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**TENTATIVE FORECAST OF THE PROGRAMME OF WORK OF THE
SECURITY COUNCIL FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 2015**

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AFRICA

Guinea-Bissau: UNIOGBIS mandate

Resolution 2186 (2014) of 25 November 2014

Para.1: Decides to extend the mandate of UNIOGBIS for a period of 3 months beginning on 1 December 2014 until 28 February 2015 to perform the following tasks:

The mandate of UNIOGBIS will expire on 28 February 2015.

Guinea-Bissau – UNIOGBIS

Resolution 2157 (2014) of 29 May 2014

Para.13: Requests the Secretary-General to conduct a comprehensive review of the mandate of UNIOGBIS, to ensure that it is aligned with the priorities identified by the legitimate democratic government and report the findings of such review by 30 October 2014;

PSC letter of 24 July 2014 (S/2014/529)

“The members of the Council have taken note of the request contained in your letter that the time frame for the issuance of the report be extended by a period of three months, but they would in turn request that you provide a written update by 12 November 2014, which the Council could consider prior to the expiration of the mandate of the United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in Guinea-Bissau on 30 November 2014.”

The report of the Secretary-General dated 19 January 2015 (S/2015/37) is before the Security Council.

Libya – UNSMIL

Resolution 2144 (2014) of 14 March 2014

Para.18: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council on the implementation of this resolution, including all elements of UNSMIL’s mandate, every 90 days;

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

Somalia – UNSOM

Resolution 2158 (2014) of 29 May 2014

Para.15: 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;

The report of the Secretary-General dated 23 January 2015 (S/2015/51) is before the Security Council.

Somalia – Sanctions: proposal on exemption to arms embargo

Resolution 2182 (2014) of 24 October 2014

Para.10: Takes note of the SEMG's recommendation that weapons on board vessels engaged in commercial activity in Somali ports are granted an exemption to the arms embargo, expresses its willingness to take such a proposal forward, in close consultation with the FGS, and requests the FGS and SEMG to work together and formulate a proposal which should be communicated to the Security Council by 27 February 2015;

The proposal is expected to be communicated to the Security Council by 27 February 2015.

Somalia/Eritrea – Sanctions: Committee reports

Resolution 1844 (2008) of 20 November 2008

Para.11: Decides further to expand the mandate of the Committee as set out in resolution 751(1992) to include the following tasks:

(g) to report at least every 120 days to the Security Council on its work and on the implementation of this resolution, with its observations and recommendations, in particular on ways to strengthen the effectiveness of the measures imposed by paragraphs 1, 3 and 7 above.

The Chair of the 751/1907 Committee is expected to report to the Security Council in February 2015.

South Sudan – UNMISS

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 16 February 2015.

Sudan – Sanctions: Panel of Experts reports

Resolution 2138 (2014) of 13 February 2014

Para.2: Requests the Panel of Experts to provide no later than 31 July 2014, a midterm briefing on its work to the Committee established pursuant to paragraph 3 (a) of resolution 1591 (2005) (hereinafter "the Committee") and a final report no later than 17 January 2015 to the Council with its findings and recommendations;

The letter of the Vice-Chair of the Committee dated 16 January 2015 (S/2015/31) is before the Security Council.

Sudan – Sanctions: Committee reports

Resolution 1591 (2005) of 29 March 2005

Para.3: Decides, in light of the failure of all parties to the conflict in Darfur to fulfil their commitments, (a) to establish, in accordance with rule 28 of its provisional rules of procedure, a Committee of the Security Council consisting of all the members of the Council (herein "the Committee"), to undertake to following tasks:

iv. to report at least every 90 days to the Security Council on its work.

The Chair of the 1591 Committee is expected to report to the Security Council in February 2015.

Sudan – UNAMID

Resolution 2173 (2014) of 27 August 2014

Para.7: Requests the Secretary-General, in close consultation with the AU, and seeking perspectives from all relevant parties, to conduct an analysis of implementation of the review of UNAMID, including specific achievements reached under the revised strategic priorities, progress in addressing the challenges facing the Mission, as identified by the review, any significant developments in the situation in Darfur and their impact on UNAMID's mandate and tasks, and an analysis of those tasks that remain relevant and on the fulfilment of which the UNCT has comparative advantage, with a road map to transfer those tasks to the fullest extent possible to the UNCT, taking into account the contributions of donors and other relevant actors; requests that he present this analysis, together with recommendations for the future mandate, composition, configuration and exit strategy of UNAMID, as well as for its relationship with other UN actors in Darfur and Sudan, by 28 February 2015; and expresses its intention to take decisions accordingly on the future of UNAMID and to make necessary changes fully and promptly following presentation of the Secretary-General's analysis and recommendations;

The analysis is expected to be presented by 28 February 2015.

