

Introduction

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F. O, 2 December 2011) The secretariat of the Commission (hereinafter referred to as the "Secretariat") has received a request from the United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (UNOCHA) for the provision of technical assistance in the form of a study on the impact of the conflict on the population of the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC). The Secretariat has agreed to provide such assistance on the basis of the following terms of reference:

7. O, 7 October 2014) The Secretariat is requested to conduct a study on the impact of the conflict on the population of the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC) in the context of the implementation of the 2008/5 Humanitarian Response Plan (HRP) for the DRC. The study should focus on the impact of the conflict on the population of the DRC, with particular emphasis on the impact on the most vulnerable groups, including women, children, and the elderly. The study should also identify the needs of the population and recommend appropriate measures to address these needs. The study should be completed by 14 November 2014. The cost of the study is estimated to be \$144,150. The Secretariat is requested to submit a report on the findings of the study to the Commission by 14 November 2014.

8. O, 28 October 2014) The Secretariat is requested to conduct a study on the impact of the conflict on the population of the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC) in the context of the implementation of the 2008/5 Humanitarian Response Plan (HRP) for the DRC. The study should focus on the impact of the conflict on the population of the DRC, with particular emphasis on the impact on the most vulnerable groups, including women, children, and the elderly. The study should also identify the needs of the population and recommend appropriate measures to address these needs. The study should be completed by 14 November 2014. The cost of the study is estimated to be \$144,150. The Secretariat is requested to submit a report on the findings of the study to the Commission by 14 November 2014.

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