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**Letter dated 17 January 2025 from the Permanent Representative of  
Ukraine to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General**

I write to inform you of Russia's continued terrorist attacks that deliberately target civilians and civilian infrastructure in Ukraine.

On 17 January 2025, the Russian Federation launched two missile strikes on Kryvyi Rih, the second-largest city in the Dnipropetrovsk region of Ukraine. The attack killed at least 4 civilians and injured 14 others, including 4 children. It also partially destroyed four multistorey residential buildings, 17 private homes, three civilian infrastructure facilities and 11 vehicles (see annex).

Given the persistent and ongoing nature of such attacks and recognizing the urgent need for immediate intervention, I would appreciate your personal attention and the full utilization of all available instruments within the mandates of the relevant United Nations agencies to address these continued crimes by the Russian Federation against the civilian population and infrastructure in Ukraine.

The crime of aggression, war crimes and crimes against humanity committed by the Russian Federation further underscore Russia's non-compliance with the United Nations membership criteria set out in Article 4 of the Charter of the United Nations, as well as the inadmissibility of inaction regarding Russia's illegitimate presence in the Security Council.

I would appreciate your kind assistance in having the present letter and its annex distributed as a document of the General Assembly, under agenda items 62, 67, 80 and 110, and of the Security Council.

*(Signed)* **Sergiy Kyslytsya**  
Ambassador  
Permanent Representative



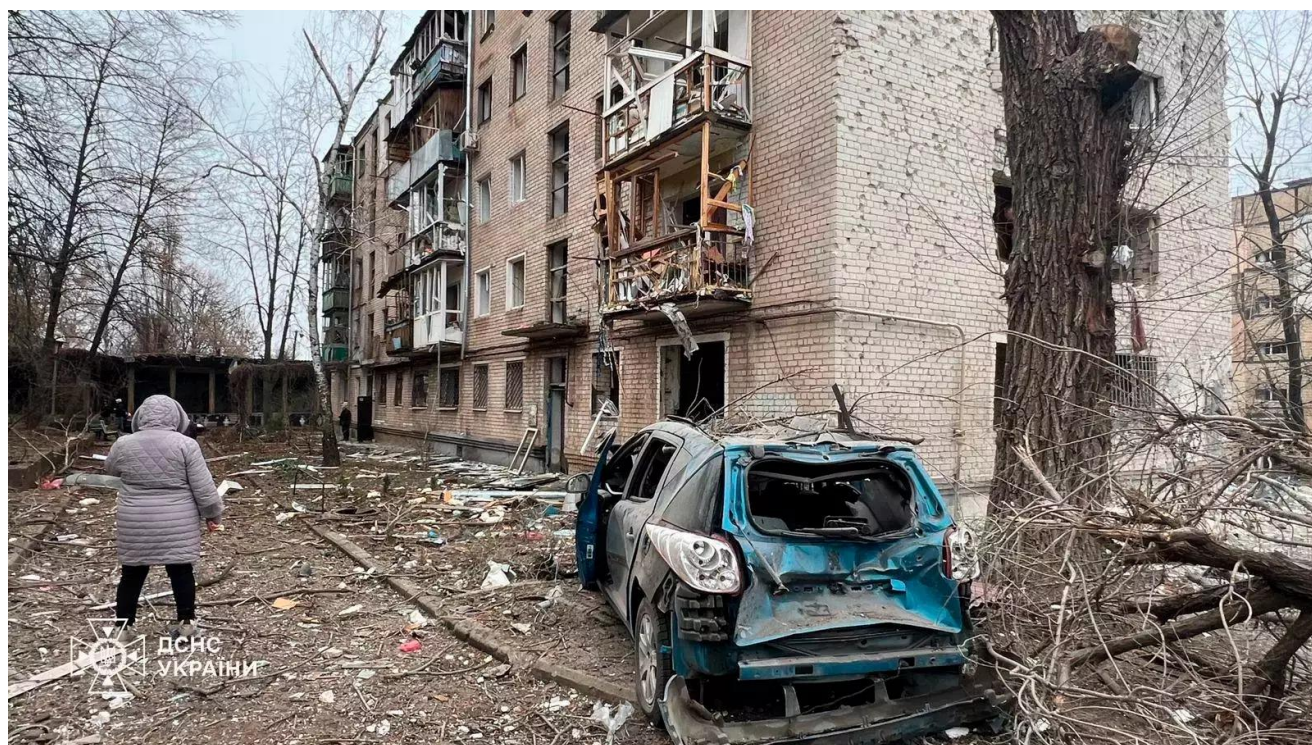
**Annex to the letter dated 17 January 2025 from the Permanent Representative of Ukraine to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General**

**Consequences of Russia's missile attack on the city of Kryvyi Rih, Dnipropetrovsk region, Ukraine**

(17 January 2025)









Additional photographs and video are available at the following links:

1. <https://dp.dsns.gov.ua/news/nadzvicaini-podiyi/vorog-zavdav-raketnix-udariv-po-krivomu-rogu-informaciia-onovliujetsia>
2. <https://dp.npu.gov.ua/news/rosiiany-zavdaly-dva-raketni-udary-po-mistu-kryvyi-rih-ta-vbyly-chotyrok-tsyvilnykh-liudei-politsiia-dokumentuie-cherhovyi-voiennyi-zlochyn-okupantiv>

Source: State Emergency Service of Ukraine, National Police of Ukraine.