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Press Statement

**UNISFA Statement on Evacuation of Kadugli Logistics Base**

**Abyei, 18 December 2025** - The United Nations Interim Security Force for Abyei (UNISFA) has decided to evacuate its logistics base in Kadugli, following the heinous attack on 13 December, which claimed the lives of six UN peacekeepers and serious injury of nine others. The decision, which was communicated to the relevant authorities, follows an extensive assessment of the prevailing security situation in Kadugli which has disabled the capacity for the UN to function in the area. We remain committed to the implementation of the mandate of our Joint Border Verification and Monitoring Mechanism (JBVMM) and are closely monitoring the developments on the ground. We will reconsider the resumption of our activities in Kadugli when the situation permits.

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