TENTATIVE FORECAST OF THE PROGRAMME OF WORK OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2011

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Preliminary Forecast for October 2011

AFRICA

Côte d’Ivoire – sanctions
Para. 1: decides to renew until 30 April 2012 the measures on arms and the financial and travel measures imposed by paragraphs 7 to 12 of resolution 1572 (2004), paragraph 5 of resolution 1946 (2010) and paragraph 12 of resolution 1975 (2011) and further decides to renew until 30 April 2012 the measures preventing the importation by any State of all rough diamonds from Côte d’Ivoire imposed by paragraph 6 of resolution 1643 (2005).

Para. 2: decides to review the measures renewed in paragraph 1 above in light of the progress achieved in the stabilization throughout the country, the holding of the parliamentary elections and the implementation of the key steps of the peace process, as referred to in resolution 1933 (2010), by the end of the period mentioned in paragraph 1, and decides further to carry out a midterm review of the measures renewed in paragraph 1 above no later than 31 October 2011, with a view to possibly modifying, lifting or maintaining, ahead of 30 April 2012, all or part of the measures of the sanctions regime, in accordance with progress in the peace process, the developments related to Human rights violations and the developments related to the parliamentary elections.

The midterm review of the sanctions measures is expected to be held no later than 31 October 2011.

Para. 13: decides to extend the mandate of the Group of Experts as set out in paragraph 7 of resolution 1727 (2006) until 30 April 2012 and requests the Secretary-General to take the necessary measures to support its action.

Para. 14: requests the Group of Experts to submit a midterm report to the Committee by 15 October 2011 and to submit a final report as well as recommendations to the Security Council through the Committee 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), paragraph 6 of resolution 1643 (2005) and paragraph 12 of resolution 1975 (2011).

The midterm report of the Group of Experts is expected to be before the Security Council by 15 October 2011.

Democratic Republic of the Congo – Group of Experts
Resolution 1952 (2010) of 29 November 2010
Para. 5: requests the Group of Experts to report to the Security Council in writing, through the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004), before 17 October 2011.

The report of the Group of Experts is expected to be issued by 14 October 2011.
Democratic Republic of the Congo – MONUSCO  
Para. 23: requests the Secretary-General to report in October 2011 on the progress on the ground, and requests the Secretary-General to regularly brief and inform the Security Council on the significant events of the electoral process, including on the support of the United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission (MONUSCO) to this process, and requests the Secretary-General to provide in his report an indication of progress towards achieving a coordinated United Nations approach in-country, and in particular on critical gaps to achieving peacebuilding objectives alongside the mission.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 21 October 2011.

Guinea-Bissau – UNIOGBIS  
Resolution 1949 (2010) of 23 November 2010  
Para. 20: requests the Secretary-General to report on progress made in implementing this resolution and the mandate of the United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in Guinea-Bissau (UNIOGBIS) as outlined in resolution 1876 (2009), every 4 months.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 23 October 2011.

Libya  
Para. 12: requests the Secretary-General to inform the Council immediately of any actions taken by the Member States concerned in exercise of the authority conferred by paragraph 8 of the resolution and to report to the Council within 7 days and every month thereafter on the implementation of this resolution, including information on any violations of the flight ban imposed by paragraph 6 of the resolution.

The Secretary-General is expected to report to the Security Council by late October 2011.

Somalia – piracy at sea  
Resolution 1950 (2010) of 23 November 2010  
Para. 22: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council within 11 months of adoption of this resolution on the implementation of this resolution and on the situation with respect to piracy and armed robbery at sea off the coast of Somalia.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 23 October 2011.

Somalia – natural resources  
Resolution 1976 (2011) of 11 April 2011  
Para. 7: requests the Secretary-General to report within six months on the protection of Somali natural resources and waters, and on alleged illegal fishing and illegal dumping, including of toxic substances, off the coast of Somalia, taking into account the studies on this matter previously conducted by the United Nations Environmental Programme and other competent agencies and organizations, and expresses its readiness to keep the matter under review.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 4 October 2011.
The Sudan – UNAMID
Resolution 2003 (2011) of 29 July 2011
Para. 13: requests the Secretary-General to continue reporting to the Council every 90 days on progress made towards implementing UNAMID’s mandate across Darfur, including on progress towards and obstacles to the implementation of the strategy referred to in paragraph 3 above, also including an assessment of progress against the benchmarks and indicators set out in Annex II of the report of the Secretary-General of 16 November 2009 as well, the security and humanitarian situation, including in the IDP sites and refugee camps, human rights, violations of international humanitarian and human rights law, and early recovery and all parties compliance with their international obligations.

Para. 24: requests the Secretary-General periodically to review and update the concept of operations and rules of engagement of UNAMID in line with the mission’s mandate under relevant Security Council resolutions and to report, as part of the reports referred to in paragraph 13 above, on this to the Security Council and troop-contributing countries.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 18 October 2011.