Para.26: 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;

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

Sudan/South Sudan – UNISFA

Resolution 2179 (2014) of 14 October 2014

Para.1: Decides to extend until 28 February 2015 the mandate of the United Nations Interim Security Force for Abyei (UNISFA) as set out in paragraph 2 of resolution 1990 (2011) and modified by resolution 2024 (2011) and paragraph 1 of resolution 2075 (2012), and acting under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations, further decides to extend until 28 February 2015 the mandate of UNISFA as set out in paragraph 3 of resolution 1990, and determines that for the purposes of paragraph 1 of resolution 2024 (2011), support to the operational activities of the JBVMM shall include support to the Ad Hoc Committees, as appropriate when so requested by consensual decisions of these mechanisms, within UNISFA's operational area and existing capabilities;

The mandate of UNISFA will expire on 28 February 2015.

Para.25: 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 December 2014 and 2 February 2015 respectively, and continue to bring to the Council's immediate attention any serious violations of the above referenced agreements;

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued no later than 2 February 2015.

ASIA/MIDDLE EAST

Iraq – UNAMI

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 February 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 dated 30 January 2015 (S/2015/70) 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 Council informed.

Middle East (Lebanon/UNIFIL) – Implementation of resolution 1701 (2006)

Resolution 2172 (2014) of 26 August 2014

Para.12: 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.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in February 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 26 January 2015 (S/2015/56) 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 February 2015.

Middle East (Yemen) – Sanctions: Panel of Experts reports

Resolution 2140 (2014) of 26 February 2014

Para.21: (c) Provide to the Council, after discussion with the Committee, an update no later than 25 June 2014, an interim report by 25 September 2014, and a final report no later than 25 February 2015;

The final report of the Panel of Experts is expected to be provided no later than 25 February 2015.

Middle East (Yemen) – SG to report on developments in Yemen

Resolution 2140 (2014) of 26 February 2014

Para.33: Requests the Secretary-General to continue to report on developments in Yemen, including on the implementation of the outcome of the comprehensive National Dialogue Conference every 60 days;

The Secretary-General is expected to report to the Security Council in February 2015.

EUROPE

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 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 February 2015.

OTHER

Non-proliferation/DPRK – Sanctions: 1718 Committee reports

Resolution 1718 (2006) of 14 October 2006

Para.12: Decides to establish, in accordance with rule 28 of its provisional rules of procedure, a Committee of the Security Council consisting of all the members of the Council, to undertake the following tasks:

(g) 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 Chair of the 1718 Committee is expected to report to the Security Council in February 2015.

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.

SCHEDULE OF FORTHCOMING EXPIRIES OF MANDATES

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Date of expiry of mandate</u>	<u>Council decision providing for current mandate</u>
UNISFA	28 Feb. 2015	2179 (2014) of 14 Oct. 2014
UNIOGBIS	28 Feb. 2015	2186 (2014) of 25 Nov. 2014
UNSMIL	13 March 2015	2144 (2014) of 14 March 2014
UNAMA	17 March 2015	2145 (2014) of 17 March 2014
MONUSCO	31 March 2015	2147 (2014) of 28 March 2014
MINUSCA	30 April 2015	2149 (2014) of 10 April 2014
MINURSO	30 April 2015	2152 (2014) of 29 April 2014
UNSOM	28 May 2015	2158 (2014) of 29 May 2014
UNMISS	30 May 2015	2187 (2014) of 25 Nov. 2014
UNOCI	30 June 2015	2162 (2014) of 25 June 2014
MINUSMA	30 June 2015	2164 (2014) of 25 June 2014
UNAMID	30 June 2015	2173 (2014) of 27 Aug. 2014
UNDOF	30 June 2015	2192 (2014) of 18 Dec. 2014
UNAMI	31 July 2015	2169 (2014) of 30 July 2014
UNIFIL	31 Aug. 2015	2172 (2014) of 26 Aug. 2014
UNOCA	31 Aug. 2015	S/2014/104 of 13 Feb. 2014
UNMIL	30 Sep. 2015	2190 (2014) of 15 Dec. 2014
MINUSTAH	15 Oct. 2015	2180 (2014) of 14 Oct. 2014
AMISOM	30 Nov. 2015	2182 (2014) of 24 Oct. 2014
UNFICYP	31 Jul. 2015	2197 (2015) of 29 Jan. 2015

