TENTATIVE FORECAST OF THE PROGRAMME OF WORK OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 2015

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AFRICA

Central African Republic – MINUSCA mandate and report
Resolution 2149 (2014) of 10 April 2014
Para.18: Decides to establish the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in the Central African Republic (MINUSCA) as of the date of adoption of this resolution and for an initial period until 30 April 2015;

The mandate of MINUSCA will expire on 30 April 2015.

A meeting between the Security Council and the troop-contributing countries will take place before the expiry of the MINUSCA mandate.

Para.40: Decides that MINUSCA may, within the limits of its capacities and areas of deployment, at the formal request of the Transitional Authorities and in areas where national security forces are not present or operational, adopt urgent temporary measures on an exceptional basis and without creating a precedent and without prejudice to the agreed principles of peacekeeping operations, which are limited in scope, time bound and consistent with the objectives set forth in paragraphs 30 (a) and 30 (f) above, to maintain basic law and order and fight impunity and requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council any measures that may be adopted on this basis;

Para.50: Requests the Secretary-General to keep the Council regularly informed of the situation in the Central African Republic and the implementation of the mandate of MINUSCA, to report to the Council, on 1 August 2014, and then every four months from that date and to include in his reports to the Council updates on and recommendations related to the dynamic implementation MINUSCA’s mandated tasks, including by providing appropriate financial information, information on the security situation, the priority political elements as defined above on political progress, progress on mechanisms and capacity to advance governance and fiscal management, relevant information on the progress, promotion and protection of human rights and international humanitarian law as well as a review of the troop and police levels, force and police generation and deployment of all MINUSCA’s constituent elements;

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in April 2015.

Central African Republic – French forces mandate in support of MINUSCA and French forces report to SC
Resolution 2149 (2014) of 10 April 2014
Para.47: Authorizes French forces, within the limits of their capacities and areas of deployment, from the commencement of the activities of MINUSCA until the end of MINUSCA’s mandate as authorized in this resolution, to use all necessary means to provide operational support to elements of MINUSCA from the date of adoption of this resolution, at the request of the Secretary-General and requests France to report to the Council on the implementation of this mandate as of 15 September 2014 and to coordinate its reporting with that of the Secretary-General referred to in paragraph 40 of this resolution;
Para.47: Authorizes French forces, within the limits of their capacities and areas of deployment, from the commencement of the activities of MINUSCA until the end of MINUSCA’s mandate as authorized in this resolution, to use all necessary means to provide operational support to elements of MINUSCA from the date of adoption of this resolution, at the request of the Secretary-General and requests France to report to the Council on the implementation of this mandate as of 15 September 2014 and to coordinate its reporting with that of the Secretary-General referred to in paragraph 40 of this resolution;

Côte d’Ivoire – Sanctions: Measures on arms, financial, travel measures and SC to review measures on arms
Resolution 2153 (2014) of 29 April 2014
Para.1: Decides, for a period ending on 30 April 2015, that all States shall take the necessary measures to prevent the direct or indirect supply, sale or transfer to Côte d’Ivoire, from their territories or by their nationals, or using their flag vessels or aircraft, of arms and any related lethal material, whether or not originating in their territories;
Para.12: Decides to renew until 30 April 2015 the financial and travel measures imposed by paragraphs 9 to 12 of resolution 1572 (2004) and paragraph 12 of resolution 1975 (2011) and stresses its intention to review the continued listing of individuals subject to such measures provided they engage in actions that further the objective of national reconciliation;

The measures on arms and financial and travel measures will expire on 30 April 2015.

Para.11: Decides to review the measures decided in paragraphs above in light of the progress achieved in the stabilization throughout the country, by the end of the period mentioned in paragraph 1, in accordance with progress achieved in relation to DDR and SSR, national reconciliation and the fight against impunity;

The Security Council is expected to review the measures on arms by 30 April 2015.

