

The second group of peacekeeping troops of the Chinese PLA to Sudan set out from Xinzheng International Airport, Henan Province on January 16, 2007.



and the government forces, making Darfur a hot spot catching the attention of the international community.

China has advocated at United Nations Security Council that the sovereignty and territorial integrity of Sudan should be respected and the Darfur issue should be settled through political means by equal dialogue and consultation. Pressures or sanctions, or threatening with force, should be avoided. China has held that the measures of the United Nations Security Council takes should reflect the common wishes of the international society, and address the legitimate concerns of the Sudanese government, and take the final and proper settlement of the issue as the basis. The international community should help Sudan in improving the humanitarian and security situation in Darfur, and provide assistance in reconstruction and development so as to realize peace, stability and development in the Darfur area as early as possible. While trying to settle the Darfur issue, the international community should give full play to the leading role to the UN-African Union-Sudanese government trilateral