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Afghanistan has not been able to provide stability throughout the 20th and 21st centuries and has become a geography where millions of people have suffered over the years. Thousands of fighters and civilians have died and been caught in the middle of conflict in neighboring countries and Afghanistan in the conflict that has continued for 20 years. The political disunity, internal conflicts in the country seem to have affected not only neighboring countries and Afghanistan in terms of politics, social and security, but also many countries from the Balkans to Africa, which are thought to be unrelated to the region. It is seen that many geographies have been affected ideologically and militarily by the Taliban's dominance in almost all of Afghanistan, This situation has revealed important problems such as the refugee crisis problem around the world and the use of terrorist groups in Afghanistan as a safe haven. In addition to the loss of thousands of lives and property in the Middle East, there are possible consequences such as increased crime rates and threatening regimes in other countries. In Afghanistan, thousands of people died and were driven from their homes, as well as women's and children's rights were violated, internal conflicts increased due to the lack of political unity, education was disrupted, income rates decreased, and economic collapse occurred, Due to the lack of central unity, uprisings may increase. It is very important to impose sanctions in order to prevent rights violations and possible major crises in Central Asia, the World and Afghanistan.

The UN Special Political Mission, the agreements concluded by the United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan (UNAMA) on its establishment, etc. it laid the foundations of sustainable peace and development for the state and people of Afghanistan with, therefore resolution 2543 (2020) extending through 17 September 2021 the mandate of the United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan (UNAMA) is important. Resolution 2021/486 for international peace and security is also important for new measures submitted to the Security Council. Guidelines for peacekeeping and recommendations are in articles 41 and 42. The unofficial group 6+2 of which Turkmenistan is a member, operating under the auspices of the UN, held important meetings and conferences at the UN headquarters and other venues, took important decisions and made peaceful agreements such as the Tashkent Declaration("On Fundamental Principles for a Peaceful Settlement of the Conflict in Afghanistan"). They made recommendations and they continue to do so. "To abandon the Afghan people now would be a historic mistake — a mistake that has been made before with tragic consequences," said Deborah Lyons, the Secretary-General's Special Representative and Head of the United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan (UNAMA) shows, espite tremendous challenges, the UN is committed to providing assistance and services to millions in need, adhering to the principles of humanity, impartiality and independence.

A condition of persistent instability along the Afghan-Turkmen border will have a negative impact on the main trade and energy gateways, hence Afghanistan arrived in the capital of Turkmenistan on February 6 and there were discussions on the subject. In Afghanistan, the Turkmen population accounts for 3 percent of the total, or approximately 1 million people. Clashes on the Turkmen-Afghan border pose threats to Turkmenistan. Past events also support this. Turkmens living in Afghanistan make up 3% of Afghanistan, that is, approximately 1,000,000. Internal conflicts and conflicts in Afghanistan also harm Turkmen. Accordingly, we are conviced that there is np purely military solution of the Afghan conflict, which must be settled through peaceful political negotiation in order to establish a broad -based,multi- ethnic and fully representative Government, Political unity should be tried to be achieved with the support of the UN by bringing restrictions and softening to the Taliban. Turkmenistan is strong adherent of peaceful resolution of issues through

political, diplomatic means.

Besides the Taliban, the existing system of power-sharing between militant groups will create mutual lack of trust, problems and rebellions. A new government will need to be worked out from within, but international facilitation will be required and its survival is likely to hinge on an international presence. Afghan parties must resume political negotiations and The UN should establish a commission to gain centralized power over the region, by support of group 6+2 this delegation should be an impartial delegation. Indeed, re-establishing a function state, supported by neighboring states and integrated into the international community, is likely to be the most effective strategy in preventing terorist groups' contuinued use of Afghanistan as a safe haven. Since DISEC may be insufficient in this area, cooperation with other organs should be established and support should be obtained from otherun organs. DISEC committee Afghan and international parties should support UNAMA in particular. Requests the Secretary-General to submit a written report to the Security Council on strategic and operational recommendations for the mandate of UNAMA, in light of recent political, security and social developments, further requests the Secretary-General to brief the Council on the situation in Afghanistan and the work of UNAMA every other month. On the migrant crisis, funds should be created by the UN with the support of developed countries for the countries that will receive immigration.