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**TENTATIVE FORECAST OF THE PROGRAMME OF WORK OF THE
SECURITY COUNCIL FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 2008**

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This tentative forecast of the programme of work of the Security Council has been prepared by the Secretariat for the President of the Council. The forecast covers in particular those matters that may be taken up during the month pursuant to earlier decisions of the Council. The fact that a matter is or is not included in the forecast carries no implication that it will or will not be taken up during the month: the actual programme of work will be determined by developments and the views of members of the Council.

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AFRICA

Burundi – BINUB

Resolution 1791 (2007) of 19 December 2007

Para. 8: requests the Secretary-General to continue to report regularly to the Security Council on the implementation of the mandate of the United Nations Integrated Office in Burundi (BINUB) and the progress regarding the benchmarks contained in the addendum to his report dated 21 June 2006 (S/2006/429/Add.1), and to keep the Council informed of the progress towards the eventual transition from the integrated office to a primarily development-focused engagement.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by mid May 2008.

Liberia – Panel of Experts

Resolution 1792 (2007) of 19 December 2007

Para. 5(e): decides that the Panel of Experts shall report to the Security Council, through the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1521 (2003), by 1 June 2008, on all the issues contained in paragraph 5 of the resolution.

The Panel of Experts is expected to submit its report by 1 June 2008.

Sierra Leone – UNIOSIL

Resolution 1793 (2007) of 21 December 2007

Para. 4: requests the Secretary-General to submit, in his next report to the Security Council in April 2008, specific proposals on the mandate, structure and strength of the successor office to the United Nations Integrated Office in Sierra Leone (UNIOSIL).

Letter by the Security Council President of 28 February 2008 (S/2008/137)

Informs the Secretary-General that in his April 2008 report, the members of the Security Council would welcome, in addition to the proposals requested in resolution 1793 (2007), further information on the planned drawdown of UNIOSIL between the local election scheduled for 5 July 2008 and its completion in September 2008, as well as plans for the United Nations police/military adviser team element of the successor office.

The report of the Secretary-General dated 29 April 2008 (S/2008/281) is before the Security Council.

Somalia – Special Representative

Letter by the Security Council President of 30 April 2007 (S/2007/244)

Informs the Secretary-General that members of the Security Council take note of the intention contained in his letter dated 25 April 2007 (S/2007/243) to extend the mandate of his Special Representative for Somalia and Head of the United Nations Political Office for Somalia (UNPOS) until 8 May 2008.

The mandate of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General will expire on 8 May 2008.

The Sudan – UNAMID (30-day report)

Resolution 1769 (2007) of 31 July 2007

Para. 6: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council every 30 days on the progress of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (UNAMID) toward achieving full operational capability.

S/PRST/2007/41 of 24 October 2007

Last para.: requests the Secretary-General, in his regular 30-day reports to the Security Council on UNAMID, to report also on progress being made on, and any obstacles to, the political process and the situation on the ground.

The 30-day report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued during early May 2008.

The Sudan – Panel of Experts

Resolution 1779 (2007) of 28 September 2007

Para. 2: requests the Panel of Experts to provide an interim report to the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005).

The Panel of Experts is expected to provide an interim report to the 1591 Committee during May 2008.

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.

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 21 April 2008 (S/2008/264) is before the Security Council.

Letter dated 22 November 2006 from the Secretary-General – UNMINResolution 1796 (2008) of 23 January 2008

Para. 4: requests the Secretary-General to keep the Security Council regularly informed of progress towards the implementation of this resolution, and in particular to review the activities of the United Nations Mission in Nepal (UNMIN) in light of the elections scheduled for 10 April 2008, taking into account the views of the Government of Nepal and the developments on the ground.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by mid-May 2008.

EUROPE**Bosnia and Herzegovina – report of the High Representative**Resolution 1785 (2007) of 21 November 2007

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 2008.

Cyprus – UNFICYPResolution 1789 (2007) of 14 December 2007

Para. 8: requests the Secretary-General to submit a report on implementation of this resolution by 1 June 2008.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 1 June 2008.

OTHER

Non-proliferation (Iran)Resolution 1803 (2008) of 3 March 2008

Para. 18: requests within 90 days a further report from the Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) on whether Iran has established full and sustained suspension of all activities mentioned in resolution 1737 (2006), as well as on the process of Iranian compliance with all the steps required by the IAEA Board of Governors and with the other provisions of resolution 1737 (2006), resolution 1747 (2007) and of this resolution, to the IAEA Board of Governors and in parallel to the Security Council for its consideration.

The report of the IAEA Director General is expected to be submitted to the Security Council by 1 June 2008.

Coordinated reporting by Chairmen of counter-terrorism committeesS/PRST/2005/34 of 20 July 2005

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.

