

4.2.2 Der Bürgerkrieg in Syrien – Was können die Vereinten Nationen tun?

M 6 ● Einstimmig abgestimmt – Bringt die Syrien-Resolution des Sicherheitsrates die Wende?

Hilfen zum Textverständnis

to shepherd – führen, leiten

ceasefire – Waffenstillstand

under auspices – unter dem Schutz

to convene – einberufen
negotiations – Verhandlungen

was adopted unanimously – wurde einstimmig angenommen

credible, inclusive and non-sectarian governance – glaubwürdiges, integratives und nicht abweichlerisches Regierungshandeln

including members of the diaspora, eligible to vote – eingeschlossen die Wahlberechtigung der Vertriebenen

to release arbitrarily detained persons – willkürlich inhaftierter Personen freilassen
cease attacks – Angriffe beenden

including shelling – einschließlich Beschuss

In its first resolution to focus on the politics of ending Syria's five-year-long war, the Security Council today gave the United Nations an enhanced role in **shepherding** the opposing sides to talks for a political transition, with a timetable for a **ceasefire**, a new constitution and elections, all **under UN auspices**. Meeting at Foreign Minister level, the Council asked Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon to **convene** Government and opposition representatives in formal **negotiations** early next month on a political transition as a step to lasting peace, in line with the 2012 Geneva Communiqué and consistent with the 14 November 2015 International Syria Support Group (ISSG) on the issue. The resolution **was adopted unanimously** after Mr. Ban briefed the 15-member body on his meeting earlier in the day with the International Syria Support Group, comprised of the Arab League, the European Union, the United Nations, and 17 countries, including the United States and Russia, which has been seeking a path forward for several months. [...] The Council called for a Syrian-led political process facilitated by the UN to establish within six months "**credible, inclusive and non-sectarian governance**," setting a schedule for drafting a new constitution, with free and fair elections to be held within 18 months under UN supervision

with all Syrians, **including members of the diaspora, eligible to vote**. It acknowledged the close linkage between a ceasefire and a parallel political process, with the former to come into effect as soon as the sides have begun initial steps towards a political transition under UN auspices. The resolution asked Mr. Ban through the offices of his Special Envoy Staffan de Mistura to determine the modalities of a ceasefire and plan to support its implementation, while urging Member States, in particular members of the ISSG, to accelerate all efforts to achieve a ceasefire, including through pressing all relevant parties to adhere to one. [...] The resolution also called on the parties to immediately allow rapid and safe access throughout Syria for immediate humanitarian aid to reach all people in need, and to **release arbitrarily detained persons, particularly women and children**. Finally, it demanded that all parties immediately **cease attacks** against civilians, including medical facilities and personnel and the indiscriminate use of weapons, **including shelling** and aerial bombardment, and stressed the "critical need to build conditions for the safe and voluntary return of refugees and internally displaced persons to their home areas."

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M 7 ● Die Rolle der Hilfsorganisationen im Krisengebiet

Die 21 Gruppen - darunter Oxfam, World Vision, Pax Christi International, Save the Children und Handicap International - sprachen von einem „katastrophalen Zeugnis“ für die Vereinten Nationen und die Konfliktparteien. Die Helfer werfen dem

Sicherheitsrat vor, dass keine seiner drei Resolutionen etwas bewirkt habe. „Die bittere Realität ist, dass der UN-Sicherheitsrat die UN-Resolutionen nicht umgesetzt hat. [...]“, sagte Kathrin Wieland von Save the Children. Statt geschützt zu werden, hätten