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At a meeting of the **UN Security Council**, it was reported that 3.9 million Ukrainians left Ukraine due to the war, and 6.5 million Ukrainians became internally displaced persons.

In the temporarily occupied areas, the Russian military is engaged in looting, placing equipment between residential buildings, and equipping its own checkpoints at the entrances to settlements.

The number of victims as a result of yesterday's missile strike on the building of the **Mykolaiv** regional public administration increased to 15 people.

The Russian military continues to use the **Chernobyl** Exclusion Zone as a springboard for the deployment of military headquarters. Satellite images of the land have been released, showing the movement of a large convoy of Russian military trucks with ammunition a few hundred meters from the Chernobyl nuclear power plant, as well as the location of these ammunition in the Chernobyl settlement, where they are stored in the open. Such actions by the Russian military could lead to the **detonation of ammunition**, damage to the Shelter and radiation contamination of the territory where millions of Europeans live.

In **Kyiv**, the concentration of pollutants in the air is almost 9 times higher than normal. This was caused by massive fires around the capital.

In the **Luhansk region**, artillery and air strikes continue in all cities. This morning, the Russian military launched a missile strike on residential areas of Lysychansk, Luhansk region (four people were injured, two children in serious condition). The bus came under fire during the evacuation of civilians from the city.

In the **Donetsk region**, significant artillery shelling was inflicted on Mariinka and Avdiivka, which led to severe destruction and fires.

Mariupol remains under blockade, street fights continue. More than 100,000 people are in the city without food and medicine. Despite the Red Cross sign, the Russian military continues to purposefully launch air and artillery strikes on the building.

Due to the night shelling of **Khmelnytsky region**, industrial facilities were damaged.

In Chuguiv, **Kharkiv region**, two cars were hit by mines, killing two people and injuring five. According to preliminary estimates, up to 300 civilians and 50 servicemen were killed in liberated **Irpin** in the Kyiv region, and looting and violence against women have been confirmed. The mined bodies of the dead were also found in Irpin. It will be recalled that mining by anti-personnel mines is prohibited by the 1997 **Ottawa Convention** on the Prohibition of the Use, Stockpiling, Production and Transfer of Anti-Personnel Mines and on Their Destruction.

Chernihiv is under heavy artillery fire again. Civil infrastructure facilities were destroyed: libraries (the Korolenko Regional Universal Library was damaged, which is an architectural monument of the 20th century, built in 1910-1913), shopping malls, and residential buildings. In **Nizhyn**, Chernihiv Region,

six civilians fell victim to the night shelling (one person died), 10 private homes were damaged, and three were destroyed.

In the **Kherson region**, shelling is taking place in various districts of the region, infrastructure and houses have been destroyed, and civilians have been killed and injured. In the temporarily occupied Kherson, the Russian military kidnapped the priest Sergei Chudinovich.

Art. 57 of Additional Protocol (I) to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 states that "military operations must be of constant concern for the protection of civilians, civilians and civilian objects... Those who plan or decide to attack ... take all precautionary measures possible in the choice of means and methods of attack in order to avoid accidental loss of life among the civilian population, injury to civilians and accidental damage to civilian objects and, in any case, to minimize them."

^{*} The facts described in the analytical information are confirmed by the materials of the Ministry of Defense of Ukraine