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Urgent Action participants should now stop action on this EXTRA as the addresses previously listed - for the *Alliance des forces democratique pour la liberation du Congo-Zaire* (AFDL) and related armed groups - are no longer valid. The armed groups have moved into areas of eastern Zaire which they now control.

Other networks of Amnesty International are also currently acting on the crisis in the Great Lakes region of central Africa. Thank you to all UA participants who sent appeals on this case.