Côte d’Ivoire – Sanctions: Group of Experts reports
Resolution 2153 (2014) of 29 April 2014
Para.27: Requests the Group of Experts to submit a midterm report to the Committee by 15 October 2014 and to submit a final report by 15 April 2015, after discussion with the Committee, on the implementation of the measures imposed by paragraphs 1 above, 9 and 11 of resolution 1572 (2004), paragraph 12 of resolution 1975 (2011) and paragraph 10 of resolution 1980 (2011);

The final report of the Group of Experts is expected to be submitted by 15 April 2015.

Liberia – UNMIL report
Resolution 2190 (2014) of 15 December 2014
Para.22: Requests the Secretary-General to keep it regularly informed of the situation in Liberia and the implementation of the mandate of UNMIL and to provide to it a midterm report no later than 30 April 2015 and a final report no later than 15 August 2015 on the situation on the ground and implementation of this resolution;

The midterm report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued no later than 30 April 2015.
Libya – Sanctions: Panel of Experts mandate
Resolution 2144 (2014) of 14 March 2014
Para.13: Decides to extend until 13 April 2015 the mandate of the Panel of Experts, established by paragraph 24 of resolution 1973 (2011) and modified by resolution 2040 (2012), expresses its intent to review the mandate and take appropriate action regarding further extension no later than twelve months from the adoption of this resolution, and decides that the Panel shall carry out the following tasks:

The mandate of the Panel of Experts will expire on 13 April 2015.

Mali – MINUSMA report
Resolution 2164 (2014) of 25 June 2014
Para.33: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council within three months of the adoption of this resolution, focusing on the implementation of the Ouagadougou Preliminary Agreement, the expansion of the Force’s presence in the North of Mali, and benchmarks to assess progress on the implementation of the priority tasks of MINUSMA’s mandate, as defined by paragraph 13 above, and then, every three months, to report on the implementation of this resolution, in particular on the progress achieved on the benchmarks;

The report of the Secretary-General dated 27 (S/2015/219) is before the Security Council.

Mali – Report by France on implementation of mandate to support MINUSMA
Resolution 2164 (2014) of 25 June 2014
Para.26: Authorizes French forces, within the limits of their capacities and areas of deployment, to use all necessary means until the end of MINUSMA’s mandate as authorized in this resolution, to intervene in support of elements of MINUSMA when under imminent and serious threat upon request of the Secretary-General, requests France to report to the Council on the implementation of this mandate in Mali and to coordinate its reporting with the reporting by the Secretary-General referred to in paragraph 33 below;

The letter from the Secretary-General dated 16 March 2015 (S/2015/187) is before the Security Council.

Somalia – Sanctions: Somali Government reports
Resolution 2182 (2014) of 24 October 2014
Para.9: Urges the FGS to implement fully all its requirements as set out in this and other relevant Security Council resolutions, and requests the FGS to report to the Security Council by 30 March 2015, and then by 30 September 2015 on:
(a) The current structure of the Security Forces of the Federal Government of Somalia;
(b) The infrastructure in place to ensure the safe storage, registration, maintenance and distribution of military equipment by the Security Forces of the Federal Government of Somalia;
(c) The procedures and codes of conduct in place for the registration, distribution, use and storage of weapons by the Security Forces of the Federal Government of Somalia, and on training needs in this regard;

South Sudan – UNMISS report
Resolution 2187 (2014) of 25 November 2014
Para.24: Requests that the Secretary-General report to the Security Council on the implementation of the UNMISS mandate in two written reports, no later than 16 February 2015 and 30 April 2015 respectively, which could include the issues of accountability in South Sudan;

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued no later than 30 April 2015.

South Sudan – Sanctions: SC to review situation
Resolution 2206 (2015) of 3 March 2015
Para.21: Expresses its intent to review the situation after the IGAD-agreed deadline of March 5, 2015, and again after the envisioned start of the Pre-Transition Period on 1 April 2015, and at 60-day intervals thereafter or more frequently, as needed, and also expresses its intent to impose any sanctions that may then be appropriate to respond to the situation, which may include an arms embargo and the designation of senior individuals responsible for actions or policies that threaten the peace, security or stability of South Sudan, so as to encourage the Government of South Sudan and opposition forces to form a transitional government of national unity, take effective and comprehensive steps to cause forces under direct or indirect control to cease military operations, acts of violence, as well as violations of human rights, and enable full access for humanitarian assistance;

Western Sahara – MINURSO mandate and report
Resolution 2152 (2014) of 29 April 2014
Para.1: Decides to extend the mandate of MINURSO until 30 April 2015.

