



16 July 2014 - There is a pressing need in Serbia and Bosnia and Herzegovina to make rapid progress on meeting the needs of the most vulnerable people as a result of the disastrous floods in May, said UN development chief [Helen Clark](#) during her visit to Brussels for the [international donor conference](#) in support of Serbia and Bosnia and Herzegovina.

After the devastating floods, a UN Team of Experts , which was deployed for the first time of history of Serbia, arrived in the country within 36 hours' time. The so called United Nations Disaster Assessment and Coordination ([UNDAC](#)) is on stand by to respond imminently when a member country is struck by a large natural disaster and needs urgent assistance.