S/PRST/2006/56 of 20 December 2006

Calls on the Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism to report on the status of implementation of resolution 1373 (2001) and encourages the Committee particularly to report to the Council on any outstanding issues, when necessary and on a regular basis, in order to receive strategic guidance from the Council.

Resolution 1735 (2006) of 22 December 2006

Para. 31: 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).

The Chairmen of the Committees established pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999), 1373 (2001) and 1540 (2004) are expected to give a joint briefing to the Security Council in early May 2008.

Security sector reformS/PRST/2007/3 of 20 January 2007

Paras. 9 and 10: Acknowledges the need for a comprehensive report of the Secretary-General on United Nations approaches to security sector reform and expresses its readiness to consider such a report within the scope of its prerogatives under the UN Charter.

The report of the Secretary-General dated 23 January 2008 (S/2008/39) is before the Security Council.

Protection of civilians in armed conflict

S/PRST/2002/41 of 20 December 2002

Welcomes the oral briefings to be given to the Security Council every 6 months.

The next oral briefing is expected to be given towards end May 2008.

International Day of United Nations Peacekeepers

The International Day of United Nations Peacekeepers will be observed on 29 May 2008.

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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>
UNFICYP	15 Jun. 2008	1789 (2007) of 14 Dec. 2007
UNDOF	30 Jun. 2008	1788 (2007) of 14 Dec. 2007
UNMIN	23 Jul. 2008	1796 (2008) of 23 Jan. 2008
UNOCI	30 Jul. 2008	1795 (2008) of 15 Jan. 2008
UNAMID	31 Jul. 2008	1769 (2007) of 31 Jul. 2007
UNMEE	31 Jul. 2008	1798 (2008) of 30 Jan. 2008
UNAMI	10 Aug. 2008	1770 (2007) of 10 Aug. 2007
UNIFIL	31 Aug. 2008	1773 (2007) of 24 Aug. 2007
MINURCAT	25 Sept. 2008	1778 (2007) of 25 Sept. 2007
UNMIL	30 Sept. 2008	1777 (2007) of 20 Sept. 2007
UNIOSIL	30 Sept. 2008	1793 (2007) of 21 Dec. 2007
MINUSTAH	15 Oct. 2008	1781 (2007) of 15 Oct. 2007
UNOMIG	15 Oct. 2008	1808 (2008) of 15 Apr. 2008
BINUB	31 Dec. 2008	1791 (2007) of 19 Dec. 2007
MONUC	31 Dec. 2008	1794 (2007) of 21 Dec. 2007
UNMIT	26 Feb. 2009	1802 (2008) of 25 Feb. 2008
UNAMA	23 Mar. 2009	1806 (2008) of 20 Mar. 2008
UNMIS	30 Apr. 2009	1812 (2008) of 30 Apr. 2008
MINURSO	30 Apr. 2009	1813 (2008) of 30 Apr. 2008

**FORTHCOMING REPORTS BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL
AS REQUESTED BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL
(June 2008)**

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
Cyprus (UNFICYP)	By 1 June 2008	Resolution 1789 (2007) of 14 December 2007	"Requests the Secretary-General to submit a report on implementation of this resolution by 1 June 2008" (para. 8).
Middle East (UNDOF)	By 4 June 2008	Resolution 1759 (2007) of 20 June 2007	"Requests the Secretary-General to submit, at the end of this period, a report on developments in the situation and the measures taken to implement resolution 338 (1973)" (para. 4).
Iraq-Kuwait (missing persons and return of property)	By 5 June 2008	Letter from the President of the Security Council dated 30 June 2006 (S/2006/469)	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".
Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUC)	By 21 June 2008	Resolution 1794 (2007) of 21 December 2007	"Requests the Secretary-General to continue to report ... at least every three months, on the situation in the Democratic Republic of the Congo and on MONUC's activities" (para. 21).
Guinea-Bissau (UNOGBIS)	By 22 June 2008	Resolution 1580 (2004) of 22 December 2004	"[R]equests the Secretary-General to submit a report every three months from the date of adoption of the present resolution" (para. 11).
Central African Republic (BONUCA)	By 23 June 2008	S/PRST/2001/25 of 26 September 2001	"[R]equests the Secretary-General to continue to keep it regularly informed of the activities of BONUCA and the situation in the Central African Republic" (last para.).

Chad, the Central African Republic and the subregion (MINURCAT)	By 25 June 2008	Resolution 1778 (2007) of 25 September 2007	"Requests the Secretary-General to ... report regularly on the security and humanitarian situation [and] the implementation of the mandate of MINURCAT, and to submit to it a report on that matter every three months" (para. 20).
Somalia (UNPOS)	By 30 June 2008	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.).
UNMIK	By 30 June 2008	Resolution 1244 (1999) of 10 June 1999	"Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council at regular intervals on the implementation of this resolution" (para. 20).
United Nations Office for West Africa (UNOWA)	By 30 June 2008	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 fulfilment by UNOWA of its revised mandate" (last para.).