

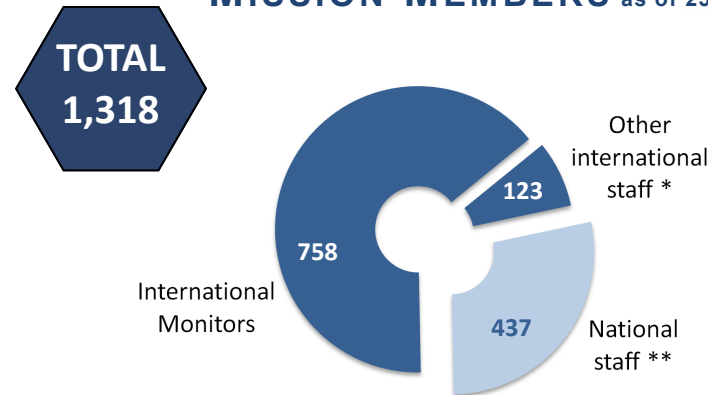


Repaired section of Stanytsia Luhanska bridge (Image from an SMM mini-UAV)

FACTS MATTER

- On 20 November, construction work at the broken section of Stanytsia Luhanska bridge was completed and the newly-constructed span of the bridge opened for civilians crossing the contact line.
- The SMM continued monitoring the security situation inside the three disengagement areas, noting in particular demining activities in the Petrivske and Zolote disengagement areas.
- Between 11 and 24 November, the SMM recorded about 12,900 ceasefire violations, including about 3,300 explosions. This compares with 10,500 ceasefire violations, including about 2,400 explosions, in the previous two-week period.
- The SMM recorded 35 weapons in violation of their respective withdrawal lines, compared to 138 in the previous two-week period. The Mission continued to observe the presence of heavy weapons, as well as military and military-type positions and hardware, in and near residential areas, including a self-propelled anti-aircraft gun in Kurakhove and a tank in Novohryhorivka.
- The SMM continued to observe the presence of anti-tank mines, many in areas where civilians cross the contact line, including near Pyshevyk and Olenivka.
- The Mission confirmed one civilian casualty: a man injured by gunfire reportedly while walking in Donetsk city's Petrovskiy district on 13 November. Since the beginning of 2019, the SMM has confirmed 144 civilian casualties (18 killed, 126 injured).
- The SMM continued to facilitate and monitor adherence to the ceasefire to enable repairs and maintenance to critical civilian infrastructure, including repairs to pipelines between Zolote-3/Stakhanovets and Popasna (providing potable water to 300,000 civilians), and power lines in Spartak (supplying electricity to 100 local residents).
- The Mission's freedom of movement was restricted 53 times, all but two in non-government-controlled areas. In addition, SMM unmanned aerial vehicles (UAV) continued to be subjected to signal interference on a regular basis, and were targeted by small-arms fire on one occasion.
- The SMM's daily reports are available in three languages (English, Ukrainian and Russian) on the OSCE website: www.osce.org/ukraine-smm/reports.

MISSION MEMBERS as of 25 November 2019



* Other international staff includes Chief Monitor, two Deputy Chief Monitors, advisors, analysts, etc.

** National staff includes assistants, advisors and administrative personnel.

MISSION MONITORS

Albania	6	Kyrgyzstan	23
Armenia	1	Latvia	8
Austria	10	Lithuania	1
Azerbaijan	1	Moldova	41
Belarus	5	Montenegro	3
Belgium	2	Netherlands	2
Bosnia and Herzegovina	51	North Macedonia	27
Bulgaria	45	Norway	12
Canada	27	Poland	33
Croatia	11	Portugal	1
Czech Republic	13	Romania	29
Denmark	8	Russian Federation	39
Estonia	2	Serbia	15
Finland	24	Slovakia	11
France	16	Slovenia	1
Georgia	19	Spain	12
Germany	33	Sweden	17
Greece	21	Switzerland	7
Hungary	20	Tajikistan	13
Ireland	9	Turkey	10
Italy	20	United Kingdom	50
Kazakhstan	4	United States	55
		TOTAL	758
Male	615	Female	143

SPECIAL MONITORING MISSION TO UKRAINE

Who we are

- Unarmed civilian monitors;
- Around 750 monitors across Ukraine;
- Around 600 based in the east;
- From 44 OSCE participating States.

What we do

- Report the facts as we observe and establish them;
- Gather information and report on the security situation;
- Report on the humanitarian situation and people's needs, and facilitate the delivery of humanitarian aid of other organizations;
- Help to establish dialogue and local ceasefires.

Important to understand:

- It is up to the sides to stop the fighting;
- We do not conduct investigations, but report on facts;
- We do not deliver but facilitate the delivery of humanitarian aid.