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**TENTATIVE FORECAST OF THE PROGRAMME OF WORK OF THE
SECURITY COUNCIL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2008**

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This tentative forecast of the programme of work of the Security Council has been prepared by the Secretariat for the President of the Council. The forecast covers in particular those matters that may be taken up during the month pursuant to earlier decisions of the Council. The fact that a matter is or is not included in the forecast carries no implication that it will or will not be taken up during the month: the actual programme of work will be determined by developments and the views of members of the Council.

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AFRICA

Côte d'Ivoire – UNOCI

Resolution 1826 (2008) of 29 July 2008

Para. 18: requests the Secretary-General to keep the Security Council regularly informed of the situation and of the preparation of the electoral process, notably by providing to the Council a report in that regard no later than 15 October 2008.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 15 October 2008.

Côte d'Ivoire – sanctions

Resolution 1782 (2007) of 29 December 2007

Para. 1: decides to renew until 31 October 2008 the provisions of paragraphs 7 to 12 of resolution 1572 (2004) and of paragraph 6 of resolution 1643 (2005).

The sanctions and arms embargo will expire on 31 October 2008.

Para. 2: Decides to review the measures imposed by resolution 1572 (2004) in particular its paragraphs 7, 9 and 11, and by paragraph 6 of resolution 1643 (2005) and renewed in paragraph 1 above, in light of progress achieved in the implementation of the key steps of the peace process as referred to in resolution 1765 (2007), by the end of the period mentioned in paragraph 1.

The Security Council is expected to review the sanctions and arms embargo by 31 October 2008.

Côte d'Ivoire – Group of Experts

Resolution 1782 (2007) of 29 December 2007

Para. 10: requests the Group of Experts to provide a final written report to the Security Council, through the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1572 (2004), 15 days before the end of its mandated period, on the implementation of the measures imposed by paragraphs 7, 9 and 11 of resolution 1572 (2004) and paragraph 6 of resolution 1643 (2005), as well as recommendations in this regard.

The report of the Group of Experts is expected to be issued by 15 October 2008.

Para. 8: decides to extend the mandate of the Group of Experts until 31 October 2008.

The mandate of the Group of Experts will expire on 31 October 2008.

Democratic Republic of the Congo – MONUC

Resolution 1794 (2007) of 21 December 2007

Para. 21: requests the Secretary-General to continue to report regularly, and at least every 3 months, on the situation in the Democratic Republic of the Congo and on the activities of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUC).

The Secretary-General is expected to report to the Security Council in early October 2008.

Guinea-Bissau – UNOGBIS

Resolution 1580 (2004) of 22 December 2004

Para. 11: requests the Secretary-General to keep the Security Council closely and regularly informed of developments on the ground and of the implementation of the resolution and in that regard, to submit a report to the Council every 3 months from the date of the adoption of the resolution.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in early October 2008.

Somalia – Monitoring Group

Resolution 1811 (2008) of 29 April 2008

Para. 3(h): decides that the Monitoring Group shall provide to the Security Council, through the Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992), a midterm briefing within 90 days from its establishment.

The Chairman of the 751 Committee is expected to brief the Security Council in October 2008.

The Sudan – UNMIS

Resolution 1812 (2008) of 30 April 2008

Para. 2: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council every 3 months on the implementation of the mandate of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan (UNMIS), progress on implementation of the Comprehensive Peace Agreement (CPA), and respect for the ceasefire, and to provide an assessment and recommendations on measures UNMIS might take to further support elections, and to advance the peace process.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by mid-October 2008.

The Sudan – UNAMID

Resolution 1828 (2008) of 31 July 2008

Para. 17: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council every 60 days on developments on the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (UNAMID), the political process, the security and humanitarian situation, and all parties' compliance with their international obligations.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in early October 2008.

The Sudan – Panel of Experts

Resolution 1779 (2007) of 28 September 2007

Para. 2: requests the Panel of Experts to provide to the Security Council a final report with its findings and recommendations no later than 30 days prior to termination of its mandate.

Para. 3: further requests the Panel to assess in its final report progress towards reducing violations by all parties of the measures imposed by paragraphs 7 and 8 of resolution 1556 (2004) and paragraph 7 of resolution 1591 (2005), and progress towards reducing impediments to the political process.

The report of the Panel of Experts is expected to be before the Security Council in early October 2008.

Para.1: decides to extend until 15 October 2008 the mandate of the Panel of Experts.

The mandate of the Panel of Experts will expire on 15 October 2008.

AMERICAS

Haiti – MINUSTAH

Resolution 1780 (2007) of 15 October 2007

Para. 22: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council on the implementation of the mandate of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti (MINUSTAH) not later than 45 days prior to its expiration.

The Secretary-General's report dated 27 August 2008 (S/2008/586) is before the Security Council.

