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STATEMENT ON THE SITUATION IN GUINEA

The African Parliamentary Union,

- Concerned by the political situation in Guinea following the coup d'état on September 5, 2021,
- very attached to the values and principles of democracy and the rule of law in African countries,
- opposed to any unconstitutional seizure of power and particularly by force of arms,

1. Condemns in the strongest terms the coup d'état in Guinea, which undermines democracy and the principles of the rule of law;
2. Insists on recourse to political dialogue as the most appropriate way to resolve conflicts;
3. Calls for the immediate release of President Alpha Condé and for the return to constitutional order in Guinea;
4. Supports the efforts of the African Union, the Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS) and the international community in this regard.

Dated September 6, 2021