

## RUSSIA

## Resolution tabled by the Union of Right Forces of Russia at the IDU Executive Meeting on 6<sup>th</sup> December 2019 in Washington DC, USA

The International Democratic Union (IDU) believes that the establishment of a repressive dictatorship in Russia not only runs counter to the interests of the Russian people, but also threatens the security of the entire region by having illegally annexed Crimea and 20% of Georgian territory. President Vladimir Putin's policy is becoming more reckless, increasing the chances of global insecurity.

**The IDU calls** upon the governments and societies of democratic nations to recognize the emerging danger and to respond with coordinated actions. The IDU expresses solidarity with those Russian citizens who continue to fight for the freedom of their country despite tremendous risks.