The mandate of MINURSO will expire on 30 April 2015.

A meeting between the Security Council and the troop-contributing countries will take place before the expiry of the MINURSO mandate.

Resolution 2152 (2014) of 29 April 2014
Para.9: Requests the Secretary-General to brief the Security Council on a regular basis, and at least twice a year, on the status and progress of these negotiations under his auspices, on the implementation of this resolution, challenges to MINURSO’s operations and steps taken to address them, expresses its intention to meet to receive and discuss his briefings and in this regard, and further requests the Secretary-General to provide a report on the situation in Western Sahara well before the end of the mandate period;

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in April 2015.

Western Sahara – SG report on Western Sahara
Resolution 2152 (2014) of 29 April 2014
Para.9: Requests the Secretary-General to brief the Security Council on a regular basis, and at least twice a year, on the status and progress of these negotiations under his auspices, on the implementation of this resolution, challenges to MINURSO’s operations and steps taken to address them, expresses its intention to meet to receive and discuss his briefings and in this regard, and further requests the Secretary-General to provide a report on the situation in Western Sahara well before the end of the mandate period;
The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in April 2015.

**ASIA/MIDDLE EAST**

**Iraq – UNAMI report**  
Resolution 2169 (2014) of 30 July 2014  
Para.6: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council every three months on the progress made towards the fulfilment of all UNAMI’s responsibilities.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in April 2015.

**Iraq/Kuwait – missing persons and return of property**  
Resolution 2107 (2013) of 27 June 2013  
Para. 4: requests that the Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Assistance Mission to Iraq (UNAMI) promote, support and facilitate efforts regarding the repatriation or return of all Kuwaiti and third country nationals or their remains, and the return of Kuwaiti property, including the national archives, seized by Iraq, further requests the Secretary-General to report separately to the Security Council on these matters in his reports on the progress made towards the fulfilment of all UNAMI’s responsibilities…;

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in April 2015.

**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 Council informed.

**Middle East (Lebanon) – report on resolution 1559 (2004)**  
Resolution 1559 (2004) of 2 September 2004  
Para.7: Requests that the Secretary-General report to the Security Council within thirty days on the implementation by the parties of this resolution and decides to remain actively seized of the matter.

S/PRST/2004/36 of 19 October 2004  
Last para.: “The Security Council appreciates the Secretary-General’s intention to keep the Council updated. It requests that he continue to report on the implementation of the resolution to the Council every six months.”

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in April 2015.

**Middle East (Syria) – OPCW report to SC (through SG) on implementation of resolution 2118 (2013)**  
Resolution 2118 (2013) of 27 September 2013  
Para.12: Decides to review on a regular basis the implementation in the Syrian Arab Republic of the decision of the OPCW Executive Council of 27 September 2013 and this resolution, and requests the Director-General of the OPCW to report to the Security Council, through the Secretary-General, who shall include relevant information on United Nations activities related to the implementation of
this resolution, within 30 days and every month thereafter, and requests further the Director-General of the OPCW and the Secretary-General to report in a coordinated manner, as needed, to the Security Council, non-compliance with this resolution or the OPCW Executive Council decision of 27 September 2013.

The letter of the Secretary-General dated 25 March 2015 (S/2015/211) is before the Security Council.

