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**TENTATIVE FORECAST OF THE PROGRAMME OF WORK OF THE
SECURITY COUNCIL FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2007**

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AFRICA

Central African Republic – BONUCA

S/PRST/2006/47 of 22 November 2006

Penultimate para.: requests the Secretary-General to provide to the Security Council a report on the situation in the Central African Republic by 31 December 2006.

The report of the Secretary-General dated 28 December 2006 (S/2006/1034) is before the Security Council.

Chad and Central African Republic borders with the Sudan

S/PRST/2006/53 of 15 December 2006

Last para.: recalls that the Security Council looks forward to a prompt report of the Secretary-General with recommendations, as requested in previous relevant Security Council resolutions, focusing on ways of improving security conditions on the Chad side of the border with the Sudan and the monitoring of trans-border activities between Chad, the Sudan and the Central African Republic, bearing in mind the need to foster regional peace and stability.

Resolution 1706 (2006) of 31 August 2006

Para. 13: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council on the protection of civilians in refugee and internally displaced persons camps in Chad and on how to improve the security situation on the Chadian side of the border with the Sudan.

The report of the Secretary-General dated 22 December 2006 (S/2006/1019) is before the Security Council.

Côte d'Ivoire – UNOCI and French forces

Resolution 1726 (2006) of 15 December 2006

Para. 1: decides that the respective mandates of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire (UNOCI) and of the French forces which support it shall be extended until 10 January 2007.

The mandates of UNOCI and of the French forces supporting it shall expire on 10 January 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 before the Security Council during January 2007.

Democratic Republic of the Congo – MONUC

Resolution 1711 (2006) 29 September 2006

Para. 10: requests the Secretary-General to submit recommendations to the Security Council on an adjustment of the mandate and capacities of the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUC) after the completion of the electoral process by the end of January 2007.

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

Democratic Republic of the Congo – Group of Experts

Resolution 1698 (2006) of 31 July 2006

Para. 4: requests the Group of Experts to report in writing to the Security Council, through the 1533 Sanctions Committee, by 20 December 2006.

The Group of Experts' report is expected to be before the Security Council during January 2007.

Eritrea/Ethiopia – UNMEE

Resolution 1710 (2006) of 29 September 2006

Para. 1: decides to extend the mandate of the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea (UNMEE) for a period of four months, until 31 January 2007.

Para. 7: intends in the event it determines that the parties have not demonstrated progress towards demarcation by 31 January 2007, to transform or reconfigure UNMEE as the Security Council may decide.

The UNMEE mandate will expire on 31 January 2007.

The report of the Secretary-General dated 18 December 2006 (S/2006/992) is before the Security Council.

Somalia – IGASOM

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.

The Secretary-General is expected to report to the Security Council by 6 January 2007.

The Sudan – UNMIS

Resolution 1714 (2006) of 6 October 2006

Para. 2: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council every three months on the implementation of the mandate of the United Nations Mission in the Sudan (UNMIS).

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

The Sudan – Darfur

S/PRST/2006/55 of 19 December 2006

Para. 2: calls on all parties, per the conclusions of the Addis Ababa high-level Consultations of 16 November 2006 and the communiqué of the 66th meeting of the African Union Peace and Security Council of 30 November 2006, to facilitate the immediate deployment of the United Nations Light and Heavy Support Packages to the African Union Mission in the Sudan and a hybrid operation in Darfur, for which backstopping and command and control structures and systems will be provided by the United Nations, and requests the Secretary-General to keep the Council updated.

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 is expected to be issued during January 2007.

AMERICAS**Haiti – MINUSTAH**

Resolution 1702 (2006) of 15 August 2006

Para. 20: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council on the implementation of the mandate of the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti (MINUSTAH) not later than 31 December 2006.

The report of the Secretary-General dated 19 December 2006 (S/2006/1003) is before the Security Council.

ASIA**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.

Letter dated 22 November 2006 from the Secretary-General – Nepal

S/PRST/2006/49 of 1 December 2006

The Security Council welcomes and expresses support for the Secretary-General's intention to send a technical assessment mission to Nepal with a view to proposing, following close consultations with the parties, a fully developed concept of United Nations operations. The Security Council stands ready to consider the Secretary-General's formal proposals as soon as the technical assessment is complete.

The Secretary-General's proposals may be before the Security Council during January 2007.

