georgia will inevitably contribute to peaceful resolution of the conflicts.

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6. Urges the government of Russian Federation to implement the EU-brokered Cease Fire Agreement of August 12;
7. Urges the Russian federation, in line with Resolutions of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe 1633, 1647 and 1683; Declarations of Budapest (1994), Lisbon (1996) and Istanbul (1999) of the OSCE heads of states summits; as well as Resolution 62/249 of May 15, 2008 and Resolution 63/307 of September 9, 2009 of the UN General Assembly, to work towards reversal of acts of ethnic cleansing;

8. Urges the Georgian government to work towards implementing its own State Strategy on Reintegration and constructively engage communities remaining on the occupied territories as well as continue democratic reforms in all areas;
9. Reaffirms its attachment to territorial integrity and sovereignty of Georgia.