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UNITED NATIONS POLICE PEACEKEEPERS REINFORCE SECURITY

For more than seventy years the United Nations has been deploying peacekeeping missions in the countries seeking to peace stability and providing for humanitarian help. United Nations Peacekeeping helps countries torn by conflict create the conditions for lasting peace. It is comprised of civilian, police and military personnel.

United Nations Police have an important role in promoting peace and security all over the world and are called as advisors for reinforcing or re-establishing domestic police services with strategic planning, creating the conditions for sustainable peace and development, conducting operational assessments, training and developing host-state policing capacity, reviewing technical guidance and providing technical support.

Every day UN law enforcers reinforce and re-establish security by patrolling communities, advising domestic police services, ensuring compliance with international human rights standards and restoring public safety and the rule of law.

All UN police operations include prevention, detection and investigation of crime, protection of persons and property, maintenance of public safety and law and order. The police are guided by the obligation to respect and protect human rights, norms, ethics and standards in crime prevention and criminal justice and international human rights and humanitarian law. UN police peacekeepers are prepared to stop ongoing human rights violations and to protect civilians. Restoring the consent of the public in their own police is the main task of the UN police.

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UNITED NATIONS MISSION IN SOUTH SUDAN

United Nations Mission in South Sudan (UNMISS) comprises 561 men and women coming from 38 countries.

The aims of United Nations Police (UNPOL) are to:

- protect civilians under threat of physical violence;