Timor-Leste – UNMIT

Resolution 1704 (2006) of 25 August 2006

Para. 12: requests the Secretary-General to keep the Security Council closely and regularly informed of developments on the ground, including in particular the state of preparations for the 2007 elections and of the implementation of the mandate of the United Nations Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste (UNMIT), and to submit a report no later than 1 February 2007, with recommendations for any modifications such progress might allow to size, composition, mandate and duration of the UNMIT presence.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 1 February 2007.

EUROPE

Georgia – UNOMIG

Resolution 1716 (2006) of 13 October 2006

Para. 18: requests the Secretary-General to include detailed information on developments in the Kodori Valley and on the progress on efforts for return of refugees and IDPs particularly to the Gali district in his next report on the situation in Abkhazia, Georgia.

The Secretary-General's report is expected to be issued during January 2007.

OTHER

Counter-Terrorism Committee

Resolution 1373 (2001) of 28 September 2001

Para. 7: directs the Counter-Terrorism Committee (CTC) to submit a work programme.

The CTC is expected to submit its work programme for the next six-month period to the Security Council in January 2007.

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 1718 Committee is expected to report to the Security Council during January 2007.

Peacebuilding Commission – selection of Security Council members

Resolution 1646 (2005) of 20 December 2005

Para. 1: decides that in addition to the permanent members of the Security Council, the Council shall select annually two of its elected members to participate in the PBC Organizational Committee.

Letter by the Security Council President dated 17 January 2006 (S/2006/25)

Agrees that the first two elected Security Council members selected to participate in the PBC Organizational Committee shall serve a term of one year until the end of 2006.

The Security Council is expected to select two elected members to serve one-year terms on the PBC Organizational Committee during January 2007.

Bureaux of the subsidiary bodies of the Security Council

The bureaux of Security Council working groups and committees are expected to be constituted in early January 2007.

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SCHEDULE OF FORTHCOMING EXPIRIES OF MANDATES

<u>Subject</u>	<u>Date of expiry of mandate</u>	<u>Council decision providing for current mandate</u>
UNOCI	10 Jan. 2007	1726 (2006) of 15 Dec. 2006
UNMEE	31 Jan. 2007	1710 (2006) of 29 Sept. 2006
MINUSTAH	15 Feb. 2007	1702 (2006) of 15 Aug. 2006
MONUC	15 Feb. 2007	1711 (2006) of 29 Sept. 2006
UNMIT	25 Feb. 2007	1704 (2006) of 25 Aug. 2006
UNAMA	23 Mar. 2007	1662 (2006) of 23 Mar. 2006
UNMIL	31 Mar. 2007	1712 (2006) of 29 Sept. 2006
UNOMIG	15 Apr. 2007	1716 (2006) of 13 Oct. 2006
UNMIS	30 Apr. 2007	1714 (2006) of 6 Oct. 2006
MINURSO	30 Apr. 2007	1720 (2006) of 31 Oct. 2006
UNFICYP	15 Jun. 2007	1728 (2006) of 15 Dec. 2006
UNDOF	30 Jun. 2007	1729 (2006) of 15 Dec. 2006
UNAMI	20 Aug. 2007	1700 (2006) of 10 Aug. 2006
UNIFIL	31 Aug. 2007	1701 (2006) of 11 Aug. 2006
UNIOSIL	31 Dec. 2007	1734 (2006) of 22 Dec. 2006
BINUB	1 Jan. 2008	1719 (2006) of 25 Oct. 2006

**FORTHCOMING REPORTS BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL
AS REQUESTED BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL
(February 2007)**

Item	Due date	Request contained in resolution or Presidential statement or letter from the President of the Security Council	Formulation of the request in the resolution or Presidential statement or letter from the President of the Security Council
Timor-Leste (UNMIT)	By 1 February 2007	Resolution 1704 (2006) of 25 August 2006	"Requests the Secretary-General ... to submit a report no later than 1 February 2007" (para. 12).
Democratic Republic of the Congo (sanctions)	By 15 February 2007	Resolution 1698 (2006) of 31 July 2006	"Requests the Secretary-General to present before 15 February 2007 ... a report comprising an assessment of the potential economic, humanitarian and social impact on the population of the Democratic Republic of the Congo of implementation of the possible measures referred to in paragraph 6 above" (para. 8).
Somalia	By 28 February 2007	S/PRST/2001/30 of 31 October 2001	"[R]equests the Secretary-General to ... [s]ubmit reports, at least every four months, on the situation in Somalia and the efforts to promote the peace process" (penultimate para.).
The Sudan (Darfur)	By 28 February 2007	Resolution 1590 (2005) of 24 March 2005	"Requests that the Secretary-General continue to report on a monthly basis on the situation in Darfur" (para. 12).