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AFRICA

Côte d’Ivoire – UNOCI
Resolution 1603 (2005) of 3 June 2005
Para. 17: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council every three months.

The Secretary-General’s report is expected to be issued by early March 2007.

Cross-border issues in West Africa
S/PRST/2006/38 of 9 August 2006
Last para.: requests the Secretary-General, in consultations with the ECOWAS secretariat, to submit to the Security Council by the end of the year a report with recommendations on the cooperation between the United Nations missions deployed in the region and on the cross-border issues in West Africa.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued during March 2007.

Democratic Republic of the Congo – MONUC
Para. 2: requests the Secretary-General to report, as soon as possible and not later than 15 March 2007, on his consultations with the Congolese authorities and to submit recommendations on adjustments the Security Council may consider making to the mandate and capacities of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUC).

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 15 March 2007.

Great Lakes – Office of the SRSRSG
S/PRST/2006/57 of 20 December 2006
Penultimate para.: supports the request of the regional inter-ministerial Committee to extend the mandate of the Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for the Great Lakes Region for a final period of three months, until 31 March 2007, with a view to ensuring regional ownership of the follow-up mechanism and completing successfully the transition to the Secretariat of the International Conference on the Great Lakes Region.

The mandate of the Office of the SRSRSG will expire on 31 March 2007.
Guinea-Bissau – UNOGIS
Resolution 1580 (2004) of 22 December 2004
Para. 11: requests the Secretary-General to submit a report every three months from the date of adoption of the resolution.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 22 March 2007.

Liberia – UNMIL
Para. 1: decides that the mandate of the United Nations Mission in Liberia (UNMIL) shall be extended until 31 March 2007.

The UNMIL mandate will expire on 31 March 2007.

Para. 4: requests the Secretary-General to monitor progress on the stabilization of Liberia and to continue to keep the Security Council informed.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by mid-March 2007.

A meeting between the Security Council and the troop-contributing countries will take place prior to the expiration of the UNMIL mandate.

Somalia
S/PRST/2001/30 of 31 October 2001
Requests the Secretary-General to submit reports, at least every four months, on the situation in Somalia and efforts to promote the peace process.

Resolution 1725 (2006) of 6 December 2006
Para. 7: requests the Secretary-General, in consultation with the Commission of the African Union and the secretariat of the Intergovernmental Authority on Development (IGAD), to report to the Security Council on the implementation of the mandate of a Peacekeeping Mission of IGAD in Somalia (IGASOM) within 30 days, and every sixty days thereafter.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 6 March 2007.

The Sudan – Darfur
Resolution 1590 (2005) of 24 March 2005
Para. 12: requests that the Secretary-General continue to report on a monthly basis on the situation in Darfur.

The report of the Secretary-General dated 23 February 2007 (S/2007/104) is before the Security Council.
The Sudan – sanctions
Resolution 1591 (2005) of 29 March 2005
Para. 3(a)(iv): decides that the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) shall report at least every 90 days to the Security Council on its work.

Para. 2: requests the Panel of Experts to provide a midterm briefing on its work no later than 29 March 2007.

The briefing by the Panel of Experts to the 1591 Committee is expected by 29 March 2007.

ASIA

Afghanistan – UNAMA
Para. 3: decides to extend the mandate of the United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan (UNAMA) for an additional period of 12 months from the date of adoption of the resolution.

The UNAMA mandate will expire on 23 March 2007.

Para. 20: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council every six months on developments in Afghanistan.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 13 March 2007.

Iraq – UNMOVIC
Resolution 1284 (1999) of 17 December 1999
Para. 12: requests the Executive Chairman of the United Nations Monitoring, Verification and Inspection Commission (UNMOVIC) to report, through the Secretary-General, to the Security Council every three months.


Iraq – UNAMI
Para. 5: requests that the Secretary-General continue to report to the Security Council on the operations in Iraq of the United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq (UNAMI) on a quarterly basis.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 8 March 2007.
Iraq – MNF
Para. 6: requests that the United States, on behalf of the Multinational Force (MNF), continue to report to the Security Council on the efforts and progress of that force on a quarterly basis.

The report on behalf of the MNF is expected by 8 March 2007.

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 1701 (2006)
S/PRST/2006/52 of 12 December 2006
Last para.: requests the Secretary-General to report on a quarterly basis on the implementation of resolution 1701 (2006), notably on further progress made towards the achievement of a permanent ceasefire and a long-term solution.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued during mid-March 2007.

Middle East (Lebanon) – resolution 1595 (2005)
Para. 4: requests the International Independent Investigation Commission (IIIC) to continue to report to the Security Council on the progress of the inquiry on a quarterly basis, or at any other time as it deems appropriate.

The IIIC report is expected to be issued by 15 March 2007.

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 on the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo (UNMIK) is expected to be issued during mid-March 2007.
S/PRST/2005/51 of 24 October 2005
Requests that the Secretary-General provide regular updates on progress in determining Kosovo’s Future Status, as defined by resolution 1244 (1999).

OTHER

Non-proliferation – Iran
Para. 23: requests within 60 days a report from the Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) on whether Iran has established full and sustained suspension of all activities mentioned in the resolution, as well as on the process of Iranian compliance with all the steps required by the IAEA Board of Governors and with the other provisions of this resolution, to the IAEA Board of Governors and in parallel to the Security Council for its consideration.

The report of the IAEA Director General dated 22 February 2007 (S/2007/100) is before the Security Council.

Para. 24: affirms that the Security Council shall review Iran’s actions in the light of the report referred to in paragraph 23 above, to be submitted within 60 days.

The Security Council may review the IAEA Director General’s report during March 2007.

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