



**Latin American and Caribbean Network for Democracy (Redlad):  
RESOLUTION ON THE PEACE PROCESS IN COLOMBIA**

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**\*Unofficial translation done only for the purpose of being understood.**

Members and organizations of RedLad, comprising more than 480 organizations, Official Member of the Civil Society Forum of the Organization of American States (OAS) and Regional Chapter of World Movement for Democracy (WMD), gathered in the city of Tegucigalpa, Honduras, 15 to May 18, 2013,

Taking the 'Open Letter to the Colombian people and parties involved in the peace process', we issued the September 6, 2012.

Recognizing the importance of peace as a fundamental and inalienable right of the peoples of the world.

Noting the importance of peace as a determining factor for the strengthening of democracy and the development of peoples.

Highlighting the efforts and determination of the current government of Colombia to establish and carry forward to the dialogue table in Havana, as well as the political will of the Revolutionary Armed Forces of Colombia - FARC-EP - to advance peace talks.

Concerned about the hundreds of thousands of victims of this conflict, that in more than 50 years, has left within Colombian society.

Recognizing the importance of governments as well as accompanying various actors and actresses of the international democratic community.

Realizing the danger of the existence of dissenting voices and opposed to the peace process manifested in persistent hostile acts against the same:



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## RESOLVED:

- Expresses its full support for the peace talks to be held in the city of Havana, Cuba, convened by the Colombian democratic government and accepted by the FARC - EP.
- Invites the parties to make their best efforts to ensure that these discussions are fruitful, for the benefit of all Colombians, and end with the signing of commitments to ensure the path to a democratic and lasting peace.
- Declares its solidarity with all victims of armed conflict and asks for them truth, justice and reparation.

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