



Council of Presidents of the United Nations General Assembly  
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The Council of Presidents of the United Nations General Assembly ( UNCPGA) following with deep concern the recent developments resulting from the Israeli assault on the sovereignty of the State of Qatar, manifested in the conduct of an unlawful military operation that attempted to assassinate political leaders of Hamas during ongoing negotiations in which the State of Qatar is engaged as part of its mediation role:

-Affirm that this assault constitutes a flagrant violation of international law and the Charter of the United Nations, and an infringement of the principles of respect for the sovereignty of states and non-interference in their internal affairs.

-Strongly condemn the violation of the sovereignty and territorial integrity of the State of Qatar.

-Strongly condemn targeting of political figures during a negotiation process, as this undermines international and regional efforts aimed at achieving peace and stability.

-Stress the necessity of respecting the inviolability of the territory of states and ensuring the safety and security of negotiators at all times.

-Demand that Israel immediately cease such hostile actions and hold it fully responsible for the grave consequences of this escalation.

-Call upon the international community to take urgent action to provide the necessary protection for civilians and targeted states, and to ensure that such violations are not repeated.

-Reaffirm the commitment of the United Nations to the principles of peace and international security, and to supporting all efforts aimed at reaching a just and comprehensive solution that guarantees the legitimate rights of the Palestinian people and puts an end to the suffering of the peoples of the region.

-Reaffirms its UNCPGA Bratislava Declaration concerning the situation in the Middle East, which was circulated as an Official document of the UN General Assembly by the UN Secretary General.

-Calls on the UN Security Council to take urgent action to address this grave situation.

-Expresses its full support for the Statements issued by the President of the UN General Assembly and the UN Secretary General concerning this grave situation.

**Issued in New York,**

**On behalf of the Council of Presidents of the United Nations General Assembly ( UNCPGA)**