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## **RESOLUTION**

### **Resolution on the Political Situation in Ukraine**

*The Assembly of Delegates of the Federal Union of European Nationalities (FUEN) adopted the following resolution in Hotel des Nordens in Flensburg, Germany, on 10 May 2014:*

The Federal Union of European Nationalities (FUEN) is alarmed over the escalating violence in Ukraine. We express our deep concern about the political situation in Ukraine, where over the past weeks the situation has further deteriorated at an increasing pace.

Reaffirming our commitment to Ukraine's sovereignty, political independence, unity and territorial integrity within its internationally recognized borders, we call on all sides to refrain from violence and de-escalate and improve the security situation in Ukraine.

We express our deepest condolences to the victims of the violence in Kiev and other Ukrainian cities; we call on the Ukrainian authorities to fully respect fundamental rights and freedoms. The immediate and urgent priority must be to avoid further bloodshed and save human lives.

We express our solidarity with our member organizations in Ukraine: the Society of the Carpatho-Rusyns, the Council of Germans, the Cultural Alliance of Hungarians in Transcarpathia and the Mejlis of the Crimean Tatar People.

We call for a political, democratic and peaceful solution of the situation in Ukraine and we call on all parties and the international and European organisations to support the process of a conflict de-escalating dialogue that takes the adherence in Ukraine of European minority standards and human rights full into account. FUEN offers its involvement and expertise to resolve the minority issues related to the conflict in Ukraine.