Letter dated 26 November 2008 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council

I have the honour to refer to resolution 1841 (2008) concerning the Sudan, adopted by the Security Council on 15 October 2008. The Council decided in paragraph 1 of the resolution to extend until 15 October 2009 the mandate of the Panel of Experts originally appointed pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) and previously extended by resolutions 1651 (2005), 1665 (2006), 1713 (2006) and 1779 (2007), and requested me to take the necessary administrative measures.

Accordingly, I wish to inform you that I have appointed the following five experts to serve on the Panel of Experts until 15 October 2009:

Abdelaziz Abdelaziz (United States of America)
Awni Al-Momani (Jordan)
Enrico Carisch (Switzerland)
Bernard Stuart Saunders (Canada)
Kuldip Sharma (India)

I have also designated Mr. Carisch to serve as Coordinator of the Panel of Experts.

I should be grateful if you would bring this information to the attention of the members of the Security Council.

(Signed) Ban Ki-moon