

## 4. The situation concerning Rwanda

### Overview

During the period under review, the Security Council held a meeting on 10 July 2008 regarding the situation concerning Rwanda, and adopted resolution [1823 \(2008\)](#) under Chapter VII of the Charter to terminate the remaining arms embargo against non-governmental forces in Rwanda<sup>49</sup> and dissolve the

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution [918 \(1994\)](#) concerning Rwanda.<sup>50</sup>

In May 2009, the Council visited Rwanda in connection with the situation in Rwanda as part of its mission to Africa.<sup>51</sup>

<sup>49</sup> For more information, see part VII, sect. III, with regard to sanctions.

<sup>50</sup> For more information, see part IX, sect. I.B.

<sup>51</sup> For more information, section 40 of the present part and part VI, with regard to Security Council missions.

### Meetings: the situation concerning Rwanda

<i>Meeting and date</i>	<i>Sub-item</i>	<i>Other documents</i>	<i>Invitations</i>	<i>Speakers</i>	<i>Decision and vote (for-against-abstaining)</i>
5931st 10 July 2008	Letter dated 31 December 2007 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution <a href="#">918 (1994)</a> concerning Rwanda addressed to the President of the Security Council ( <a href="#">S/2007/782</a> )	Draft resolution ( <a href="#">S/2008/432</a> )	<b>Rule 37</b> Rwanda		Resolution <a href="#">1823 (2008)</a> 15-0-0

## 5. The situation in Burundi

### Overview

During the period under review, the Security Council held eight meetings, received five briefings, and adopted two resolutions and one presidential statement relating to the situation in Burundi, focusing on the challenges faced by Burundi in the implementation of the Comprehensive Ceasefire Agreement signed in 2006 and in post-conflict peace consolidation in the midst of a deteriorating political and security situation. The Council heard regular briefings by the Chair of the Burundi configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission and the Executive Representative of the Secretary-General for Burundi. It twice extended the mandate of the United Nations Integrated Office in Burundi (BINUB) for periods of one year.<sup>52</sup>

### 24 April 2008: concern at confrontations in Burundi

By a presidential statement of 24 April 2008, the Council expressed its serious concern at the recent confrontations between the Palipehutu-Forces nationales de liberation (FNL) and the National Defense Forces of Burundi, following attacks by the Palipehutu-FNL, and the resulting loss of life. The Council expressed its intention to consider possible additional measures, as appropriate, in support of peace and stability in Burundi.<sup>53</sup>

mandate of BINUB.

<sup>53</sup> S/PRST/2008/10.

<sup>52</sup> Resolutions 1858 (2008) and 1902 (2009). For more information, see part X, sect. II, with regard to the