TENTATIVE FORECAST OF THE PROGRAMME OF WORK OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 2009

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AFRICA

Burundi – BINUB
Resolution 1858 (2009) of 22 December 2009
Para. 18: requests the Secretary-General to report by May 2009 to the Security Council on the implementation of the mandate of the United Nations Integrated Office in Burundi (BINUB), including on the results of the technical assessment mission he intends to conduct early in 2009, and to incorporate in his report any recommendations that may guide the Security Council in deciding on the future direction of BINUB.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued during May 2009.

Democratic Republic of the Congo – sanctions
Para. 8: requests the Group of Experts to report to the Security Council in writing, through the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004), by 15 May 2009.

The Chairman of the 1533 Committee is expected to brief the Security Council on the report of the Group of Experts during May 2009.

Sierra Leone – UNIPSIL
Para. 9: requests that the Secretary-General keep the Security Council informed every 4 months on the implementation of the mandate of the United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in Sierra Leone (UNIPSIL), and the present resolution.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 31 May 2009.

Somalia – UN peacekeeping operation
Para. 5: requests the Secretary-General to submit a report for a United Nations Peacekeeping Operation by 15 April 2009, to include developments in the situation in Somalia, progress towards the full deployment and strengthening of the African Union Mission to Somalia (AMISOM) with a view to transition to a United Nations Peacekeeping Operation, progress in the political process and security conditions on the ground, in order to inform the Security Council of his assessment in advance of the decision referred to in paragraph 4 of the resolution and with a view to speedy deployment.

Para. 6: requests the Secretary-General in his report to develop recommendations on the mandate of such a United Nations Peacekeeping Operation taking into account the tasks in Mogadishu and its environs enumerated in paragraphs 6(a) through (e) of the resolution.
Para. 11: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council at 30-day intervals on progress in the deployment of the United Nations logistical support package to AMISOM.

The report of the Secretary-General dated 15 April 2009 (S/2009/210) is before the Security Council.

Para. 4: expresses the intent of the Security Council to establish a United Nations Peacekeeping Operation in Somalia as a follow-on force to the African Union Mission to Somalia (AMISOM), subject to a further decision of the Security Council by 1 June 2009.

Para. 10: requests the Secretary-General, in order for AMISOM’s forces to be incorporated into a United Nations Peacekeeping Operation, to provide a United Nations logistical support package to AMISOM including equipment and services until 1 June 2009 or until the decision referred to in paragraph 4 above, whichever is earlier.

The Security Council is expected to take a further decision by 1 June 2009.

The Sudan – UNAMID

Para. 17: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council every 60 days on developments concerning 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 by 31 May 2009.

ASIA

Iraq – UNAMI

Para. 6: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council on a quarterly basis on the progress made towards the fulfilment of all the responsibilities of the United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq (UNAMI).

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 31 May 2009.

The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian Question
Resolution 1922 (2009) of 7 October 2009

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
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 dated 24 April 2009 (S/2009/218) is before the Security Council.

Letter dated 22 November 2006 from the Secretary-General – UNMIN
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), with a view to further downsizing of UNMIN, no later than 30 April 2009.

The report of the Secretary-General dated 24 April 2009 (S/2009/221) is before the Security Council.

Timor-Leste – UNMIT
Resolution 1887 (2009) of 26 February 2009
Para. 6: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council and troop and police contributing countries on updating of the concept of operations and rules of engagement within 90 days after the adoption of the resolution.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 30 May 2009.

EUROPE

Bosnia and Herzegovina – report of the High Representative
Para. 21: requests the Secretary-General to continue to submit to the Security 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.

The report of the High Representative is expected to be issued during May 2009.
The situation in Georgia
Resolution 1866 (2009) of 13 February 2009
Para. 6: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council on the implementation of the resolution, and on the situation on the ground and the activities of the United Nations mission, including recommendations on future activities, by 15 May 2009.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 15 May 2009.

OTHER

Coordinated reporting by Chairmen of counter-terrorism committees
S/PRST/2006/34 of 20 July 2006
Last para. invites the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities, the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism (CTC), and the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) to continue reporting on their activities at regular intervals and, where appropriate, in a coordinated manner.

