

UN Security Council Resolution 1325: Women, peace, and security
(Its importance and the challenges of its implementation in the Arab region)

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Abstract

Security Council Resolution 1325, adopted unanimously in 2000, was considered one of the most critical international resolutions that the member states of the United Nations are concerned with implementing. It surrounded the issue of women with a solid framework consistent with their urgent need to protect their various rights, especially in armed conflicts, and to integrate a gender perspective in all sectors. It also focused on empowering women at the national and international levels. Thus, this study aimed to highlight the importance of Resolution 1325 by clarifying its content, in addition to presenting the contributions of Iraq, Palestine, and Jordan in implementing it despite all the difficulties, using the comparative descriptive-analytical approach. Based on the researcher's findings, the most important of which is that implementing the decision above and the decisions related to it, this resolution is a way to perpetuate peace and security. Accordingly, the researcher urges generational awareness to change the stereotype of the roles of women locally and internationally to establish concepts of security and peace. She also notes the need for a national will to overcome difficulties and to activate the peace and security agenda.

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