**Middle East (Syria) – Implementation of resolutions 2139 (2014), 2165 (2014) and 2191 (2014)**  
Resolution 2139 (2014) of 22 February 2014  
Para.17: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council on the implementation of this resolution by all parties in Syria, in particular paragraphs 2 through 12, in 30 days of its adoption and every 30 days thereafter, and upon receipt of the Secretary-General’s report, expresses its intent to take further steps in the case of non-compliance with this resolution;

Resolution 2191 (2014) of 17 December 2014  
Para. 5: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council on the implementation of this resolution, and on compliance by all parties to the Syrian domestic conflict, within the framework of its reporting on resolutions 2139 (2014) and 2165 (2014);

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in April 2015.

**EUROPE**

**UNMIK – SG report**  
Resolution 1244 (1999) of 10 June 1999  
Para.20: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council at regular intervals on the implementation of this resolution, including reports from the leaderships of the international civil and security presences, the first reports to be submitted within 30 days of the adoption of this resolution.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in April 2015.

**OTHER**

**Women and peace and security – Annual reports on the implementation of resolutions on WPS and resolution 2106 (2013)**  
Resolution 2106 (2013) of 24 June 2013  
Para.22: Requests that the Secretary-General continue to submit annual reports to the Council on the implementation of women and peace and security resolutions and the present resolution, and to submit his next report by March 2014;

The report of the Secretary-General dated 23 March 2015 (S/2015/203) is before the Security Council.

**Peacebuilding Commission – Annual report / debate**  
Resolution 1646 (2005) of 20 December 2005
Para.2: Decides that the annual report referred to in paragraph 15 of resolution 1645 (2005) shall also be submitted to the Security Council for an annual debate.

Resolution 1947 (2010) of 29 October 2010
Para.4: Requests the Peacebuilding Commission to reflect in its annual reports progress made in taking forward the relevant recommendations of the report.

The letter from the Chairperson of the Peacebuilding Commission dated 17 March 2015 (S/2015/174) is before the Security Council.

Peacekeeping operations – Report and recommendations on the progress of partnerships between the UN and relevant regional organizations in peacekeeping operations
Resolution 2167 (2014) of 28 July 2014
Para.28: Requests the Secretary-General, in close consultation with the AU Commission and EU to produce, not later than 31 March 2015, an assessment report and recommendations on the progress of the partnerships between the UN and relevant regional organizations in peacekeeping operations;

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in April.

Peacekeeping operations – Lessons learned exercise on transitions and specific recommendations
Resolution 2167 (2014) of 28 July 2014
Para.13: Requests in that context the Secretary-General to initiate in full and close cooperation with the African Union a lessons learned exercise on the transitions from the African Union peace operations to United Nations peacekeeping operations in Mali and the Central African Republic and to produce specific recommendations that could be used for possible future transitional arrangements not later than 31 December 2014;

The letter of the Secretary-General dated 2 January 2015 (S/2015/3) is before the Security Council.

Cooperation between UN and regional / subregional organizations – Recommendations on enhancing cooperation between the UN and OIC
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;

S/PRST/2013/12 of 6 August 2013
Last para.: The Council further requests that the Secretary-General includes in his next biannual report to the Security Council and the General Assembly on Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations, recommendations on ways to enhance cooperation between the United Nations and relevant regional and subregional organizations and arrangements.

S/PRST/2013/16 of 28 October 2013
Last para.: “The Security Council requests the Secretary-General to include in his next biannual report to the Security Council and the General Assembly on Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations, recommendations on ways to enhance cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of Islamic Cooperation.”
The report of the Secretary-General dated 4 August 2014 (S/2014/560) is before the Security Council.
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<td>No later than 15 May 2015</td>
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<td>“Requests the Secretary-General to keep the Council regularly informed of the situation in Côte d’Ivoire and the implementation of the mandate of UNOCI and to provide to it a midterm report no later than 15 December 2014 and a final report no later than 15 May 2015 on the situation on the ground and the implementation of this resolution;” Para. 38</td>
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<td>Somalia: UNSOM</td>
<td>In May 2015</td>
<td>Resolution 2158 (2014) of 29 May 2014</td>
<td>“Requests the Secretary-General to keep the Security Council regularly informed of the implementation of UNSOM’s mandate, including through oral updates and no fewer than three written reports, with the first written report by 25 September, and every 120 days thereafter;” Para. 15</td>
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| Somalia: SG and AU to jointly review impact of temporary surge authorized in resolution 2124 (2013) and set out recommendation | By 30 May 2015 | Resolution 2182 (2014) of 24 October 2014 | “Recalls the benchmarks for the deployment of a United Nations peacekeeping operation as set out in both the African Union Commission Chairperson’s 11 October 2013 letter and the Secretary-General’s subsequent 14 October 2013 letter to the President of the Security Council, requests that the Secretary-General keep these
s on next steps in military campaign

