

Security Council

ISIS and oil fields

1. **Fully aware** of the political crisis occurring in Syria and of the intervention of international forces and the United Nations Supervision Mission in Syria (UNSMIS), a United Nations peacekeeping mission in Syria, set up in 2012 as a result of United Nations Security Council Resolution 2043 in response to the Syrian Civil War ,
2. **Deeply concerned** by the violence that has been occurring in the Middle East and the importance of the issue of populations displaced as a consequence of the civil unrest,
3. **Alarmed** by the infringement of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights proclaimed in 1948 by the terrorist group ISIS, the violations include targeted killings, forced conversions, abductions, trafficking of women, slavery, sexual abuse, destruction of religious and cultural sites of significance and the besieging of entire communities because of ethnic, religious and sectarian affiliation
4. **Recalling** the appropriation of multiple oil fields by ISIS and the financial power they now possess, permitting them to develop their military power thus becoming even more dangerous and powerful ,
5. **Recognizing** that the religious and political issues linked to this issue are making a transition towards a stable society and government difficult,
6. **Bearing** in mind that past international military interventions have led to the creation of ISIS, notably by the Americans who armed the Syrian rebels in the hopes of overthrowing the government, which resulted with former rebels joining the ISIS ranks,
7. **Confident** in a peaceful outcome for the Syrian crisis,