**FORTHCOMING REPORTS BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL
AS REQUESTED BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL
(March 2015)**

Item	Due date	Relevant Security Council decision	Request as formulated in the Security Council decision
DRC – MONUSCO and PSC Framework	In March 2015	Resolution 2147 (2014) of 28 March 2014	<p>“Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council every three months on:</p> <p>(i) the situation on the ground, including sexual violence and the impact of conflict on women and children;</p> <p>(ii) progress made by the DRC in the implementation of its commitments under the PSC Framework, including through the establishment and implementation of a national security sector reform roadmap and the creation of a Congolese “Rapid Reaction Force”, and on the implementation of the DDR and DDRRR plans;</p> <p>(iii) the implementation by MONUSCO of its mandate, including the activities of the Intervention brigade, its reconfiguration to conduct the tasks set out above and the ongoing transfer of responsibilities to other actors;</p> <p>(iv) the risks and their implications for the safety and the security for the UN personnel and facilities as a result of the possible military operations as well as measures taken to strengthen their security and mitigate risks;”</p> <p>Para. 40</p> <p>“Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council every six months, in coordination with his Special Envoy for the Great Lakes region and his Special Representative for the DRC on the implementation of the commitments under the PSC Framework”</p> <p>Para. 41</p>
Libya – UNSMIL	In March 2015	Resolution 2144 (2014) of 14 March 2014	<p>“Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council on the implementation of this resolution, including all elements of UNSMIL’s mandate, every 90 days;”</p> <p>Para. 18</p>

Mali – MINUSMA	In March 2015	Resolution 2164 (2014) of 25 June 2014	<p>“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;” Para. 33</p>
Haiti - MINUSTAH	In March 2015	Resolution 2180 (2014) of 14 October 2014	<p>“Requests the Secretary-General to keep it regularly informed, and to report to the Council on the implementation of MINUSTAH’s mandate, semi-annually and not later than forty-five days prior to its expiration;” Para. 28</p>
Afghanistan – UNAMA	In March 2015	Resolution 2145 (2014) of 17 March 2014	<p>“...and requests the Secretary-General to continue to include in his reports to the Security Council relevant information on the process of integration of women into the political, economic and social life of Afghanistan” Para. 44</p> <p>“Requests that the Secretary-General reports to the Council every three months on developments in Afghanistan, and to include in his reports an evaluation of progress made against the benchmarks for measuring and tracking progress in the implementation of UNAMA’s mandate, including at the subnational level, and priorities as set out in this resolution” Para. 48</p>

Iraq/Kuwait – missing persons and return of property	In March 2015	Resolution 2107 (2013) of 27 June 2013	“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...;” Para. 4
Iraq – escrow account (Oil for food termination)	By 31 March 2015	Resolution 1958 (2010) of 15 December 2010	“Requests the Secretary-General to report and provide analysis to the Council on the usage and expenditure of the escrow account referenced in paragraphs 4 and 5 on an annual basis, the first no later than 31 March 2012, with the final report occurring three months after the transfer of any remaining funds retained for the purposes of paragraphs 4 and 5 to the Government of Iraq by 31 December 2016, unless otherwise authorized by the Security Council;” Para. 8
Middle East (Syria) – OPCW to report (through SG) on implementation of resolution 2118 (2013)	In March 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.

<p>Middle East (Syria) – resolutions 2139 (2014), 2165 (2014) and 2191 (2014)</p>	<p>In March 2015</p>	<p>Resolution 2139 (2014) of 22 February 2014 and Resolution 2191 (2014) of 17 December 2014</p>	<p>“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)</p> <p>“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);” Para. 5 of 2191 (2014)</p>
<p>Middle East – UNDOF</p>	<p>In March 2015</p>	<p>Resolution 2192 (2014) of 18 December 2014</p>	<p>“Requests the Secretary-General to report every 90 days on developments in the situation and the measures taken to implement resolution 338 (1973).” Para. 8</p>
<p>Peacekeeping operations – progress of partnerships between the UN and relevant regional organizations</p>	<p>By 31 March 2015</p>	<p>Resolution 2167 (2014) of 28 July 2014</p>	<p>“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; Para. 28</p>