benchmarks under continuous review in close consultation with the AU, and further requests the Secretary-General and African Union to review jointly the impact of the temporary surge authorized in resolution 2124 (2013) and to set out recommendations on next steps in the military campaign by 30 May 2015, taking into due consideration the political situation in Somalia;"  
Para. 24

Sudan/South Sudan: UNISFA  
No later than 1 May 2015  

“Requests the Secretary-General to continue to inform the Council of progress in implementing UNISFA’s mandate in two written reports, no later than 1 May 2015 and 15 June 2015 respectively, and continue to bring to the Council’s immediate attention any serious violations of the above referenced agreements;”  
Para. 27

Sudan – UNAMID  
In May 2015  
Resolution 2173 (2014) of 27 August 2014

“Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council every 90 days following adoption of this resolution on UNAMID, including: information on the political, humanitarian and security situation in Darfur, including detailed reporting on incidents of violence and attacks against civilians, by whomsoever perpetrated; information on violations of the Status of Forces Agreement, as well as violations of international humanitarian law perpetrated by any party to the conflict; developments and progress towards achievement of UNAMID’s strategic priorities and benchmarks; developments and progress in addressing the challenges facing UNAMID as identified in the review of UNAMID; and on the implementation of this resolution;”  
Para. 26
BiH: Reports of High Representative to SC (through SG)  
In May 2015  
Resolution 2183 (2014) of 11 November 2014  
“Also requests the Secretary-General to continue to submit to the Council reports from the High Representative, in accordance with annex 10 of the Peace Agreement and the conclusions of the Peace Implementation Conference held in London on 4 and 5 December 1996 (S/1996/1012), and later Peace Implementation Conferences, on the implementation of the Peace Agreement and in particular on compliance by the parties with their commitments under that Agreement;”  
Para. 20

Middle East (Syria) – OPCW to report (through SG) on implementation of resolution 2118 (2013)  
In May 2015  
Resolution 2118 (2013) of 27 September 2013  
“Decides to review on a regular basis the implementation in the Syrian Arab Republic of the decision of the OPCW Executive Council of 27 September 2013 and this resolution, and requests the Director-General of the OPCW to report to the Security Council, through the Secretary-General, who shall include relevant information on United Nations activities related to the implementation of this resolution, within 30 days and every month thereafter, and requests further the Director-General of the OPCW and the Secretary-General to report in a coordinated manner, as needed, to the Security Council, non-compliance with this resolution or the OPCW Executive Council decision of 27 September 2013.”  
Para. 12.

Middle East (Syria) – resolutions 2139 (2014), 2165 (2014) and 2191 (2014)  
In May 2015  
“Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council on the implementation of this resolution by all parties in Syria, in particular paragraphs 2 through 12, in 30 days of its adoption and every 30 days thereafter, and upon receipt of the Secretary-General’s report, expresses its intent to take further steps in the case of non-compliance with this resolution;”  
Para.17 of 2139 (2014)

“Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council on the implementation of this resolution, and on compliance by all parties to the Syrian domestic conflict, within the framework of
“The Security Council notes the report of the Secretary-General on protection of civilians in armed conflict of 22 May 2012 S/2012/376 and the recommendations made therein, and requests the Secretary-General to submit his next report, to include an assessment of concrete measures taken by peacekeeping missions to implement their mandates to protect civilians and the impact of those measures, by 15 November 2013 and for reports to be submitted every 18 months thereafter.”

Last para.