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I have the honour to refer to the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali (MINUSMA), which was established by the Security Council in its resolution [2100 \(2013\)](#). Its mandate was most recently extended in resolution [2584 \(2021\)](#).

I should like to inform you of my intention to appoint Major General Cornelis Johannes Matthijssen (Netherlands) as Force Commander of MINUSMA. Major General Matthijssen will succeed Lieutenant General Dennis Gyllensporre (Sweden), who completed his tour of duty on 2 October 2021. I should like to take this opportunity to express my gratitude to Lieutenant General Gyllensporre for his contribution to MINUSMA.

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

(Signed) António **Guterres**

