



VENEZUELA

Resolution tabled by Unión de Partidos Latinoamericanos UPLA at the IDU Executive Meeting on 6th December 2019 in Washington DC, USA

The International Democrat Union IDU - and the Union of Latin American Parties - UPLA, are deeply concerned about the worst crisis that Venezuela has gone through in its republican history, with the destruction of its political system, the breakdown of the rule of law, the attack on civil society, the persecution of civil and military dissent and the negligence of the regime to meet the basic needs of food, health and basic public services of the population.

Based on this, IDU and UPLA declare to:

REITERATE our full support to the Venezuelan National Assembly and President Juan Guaidó, as the only legitimate authorities in the country, according to the current Venezuelan Constitution.

DEMAND an immediate halt to violations of human rights and immunities against members of the Venezuelan National Assembly and support President Juan Guaidó in his fight against corruption.

CONDEM the open intervention of the Maduro regime in democratic countries all over Latin America with the intention of destabilizing their governments by promoting vandalism, looting and violence, acting in coordination with extreme left groups, drug cartels and anarchist movements.

INSIST on the urgent need for an early free, fair and transparent general election in Venezuela, including the presence of international observers throughout the entire election process, in order to restore institutional rights and the rule of law in the country.