



PRESS STATEMENT ON SUDAN'S PEACE INITIATIVE PRESENTED AT UNPSC

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Bujumbura, Burundi. 31st December, 2025. The Secretariat of the International Conference on the Great Lakes Region (ICGLR) welcomes the peace initiative presented by the Transitional Government of Sudan at the United Nations Security Council on 22nd December 2025. This initiative provides a comprehensive and forward-looking framework that seeks to end the country's nearly three-year war, which has created the world's worst humanitarian crisis.

The Conference Secretariat expresses strong support to Sudan's initiative and calls on all concerned parties to immediately accept this plan without preconditions. ICGLR believes that such an approach is essential for achieving lasting peace and stability in the country because it guarantees an inclusive process grounded in transitional justice, national reconciliation, and broad political participation.

The ICGLR reiterates its commitment to Sudanese-led dialogue during the transitional period, underscoring the importance of establishing a national consensus on governance and unity within a unified constitutional framework. ICGLR is ready to accompany the Sudanese Government in achieving peace, stability and organising free and fair elections to realise the aspirations of the Sudanese people for democracy and stability.

ICGLR reaffirms its unwavering commitment to the unity, sovereignty, and territorial integrity of Sudan, as well as to advancing peace and stability in the Great Lakes Region.

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