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**Resolution 1823 (2008)****Adopted by the Security Council at its 5931st meeting, on  
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*The Security Council,*

*Recalling* its resolution 918 (1994), resolution 1005 (1995), resolution 1011 (1995), resolution 1013 (1995), resolution 1053 (1996), resolution 1161 (1998), and resolution 1749 (2007),

*Having considered* the report of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 918 (1994) concerning Rwanda of 31 December 2007 (S/2007/782) and the oral report of the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 918 (1994) concerning Rwanda of 22 May 2008,

*Stressing the importance* of the cooperation of all States, in particular those in the region, with the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo and with the Group of Experts established by resolution 1533 (2004), while carrying out its mandate as renewed by resolution 1807 (2008),

*Stressing further* the need for States in the region to ensure that arms and related materiel delivered to them are not diverted to or used by illegal armed groups,

*Recalling* the joint communiqué of the Government of the Democratic Republic of the Congo and the Government of the Republic of Rwanda signed in Nairobi on 9 November 2007 and the outcome of the Conference for Peace, Security and Development in North and South Kivu, held in Goma from 6 to 23 January 2008, which together represent a major step towards the restoration of lasting peace and stability in the Great Lakes region, and looking forward to their full implementation,

*Welcoming* the entry into force of the Pact on Security, Stability and Development in the Great Lakes Region and stressing the importance of its full implementation,

*Reiterating* its call upon the States of the region to deepen further their cooperation with a view to consolidating peace in the region,

*Acting* under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations,



1. *Decides* to terminate the prohibitions imposed by paragraphs 9 and 10 of resolution 1011 (1995);
  2. *Decides further* to dissolve the Committee established pursuant to resolution 918 (1994) concerning Rwanda.
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