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We are committed to stopping any further suffering of people in Aceh.

To this end, we have decided to begin, from 1st February, a six month period during which we will concretely address humanitarian and human rights problems in Aceh.

For that purpose, a joint forum will be established where interested parties will be able to assess priority needs and how they may be urgently addressed.

We firmly resolve today to stop as soon as possible the violence which is causing further suffering and increasing humanitarian needs.

We believe that dialogue is the best way to avert further human suffering.

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