Para. 1: decides to extend the mandate of MINUSTAH until 15 October 2008.

The MINUSTAH mandate will expire on 15 October 2008.

A meeting between the Security Council and the troop-contributing countries is expected to take place before the expiry of the MINUSTAH mandate.

ASIA

Afghanistan – UNAMA

Resolution 1806 (2008) of 20 March 2008

Para. 34: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council every 6 months on developments in Afghanistan.

The Secretary-General's report dated 23 September 2008 (S/2008/617) is before the Security Council.

Security Council mission – Afghanistan

The members of the Council tentatively plan to undertake a mission to Afghanistan from 24 to 31 October 2008.

Middle East (Lebanon) – resolution 1559 (2004)

S/PRST/2004/36 of 19 October 2004

Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council every 6 months on the implementation by the parties of resolution 1559 (2004).

The Secretary-General's report is expected to be issued by 20 October 2008.

Middle East – Lebanon (resolution 1701 (2006))

Resolution 1832 (2008) of 27 August 2008

Para. 6: requests the Secretary-General to continue to report to the Council on the implementation of resolution 1701 (2006) every 4 months, or at any time as he deems appropriate.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 31 October 2008.

Middle East – Lebanon Independent Border Assessment Team

S/PRST/2007/12 of 17 April 2007

Para 9: taking note of the letter of the Secretary-General to the President of the Council of 13 April 2007 (S/2007/207), welcomes the Secretary-General's intention to evaluate the situation along the entire border and invites him to dispatch at the earliest, in close liaison with the Lebanese Government, an independent mission to fully assess the monitoring of the border and to keep the Council informed on his contacts with the Lebanese Government, and to report back to the Council on its findings and recommendations in this regard.

Report of the Secretary-General dated 27 June 2008 (S/2008/425)

Para. 34: indicates that following the mission to Lebanon of the team of experts to carry out a detailed assessment of the implementation of the recommendations of the Lebanon Independent Border Assessment Team (LIBAT), a detailed report to the Security Council on the team's findings will follow in due course.

The report of the Secretary-General dated 25 August 2008 (S/2008/582) is before the Security Council.

The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian Question

Resolution 1322 (2000) of 7 October 2000

Para. 7: invites the Secretary-General to continue to follow the situation and to keep the Security Council informed.

Letter dated 22 November 2006 from the Secretary-General – UNMIN

Resolution 1825 (2008) of 23 July 2008

Para. 5: requests the Secretary-General to keep the Security Council informed of progress towards implementation of the resolution and to submit a report on this and the implications for the United Nations Mission in Nepal (UNMIN) no later than 31 October 2008.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 31 October 2008.

EUROPE

Georgia – UNOMIG

Resolution 1808 (2008) of 15 April 2008

Para. 16: decides to extend the mandate of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia (UNOMIG) for a new period terminating on 15 October 2008.

The UNOMIG mandate will expire on 15 October 2008.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 6 October 2008.

A meeting between the Security Council and the troop-contributing countries will take place following the issuance of the report of the Secretary-General.

Resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999) – UNMIK

Resolution 1244 (1999) of 10 June 1999

Para. 20: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council at regular intervals on the implementation of the resolution.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in early October 2008.

OTHER

Non-proliferation / Democratic People's Republic of Korea

Resolution 1718 (2006) of 14 October 2006

Para. 12(g): requests the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006) to report at least every 90 days to the Security Council on its work, with its observations and recommendations, in particular on ways to strengthen the effectiveness of the measures imposed by paragraph 8 above.

The Chairman of the 1718 Committee is expected to report to the Security Council during October 2008.

Women and peace and security

S/PRST/2007/40 of 24 October 2007

Penultimate para.: Requests the Secretary-General to prepare a follow-up report on the full implementation of resolution 1325 (2000), incorporating information on the impact of armed conflicts on women and girls in situations that are on the agenda of the Council, and also information on their protection and on the enhancement of their role in peace processes, to be submitted to the Security Council in October 2008, and may request the Secretary-General to give an oral briefing on the progress of the report.

The report of the Secretary-General dated 25 September 2008 (S/2008/622) is before the Security Council.

Cooperation with regional organizations

Resolution 1809 (2008) of 16 April 2008

Para. 17: requests the Secretary-General to include, in his regular reporting to the Security Council, assessments of progress on the cooperation between the United Nations and relevant regional organizations.

The report of the Secretary-General, dated 8 August 2008 (A/63/228-S/2008/531) and submitted also in response to a number of General Assembly resolutions, is before the Security Council.

Peacebuilding Commission – Annual Report

Resolution 1646 (2005) of 20 December 2005

Para. 2: decides that the annual report of the Peacebuilding Commission referred to in paragraph 15 of resolution 1645 (2005) shall also be submitted to the Security Council for an annual debate.

