

CHAIR OF THE COORDINATING BUREAU OF THE NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT



NAM Communiqué on the international campaign against Cuba

- 1. The Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement strongly condemns the international campaign organized in recent days with the purpose of destabilizing the Republic of Cuba and undermining its Government, the constitutional order, the rule of law and peace in the country.
- 2. The Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement reiterates its strong commitment to the purposes, principles and provisions of the Charter of the United Nations.
- 3. The Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement acknowledges that the United Nations is comprised of the rich diversity of political, economic, social and cultural systems of our humanity, which shall be embraced and respected, while stressing its opposition to all attempts of imposition on any State of particular models or systems, as well as the commitment to promote dialogue and tolerance.
- 4. The Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement further reaffirms that all States shall respect the territorial integrity, sovereignty, the sovereign equality, political independence and inviolability of international borders of other States, comply with the principles of non-intervention in the internal affairs, the abstention from the threat or use of force against the territorial integrity or political independence of States, in accordance with the Charter of the United Nations, recommit to support and promote these principles of international law and to continue opposing any attempt aimed at partial or total disruption of the national unity or territorial integrity of States.
- 5. The Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement recalls that in the Final Document of the 18th Summit of Heads of State and Government of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Baku, Republic of Azerbaijan in 2019, the Heads of State and Government of the Movement reiterated their call to the Government of the United States of America to put an end to the economic, commercial and financial embargo against Cuba that constitutes the major impediment for its full development, and that they also urged the President of the United States to use his broad executive powers to substantially modify the embargo which, in addition to being unilateral and contrary to the UN Charter and international law, and to the principle of neighborliness, is causing huge material losses and economic damage to the people of Cuba. The Heads of State and Governments



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of the Movement also expressed deep concern over the widening of the extra-territorial nature of the embargo against Cuba, including the full implementation of Chapter III of the Helms- Burton Act, and rejected the reinforcement of the financial measures adopted by the Government of United States, aimed at tightening the embargo.

- 6. The Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement also recalls that in the Final Document of the 18th Summit of Heads of State and Government of the Non-Aligned Movement, held in Baku, Republic of Azerbaijan in 2019, the Heads of State and Government of the Movement stressed the need to put an end to aggressive radio and television transmission against Cuba, as well as the use, contrary to the principles of International Law, of Information and Communication Technologies, including social networks, to incite subversion against the Cuban constitutional order. They reiterated that those measures constitute a violation of Cuba's sovereignty and a massive violation of the human rights of its people.
- 7. The Coordinating Bureau of the Non-Aligned Movement reiterates the concern over the use of media as a tool for hostile propaganda against developing countries aimed at undermining their governments and stressed the need to promote alternative, free, pluralistic and responsible media and communication sources that reflect the realities and interests of the peoples of the developing world.

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