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Resolution

Subject: Ebola Haemorrhagic Fever

Submitted to: Speaker

Submitted by: Members of the Parliament of Sierra Leone

We, the Honourable Members of the Parliament of Sierra Leone, realising that Ebola is a natural disaster and a menace which knows no borders,

Affirm our full support to the Government of Sierra Leone in its fight against Ebola;

Acknowledge with gratitude, the sincere hard work of our brave medical doctors and nurses in Sierra Leone in the fight against Ebola; Extend our heart-felt sympathies to the families of all those that have lost their lives to Ebola, including our health personnel;

Express our deep concern at the on-going spread of the Ebola virus and increase in the number of fatalities to Ebola haemorrhagic fever in Sierra Leone;

Alarmed by the alleged reports about inadequate medical equipment/protective gears for the medical personnel at the forefront of this fight against Ebola,

Encourages the Government of Sierra Leone and the international community to urgently make -

- (a) Every effort to protect our citizens especially in making increasingly available the appropriate and adequate numbers of medical protective gears to the medical personnel including the hospital support staff at various hospitals;
- (b) arrangements for more stringent (24x7) check of individuals travelling from affected areas;
- (c) available ambulances with appropriate medical protective gear for each district;
- (d) arrangements for further sensitization to our people about Ebola; and
- (e) Every effort to fight this scourge till it disappears from our beloved country.