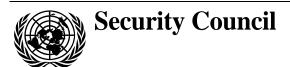
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Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict

Letter dated 14 January 2008 from the President of the Security Council to the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo

On 19 July 2007, the Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict, established by Security Council resolution 1612 (2005), examined the report of the Secretary-General on children and armed conflict in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (S/2007/391). Following its meeting of 18 September 2007, the Working Group adopted its conclusions on parties to the armed conflict in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (S/AC.51/2007/17).

In follow-up to the recommendations of the Working Group, approved by the Security Council, I am entrusted, in my capacity as the President of the Council, to inform you of the grave concern of the Working Group regarding the repeated violations of Council resolutions on children and armed conflict by the persons named in the above-mentioned report of the Secretary-General.

(Signed) Giadalla A. Ettalhi President of the Security Council

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