



Statement agreed at Full Council meeting (24 February 2022) regarding the situation in Ukraine

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## **Full Council – 24 February 2022**

### **Council statement on Ukraine**

Brent Council:

- recognises that Ukraine is a sovereign, independent state with the right to self determination.
- condemns the Russian Federation's incursion into sovereign Ukrainian territory in violation of international law and their treaty obligations under the Minsk Protocol of 2014.
- demands that the Russian President, Vladimir Putin pull back his forces, desists from a full scale invasion of Ukraine, and withdraws his unilateral and unjustified recognition of the so called People's Republics of Donetsk and Luhansk.
- sends its solidarity to the people of Ukraine who will be suffering unimaginable anguish and horror at the recent turn of events.
- demands that the UK government imposes the harshest possible sanctions on the Russian Federation to undermine their ability to keep a large army or occupation force in the field.

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