## **April 23, 2021 (59 days)**

In the temporarily occupied territories of Kharkiv, Kherson and Zaporizhia, the Russian military began forcibly mobilizing citizens. The difficult situation in the Kherson region, the region is on the verge of a humanitarian catastrophe.

Two people were killed and another was injured in the shelling of the Popasna **Luhansk region** last night. The Russian army is covering high-rise buildings and private houses with fire. The Russian military de-energized the pumping station in the Luhansk region, leaving the center of Lysychansk and the towns of Novodruzhesk and Privilege without water supply.

Last night, the Chernihiv border detachment near the village of Senkivka was fired upon from the territory of the Russian Federation. This is the fourth shelling of **Chernihiv region** after enemy troops were driven out of the region. Mykolayiv region was fired at with rockets at night.

In the city of **Mariupol**, the enemy strikes air strikes, continues to block units near the Azovstal plant. There is a possibility of using tear gas with chemicals during the assault in Mariupol. In the city, the population is used as a "bait" and a human shield. Young men under the age of 40 are forcibly mobilized and sent to the army of the so-called DNR in the direction of **Donetsk**. Such actions are a gross violation of international humanitarian law.

The partial blockade of **Kharkiv** and its shelling by barrel and jet artillery continues. Six civilians were wounded and three were killed in shelling by the Russian military near Chuguev.

The collection and exhumation of the bodies of the dead is being completed in Bucha, **Kyiv Region**. As of today, the number has reached 412 people, there are bodies of killed, burnt, hospital patients.

Today, missile strikes were fired on **Odessa**, two houses were damaged. According to preliminary data, 6 people died and 18 were injured.

About **500,000 people** were deported from the occupied parts of Ukraine to the territory of the Russian Federation or to the occupied east of Ukraine.

The visit of **UN Secretary General** Antonio Guterres is scheduled for April 28 after his visit to Russia on April 26.

<sup>\*</sup> The facts described in the analytical information are confirmed by the materials of the Ministry of Defense of Ukraine