The Sudan – UNISFA
Para 11: requests the Secretary-General to keep the Council regularly informed of the progress in implementing the Agreement and to report to the Council no later than thirty days after the adoption of this resolution and every 60 days thereafter.

Para 12: decides to review the role of the United Nations Interim Security Force for Abyei (UNISFA) in the implementation of the Agreement not later than 3 months after adoption of this resolution.

The report of the Secretary-General dated 29 September 2011 (S/2011/603) is before the Security Council.

Western Sahara – MINURSO
Resolution 1979 (2011) of 27 April 2011
Para. 8: requests the Secretary-General to keep the Security Council informed on a regular basis, and at least twice a year, on the status and progress of the negotiations under his auspices and express its intention to meet to receive and discuss his report.

The Secretary-General is expected to brief the Security Council during October 2011.

AMERICAS

Haiti – MINUSTAH
Resolution 1944 (2010) of 14 October 2010
Para. 21: 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.
Para. 22: requests the Secretary-General to include in his reports a comprehensive assessment of threats to security in Haiti and give particular attention to the protective environment for all, in particular women and children, and on progress in the sustainable resettlement of displaced persons, and to propose, as appropriate, options to reconfigure the composition of MINUSTAH.

The report of the Secretary-General dated 25 August 2011 (S/2011/540) is before the Security Council.


The mandate of MINUSTAH will expire on 15 October 2011.

ASIA

Afghanistan – ISAF
Resolution 1943 (2010) of 13 October 2010
Para. 1: decides to extend the authorization of the International Security Assistance Force (ISAF) for a period of 12 months beyond 13 October 2010.

The authorization of ISAF will expire on 13 October 2011.

Timor-Leste – UNMIT
Para. 19: requests also the Secretary-General to keep the Security Council regularly informed of the developments on the ground and to submit to the Security Council, no later than 15 October 2011 and 26 January 2012, reports that include an update regarding the High Level Committee on Transition and progress concerning the critical tasks that will need to be accomplished post-election, and on planning concerning the United Nations presence in Timor-Leste beyond 2012 elections.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 15 October 2011.

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.

Middle East (Lebanon) – resolution 1559 (2004)
S/PRST/2004/36 of 19 October 2004
Last para: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council every 6 months on the implementation by the parties of resolution 1559 (2004).

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 19 October 2011.
Middle East – Lebanon (resolution 1701 (2006))
Resolution 1937 (2010) of 30 August 2010
Para. 10: requests the Secretary-General to continue to report to the Security 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 2011.

EUROPE

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 by 31 October 2011.

OTHER

Post-conflict peacebuilding
S/PRST/2010/20 of 13 October 2010
Last para.: requests the Secretary-General to brief the Security Council and the General Assembly by 13 October 2011 and submit a report no later than 13 October 2012 on further progress made in implementing his agenda for action giving particular emphasis on the impact this has made on the ground, including progress towards increasing the participation of women in peacebuilding, taking into consideration the views of the Peacebuilding Commission.

The Secretary-General is expected to brief the Council in October 2011.

Women and peace and security – implementation of resolution 1325 (2000)
S/PRST/2010/22 of 26 October 2010
15th para: requests the Secretary-General to continue to submit an annual report to the Security Council on the implementation of resolution 1325 (2000) and further requests the Secretary-General to propose in his next annual report a strategic framework to guide the United Nations’ implementation of the resolution in the next decade, which includes targets and indicators and takes account of relevant processes within the Secretariat, and to include recommendations for policy and institutional reforms in the UN that will facilitate improved response by the Organization to women and peace and security issues.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 13 October 2011.

Maintenance of international peace and security – security sector reform
First para: recalls the statement by its President of 21 February 2007 (S/PRST/2007/3) and emphasizes that security sector reform is an essential element of any stabilization and
reconstruction process in post-conflict environments, and recognizes that the establishment of an effective, professional and accountable security sector is one of the necessary elements for laying the foundations for peace and sustainable development.


Last para: requests the Secretary-General to continue to include, wherever appropriate, recommendations related to security sector reform in his periodic reports on United Nations operations mandated by the Security Council.

The Secretary-General is expected to report to the Security Council by 15 October 2011.

**Election of non-permanent members of the Security Council**
The election in the General Assembly is scheduled for the morning of 13 October 2011.

**Security Council Annual Report**
The Security Council is expected to adopt its Annual Report for the period 1 August 2010 to 31 July 2011 at a formal meeting during October 2011.

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## SCHEDULE OF FORTHCOMING EXPIRIES OF MANDATES

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Burundi (BNUB) By 30 November 2011 S/RES/1959 (2010) of 16 December 2010 “[R]equests the Secretary-General to keep the Council informed every six months on the implementation of the mandate of BNUB and this resolution, with a briefing by 31 May 2011 and a report by 30 November 2011, and calls upon the Secretary-General to develop a set of benchmarks for the future evolution of BNUB into a United Nations Country Team presence and regularly report on their progress to the Security Council” (para. 15).