## MULTI-YEAR APPEAL SUDAN





## Earmarked funding requested: \$1.7 million

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Support the Personal Envoy in his mediation efforts and on political initiatives to resolve the conflict

Sustain good offices diplomacy with key stakeholders in the region and above

Support the convening of talks with the parties, and help coordinate multilateral mediation efforts on Sudan

As the political arm of the United Nations, the Department of Political and Peacebuilding Affairs (DPPA) plays a critical role in shaping the UN's response to the world's most urgent political crises, including the situation in the Sudan. Continued funding to support DPPA's political efforts in the Sudan is essential to maintain its capacity to contribute effectively to peacebuilding initiatives in the country.

Funding for good offices will remain essential to enable the Department to fulfil its conflict prevention and sustain peace and peacemaking mandates worldwide. **The Sudan is one of the most challenging cases for the United Nations in its efforts to resolve conflict.** Even once a ceasefire is eventually achieved, the Sudan will face a prolonged period of reconstruction, reconciliation and peacebuilding that will require sustained political support from the United Nations.

Widespread human rights violations, including mass-scale sexual violence continue to be perpetrated with no accountability. The devastating humanitarian crisis and its impact on the lives of civilians, combined with the risk of fragmentation of the country, have underscored the **urgent need to intensify good offices, mediation and other de-escalation efforts by the United Nations**, through the Secretary-General's Personal Envoy for Sudan. Personal Envoy Lamamra is engaging with the parties as well as with key Member States and multilateral partners in developing an approach for the way forward which centres on the protection of civilians and an inclusive political solution to the conflict. These efforts will further **strengthen multilateral partnership and coordination on the Sudan** making political dialogue critical to reaching a sustainable peace in the country.

Voluntary contributions have remained the linchpin for the effective operations of the Office of the Personal **Envoy.** In light of major budget constraints faced by the United Nations, complementary extrabudgetary support will remain of indispensable importance going forward

Today's rapidly evolving environment demands a more agile and responsive UN approach, but regular budget resources alone cannot meet the urgency or scale required. **With \$1.7 million in earmarked contributions for its work in the Sudan**, DPPA will be better positioned to respond to escalating crisis demands, enhance political analysis and reporting, and advance strategic planning. A fully funded Multi-Year Appeal (MYA) will also support follow-up efforts to **the Pact for the Future**, which calls on the Secretary-General to actively leverage his good offices and ensure that the United Nations is adequately equipped to lead and support mediation, good offices, and peacemaking.