The Security Council is expected to consider the second annual report of the Peacebuilding Commission during October 2008.

Election of non-permanent members of the Security Council

The election in the General Assembly is scheduled for the morning of 17 October 2008.

Security Council Annual Report

The Security Council is expected to adopt its Annual Report for the period 1 August 2007 to 31 July 2008 at a formal meeting during October 2008.

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SCHEDULE OF FORTHCOMING EXPIRIES OF MANDATES

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Date of expiry of mandate</u>	<u>Council decision providing for current mandate</u>
MINUSTAH	15 Oct. 2008	1780 (2007) of 15 Oct. 2007
UNOMIG	15 Oct. 2008	1808 (2008) of 15 Apr. 2008
UNFICYP	15 Dec. 2008	1818 (2008) of 13 Jun. 2008
BINUB	31 Dec. 2008	1791 (2007) of 19 Dec. 2007
MONUC	31 Dec. 2008	1794 (2007) of 21 Dec. 2007
UNDOF	31 Dec. 2008	1821 (2008) of 27 Jun. 2008
UNMIN	23 Jan. 2009	1825 (2008) of 23 Jul. 2008
UNOCI	31 Jan. 2009	1826 (2008) of 29 Jul. 2008
UNMIT	26 Feb. 2009	1802 (2008) of 25 Feb. 2008
MINURCAT	15 Mar. 2009	1834 (2008) of 24 Sept. 2008
UNAMA	23 Mar. 2009	1806 (2008) of 20 Mar. 2008
UNMIS	30 Apr. 2009	1812 (2008) of 30 Apr. 2008
MINURSO	30 Apr. 2009	1813 (2008) of 30 Apr. 2008
UNAMID	31 Jul. 2009	1828 (2008) of 31 Jul. 2008
UNAMI	7 Aug. 2009	1830 (2008) of 7 Aug. 2008
UNIFIL	31 Aug. 2009	1832 (2008) of 27 Aug. 2008
UNIPSIL	30 Sept. 2009	1829 (2008) of 4 Aug. 2008
UNMIL	30 Sept. 2009	1836 (2008) of 29 Sept. 2008

**FORTHCOMING REPORTS BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL
AS REQUESTED BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL
(November 2008)**

Item	Due date	Request contained in resolution or Presidential statement or letter from the President of the Security Council	Formulation of the request in the resolution or Presidential statement or letter from the President of the Security Council
Iraq (UNAMI)	By 7 November 2008	Resolution 1830 (2008) of 7 August 2008	"Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council on a quarterly basis on the progress made towards the fulfillment of all UNAMI's responsibilities" (para. 6).
Chad, the Central African Republic and the subregion (MINURCAT)	By 15 November 2008	Resolution 1834 (2008) of 24 September 2008	"Requests the Secretary-General to submit a new report by 15 November 2008 on the progress towards the full deployment of MINURCAT and the DIS and on updating the planning and conducting preparations referred to in paragraph 4 and 5, including options on the size, structure and mandate of the proposed UN military presence in the north-eastern Central African Republic to take over EUFOR's presence" (para. 8).
Burundi (BINUB)	By 30 November 2008	Resolution 1791 (2007) of 19 December 2007	"requests the Secretary-General to continue to report regularly to the Security Council on the implementation of the mandate of the United Nations Integrated Office in Burundi (BINUB) and the progress regarding the benchmarks contained in the addendum to his report dated 21 June 2006 (S/2006/429/Add.1), and to keep the Council informed of the progress towards the eventual transition from the integrated office to a primarily development-focused engagement" (para. 8).
The Sudan (UNAMID)	By 30 November 2008	Resolution 1828 (2008) of 31 July 2008	"Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council every 60 days ... on developments on UNAMID, the political process, the security and humanitarian situation, and all parties' compliance with their international obligations" (para. 17).

Somalia	By 4 November 2008	S/PRST/2008/33 of 4 September 2008	“[R]equests the Secretary-General to report on the implementation of the Djibouti Agreement by the parties, including an update on the conditions on the ground, as well as on his planning for a possible international force, including discussions with potential contributing States, within 60 days (last para.).
		Resolution 1816 (2008) of 2 June 2008	“Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council within 5 months of adoption of this resolution on the implementation of this resolution“ (para. 13).
		S/PRST/2001/30 of 31 October 2001	“[R]equests the Secretary-General to ... [s]ubmit reports, at least every four months on the situation in Somalia and the efforts to promote the peace process” (penultimate para.).
Cyprus (UNFICYP)	By 1 December 2008	Resolution 1818 (2008) of 13 June 2008	“Requests the Secretary-General to submit a report on implementation of this resolution by 1 December 2008 ...” (para. 7).