Forum: Security Council

Question of: Libya – Reconstructing a Failing State

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The Security Council,

Reaffirming its strong commitment to the sovereignty, independence, territorial integrity, and national unity of Libya,

Determining that the situation in Libya continues to be a threat to international peace and security,

Recalling the arms embargo, travel bans, assets freezes and regulations concerning illicit oil exports, as imposed by UN-resolutions 1970 (2011), 1973 (2011), 2009 (2011), 2040 (2012), 2095 (2013), 2144 (2014), 2146 (2014), 2174 (2014) and 2213 (2015),

Recalling resolution 2259 (2015), which welcomes the signing of the 17 December 2015 Libyan Political Agreement of Skhirat, Morocco and endorses the Rome communiqué of 13 December 2015 to support the Government of National Accord as the sole legitimate government of Libya, that should be based in Tripoli, and further expressing its determination in this regard to support the Government of National Accord,

Recalling that international law, as reflected in the *United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea* of 10 December 1982, sets out the legal framework applicable to activities in the ocean, in this case the Mediterranean Sea,

Expressing its concern that the illicit armament of newly formed terrorist groups leads to destabilisation of the country and neighbour countries,

Alarmed by the over 2000 militias that occupy various minor territories in Libya and constitute a growing threat for the whole population through their actions,

Noting with deep concern the increasing presence of ISIL in Libya as part of a deliberate strategy by this terrorist group to expand its operations, to transfer its nucleus from Syria and Iraq after the setbacks recently suffered by ISIS and to create a base in Libya from which to expand into the Maghreb, Sahel and beyond,

Noting with appreciation the arrival of the Presidential Council on 30 March 2016 in Tripoli, led by Prime Minister Fayez as-Sarradsch, that faces difficulties in endorsing the Government of National Accord, which makes the political process moving forward and responding to the Libyan people's desire to achieve peace and stability, a necessity for progress and development,

Welcoming the extension of the UNSMIL's mandate for six months as requested by the UN-Secretary
 General and equally supports the mediation efforts of Special Representative Martin Kobler for a
 peaceful solution to the Libyan crisis;

Fully alarmed by the growing influx of migrants and refugees that embark on the dangerous journey across the Mediterranean Sea from Libya to Europe and also by the enormous number of internally displaced persons in Libya,

Deeply disturbed by the actions of parties which violate human rights and put the security of civilians in Libya in great danger,

Acting under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations;

Encourages all relevant parties and regional stakeholders of the conflict to participate in a
dialogue and stimulate having negotiations to clarify the situation, in this regard also to resolve
the institutional and political crisis on the basis of the Libyan Political Agreement;

2. <u>Urges</u> the responsible Libyan leaders to advance the political process in Libya for applying a spirit of inclusiveness, determination and good will;

3. **Further urges** all parties in this war to

a. respect human rights and international humanitarian law and therefore

b. allow immediate access for international human rights monitors;

4. <u>Supports</u> the maintenance of the arms embargo for all parties until an effective government is

established in Libya and state authority is present all over the country, in order to avoid weapons continuously being smuggled to militias and terrorist groups across the region,

- a. considers exemptions by the Security Council Sanctions Committee in a case by case approach,

 requests the Sanctions Committee being responsible for the enforcement of the arms embargo imposed on Libya, codified in Resolution 1970 (2011), to approve the exemption of the embargo for the Government of National Accord and its military forces, so this government has the instruments to enforce military stability and guarantee security for its people;

5. <u>Calls for the UNHCR to maintain delivering aid for migrants in Libya;</u>

6. <u>Further recommends</u> a broadening of the UNSMIL's mandate to put an end to the exploitation of national resources and to ensure that the Libyan people on this issue can decide upon their own resources;

7. <u>Suggests</u> that foreign military forces, e.g. forces of the African Union and, if necessary, forces of UN member states to

 help training the Libyan army to use the weapons requested from the UN, so the Libyan Government is able to counter jihadi groups like Da'esch or Ansar al-Sharia and generate security and stability,

b. further support the country with reconstruction aid especially in regained territories to stabilise these regions by

85		 building and reconstructing infrastructure,
36		ii. ensuring the supply of clean water, food and electricity to the civil population,
87		iii. rebuilding schools and other public buildings as well as private homes,
88		c. not directly intervene in combat activities on Libyan territory;
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90	8.	Requests all member states to actively support the Presidential Council of the Government of
91		National Accord so it is able to unify the nation and guarantee security and peace to the Libyan
92		people;
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94	9.	<u>Condemns</u> all efforts by member states of the United Nations Organization or other
95		supranational organizations which could undermine the sovereignty and authority of the
96		Government of National Accord, including foreign military on Libyan territory against the explicit

- <u>Proposes</u> the World Bank to be a temporary official bank of Libya, but without any authorisation to conduct equities trading, speculations and uncovered sale, called "New Libyan Institute for Investment";
- 11. Further requests the establishment of a fund to financially aid the GNA
 - a. to re-establish and improve the educational system,
 - b. financed by every country of the UN adjusted to its GDP,
 - i. especially by the European and North American countries that are particularly threatened by terrorist attacks,
 - ii. and also states that are known to finance IS,
 - c. that is generally dedicated to the fight against ISIL,
 - d. that helps medical organisations;

request of the national government;

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- 12. <u>Supports</u> any further ideas, measures and strategies which can be helpful in the problem-solving process;
- 13. <u>Decides</u> to remain actively seized of the matter.