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Dear Mesdames:

Dear Sirs:

Re: Urgent action needed now to resolve crisis in Ukraine

The Ukrainian World Congress calls upon the international community to act swiftly in reaction to today's renewed violence in Kyiv that has resulted in deaths and numerous injuries.

The situation in the country has seriously deteriorated with Ukraine's governing authorities choosing to ruthlessly destroy EuroMaidan instead of working toward resolving the crisis. The brutal attacks on protesters are continuing and the city is slowly being closed off to the outside world.

The Ukrainian World Congress calls upon the international community to take concrete measures without delay to stop the killing and bloodshed in Ukraine.

Sincerely,

UKRAINIAN WORLD CONGRESS



Eugene Czolij
President

c.c. Ukrainian World Congress Member Organizations

The Ukrainian World Congress (UWC) is the international coordinating body for Ukrainian communities in the diaspora representing the interests of over 20 million Ukrainians. The UWC has member organizations in 33 countries and ties with Ukrainians in 14 additional countries. Founded in 1967, the UWC was recognized in 2003 by the United Nations Economic and Social Council as a non-governmental organization (NGO) with special consultative status.