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Security Council at its 6063rd meeting, on

08 January 2009 (of all civilians, uri)Gaza

the deterioration of the situation in Gaza since the refusal to extend the ceasefire and Israeli civilian population.

*Expressing deep concern* about the situation in Gaza,

*Emphasizing* the need to protect the people through the

*Recognizing* the need for economic assistance with

*Recalling* that a lasting peace can be achieved by peaceful means,

*Reaffirming* the right of all States to their own and internationally recognized borders,

1. *Stresses* the urgency of and *calls* for the respected ceasefire, leading to the full withdrawal
2. *Calls for* the unimpeded provision and distribution of humanitarian assistance, including of food, fuel and medical supplies
3. *Welcomes* the initiatives aimed at creating and opening up corridors and other mechanisms for the sustained delivery of humanitarian aid



4. *Calls on* Member States to support international efforts to alleviate the humanitarian and economic situation in Gaza, including through urgently needed additional contributions to UNRWA and through the Ad Hoc Liaison Committee;

5. *Condemns* all violence and hostilities directed against civilians and all acts of terrorism;

6. *Calls upon* Member States to intensify efforts to provide arrangements and guarantees in Gaza in order to sustain a durable ceasefire and calm, including to prevent illicit trafficking in arms and ammunition and to ensure the sustained reopening of the crossing points on the basis of the 2005 Agreement on Movement and Access between the Palestinian Authority and Israel; and in this regard, *welcomes* the Egyptian initiative, and other regional and international efforts that are under way;

7. *Encourages* tangible steps towards intra-Palestinian reconciliation including in support of mediation efforts of Egypt and the League of Arab States as expressed in the 26 November 2008 resolution, and consistent with Security Council resolution 1850 (2008) and other relevant resolutions;

8. *Calls for* 8. additional contributions to UNRWA and through the Ad Hoc Liaison Committee;