Para. 38: requests the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) concerning Al-Qaida and the Taliban and associated individuals and entities to report orally, through its Chairman, to the Security Council at least every 180 days on the overall work of the Committee and the Analytical Support and Sanctions Monitoring Team and, as appropriate, in conjunction with the reports by the Chairmen of the CTC and of the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004).

Resolution 1895 (2009) of 20 March 2009
Para 9: requests the CTC to report orally, through its Chairman, at least every 180 days to the Security Council on the overall work of the CTC and Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED), and, as appropriate, in conjunction with the reports by the Chairmen of the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1267 (1999) and the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004).

ICTY / ICTR – residual issues
S/PRST/2008/47 of 19 December 2008

Para. 1. requests the Secretary-General to present a report within 90 days on the administrative and budgetary aspects of the option for possible locations for the archives of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia (ICTY) and the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (ICTR) and the seat of the residual mechanism.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in early May 2009.

Non-proliferation / DPRK
Resolution 1718 (2006) of 14 October 2006
Para. 12(g): decides that the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006) shall 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 of the resolution.

The Chairman of the 1718 Committee is expected to report to the Security Council during May 2009.

Protection of civilians in armed conflict
S/PRST/2008/18 of 27 May 2008

Last para.: requests the Secretary-General to submit his next report on the protection of civilians in armed conflict by May 2009.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 29 May 2009.

Post-conflict peacebuilding
S/PRST/2008/16 of 20 May 2008

Last para.: invites the Secretary-General to provide advice within 12 months to the relevant United Nations organs on how best to take forward, within the United Nations system, the issues of support for national efforts in affected countries to secure a sustainable peace more rapidly and effectively and, taking into consideration the views of the Peacebuilding Commission, of coordination of peacebuilding activities and of encouraging the mobilization and most effective use of resources for urgent peacebuilding needs.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 30 May 2009.

International Day of United Nations Peacekeepers
The International Day of United Nations Peacekeepers will be observed on 29 May 2009.
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|                              |                |                                               | "Decides to review resolutions pertaining specifically to Iraq, beginning with the adoption of resolution 661 (1990), and in that regard, requests the Secretary-General to report, after consultations with Iraq, on facts relevant to consideration by the Security Council of actions necessary for Iraq to achieve international standing equal to that which it held prior to the adoption of such resolutions" (para. 5).
Iraq-Kuwait
(missing persons and return of property) During June 2009 Letter from the President of the Security Council dated 30 June 2006 (S/2006/468) Takes note of the intention of the Secretary-General in his letter dated 28 June 2006 (S/2006/468) “to reduce the frequency of reports on the compliance by Iraq with its obligations regarding the repatriation or return of all Kuwaiti and third-country nationals or their remains from every four months to every six months”.

Afghanistan (UNAMA) By 23 June 2009 Resolution 1868 (2009) of 23 March 2009 “Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council every three months on developments in Afghanistan, and to develop, ..., benchmarks for measuring and tracking progress in the implementation of UNAMA’s mandate and priorities as set out in paragraph 4 of this resolution” (para. 36).

Middle East (UNDOF) By 23 June 2009 Resolution 1848 (2008) of 12 December 2008 “Requests the Secretary-General to report, at the end of this period, a report on developments in the situation and the measures taken to implement resolution 338 (1973)” (para. 4).

Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUC) By 30 June 2009 Resolution 1856 (2008) of 22 December 2008 “Requests the Secretary-General to continue to report regularly, and at least every three months, on the situation in the DRC and on MONUC’s activities, and to provide the Security Council, with the same regularity, a specific update on the military situation” (para. 9).

Middle East – Lebanon (resolution 1701/2006)) By 30 June 2009 Resolution 1832 (2008) of 27 August 2008 “Requests the Secretary-General to continue to report to the Council on the implementation of resolution 1701 (2006) every four months, or at any time as he deems appropriate” (para. 6).

United Nations Office for West Africa (UNOWA) By 30 June 2009 Letter from the President of the Security Council dated 21 December 2007 (S/2007/754) Requests the Secretary-General “to report to the Council every six months on the fulfillment by UNOWA of its revised mandate” (last para.).
"[R]equests the Secretary-General to submit a report to the Council by 30 June 2009 on the implementation of this resolution in the context of situations which are on the agenda of the Council, ... [and] ... information on his plans for facilitating the collection of timely, objective, accurate, and reliable information on the use of sexual violence in situations of armed conflict" (para. 15).