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‘The world sees you’ UN chief tells Ukrainians, pledging to boost support (28 April 2022)

Guterres in Ukraine: War is ‘evil’ and unacceptable, calls for justice (28 April 2022)

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Office of the Special Representative for Children and Armed Conflict

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- 23 March, 17 February - Letter dated 13 April 2014 from the Permanent Representative of the Russian Federation to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/264);
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### General Assembly

**Eleventh Emergency Special Session**


- Hours before Ukraine conflict enters second year, General Assembly adopts resolution demanding Russian Federation withdraw military forces, adjourning Emergency Session (GA/12492, 23 February 2023):
  - The General Assembly did not adopt draft amendment A/ES-11/L.8. The vote was 11 in favour; 94 against; 56 abstentions.
  - The General Assembly did not adopt draft amendment A/ES-11/L.9. The vote was 15 in favour; 91 against; 52 abstentions.

- 'We don’t have a moment to lose', Secretary-General tells General Assembly’s Emergency Special Session on Ukraine as speakers debate draft resolution: Pointing to 'half-truths' in text, Belarus' Representative introduces additional amendments (GA/12491, 22 February 2023):

- General Assembly adopts text recommending creation of register to document damages caused by Russian Federation aggression against Ukraine, resuming Emergency Special Session (GA/12470, 14 November 2022):

- With 143 votes in favour, 5 against, General Assembly adopts resolution condemning Russian Federation’s annexation of four Eastern Ukraine regions (GA/12458, 12 October 2022):

General Assembly adopts text to suspend Russian Federation from Human Rights Council, continuing Emergency Special Session on humanitarian crisis in Ukraine (7 April 2022):

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General Assembly adopts text recognizing scale of humanitarian woes arising from Russian Federation’s Ukraine offensive as unseen in many decades (GA/12411, 24 March 2022):

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Speakers discuss two competing draft resolutions on humanitarian situation in Ukraine, as General Assembly resumes Emergency Special Session (GA/12410, 23 March 2022):

- (no action taken on this draft)

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