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**TENTATIVE FORECAST OF THE PROGRAMME OF WORK OF THE
SECURITY COUNCIL FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY 2020**

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AFRICA

Burundi: SG reports on the situation in Burundi

S/PRST/2017/13 of 2 August 2017

Antepenultimate para: The Security Council recalls its request [in para. 19 of resolution 2303 (2016) of 29 July 2016] to the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council on the situation in Burundi every three months, to be reviewed after one year, including on any public incidents of incitements to hatred and violence, and changes to the situation on the ground, and further requests the Secretary-General to provide written reports immediately to the Security Council, as necessary, on grave security incidents, violations of international humanitarian law and violations or abuses of human rights, as applicable, of which the United Nations in Burundi has knowledge, whoever perpetrates them.

The Secretary-General is expected to report in February 2020.

CAR: SG reports on the situation in CAR and MINUSCA

Resolution 2499 (2019) of 15 November 2019

Para.54: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council on 15 February 2020, 15 June 2020 and 10 October 2020, including on: the situation in the CAR, including the security situation, the priority political elements as defined above regarding the political process, including as set out in paragraph 13 of this resolution, and the implementation of the Peace Agreement, progress on mechanisms and capacity to advance governance and fiscal management, and relevant information on the progress, promotion and protection of human rights and international humanitarian law and on the protection of civilians; the status of the implementation of MINUSCA's mandated tasks, including support to non-United Nations security forces in strict compliance with the HRDDP, including by providing appropriate financial information; force and police generation and deployment of all MINUSCA's constituent elements, and information on the progress in the implementation of the measures taken to improve MINUSCA's performance, including measures to ensure force effectiveness as outlined in paragraphs 35 to 42;

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in February 2020.

CAR: France to report to SC on implementation of mandate to support MINUSCA

Resolution 2499 (2019) of 15 November 2019

Para.52: Authorises French armed forces, within the provisions of their existing bilateral agreement with the CAR and the limits of their capacities and areas of deployment, at the request of the Secretary-General, to use all the means to provide operational support to elements of MINUSCA when under serious threat, from the date of adoption of this resolution, and requests France to ensure reporting to the Council on the implementation of this mandate and to coordinate its reporting with that of the Secretary-General referred to in paragraph 54 of this resolution;

Guinea-Bissau: UNIOGBIS mandate

Resolution 2458 (2019) of 28 February 2019

Para.1: Decides to extend the mandate of UNIOGBIS for a period of 12 months beginning on 1 March 2019 until 28 February 2020;

The mandate will expire on 28 February 2020.

Guinea-Bissau: SG regular reports on the implementation of resolution 2458 (2019)

Resolution 2458 (2019) of 28 February 2019

Para.33: Requests the Secretary-General to submit to the Security Council regular reports every six months on the implementation of this resolution and to submit a report within six months, with a briefing to the Committee established pursuant to its resolution 2048 (2012), on the progress made regards to the stabilization of the country and restoration of constitutional order and recommendations on the continuations of the sanctions regime in the post-elections environment, in line with paragraph 12 of resolution 2048 (2012);

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in February 2020.

Libya: Sanctions: Extension of authorizations provided by and measures imposed by resolution 2146 (2014) (measures in relation to attempts to illicitly export crude oil)

Resolution 2441 (2018) of 5 November 2018

Para.2: Decides to extend until 15 February 2020 the authorizations provided by and the measures imposed by resolution 2146 (2014), and decides further that the authorisations provided by and the measures imposed by that resolution shall apply with respect to vessels loading, transporting, or discharging petroleum, including crude oil and refined petroleum products, illicitly exported or attempted to be exported from Libya;

The authorizations provided by and measures imposed by resolution 2146 (2014) (measures in relation to attempts to illicitly export crude oil) will expire on 15 February 2020.

Libya: Sanctions: Panel of Experts mandate

Resolution 2441 (2018) of 5 November 2018

Para.14: Decides to extend until 15 February 2020 the mandate of the Panel of Experts (the Panel), established by paragraph 24 of resolution 1973 (2011) and modified by resolutions 2040 (2012), 2146 (2014), 2174 (2014), and 2213 (2015), decides that the Panel's mandated tasks shall remain as defined in resolution 2213 (2015) and shall also apply with respect to the Measures updated in this resolution and requests the Panel of experts to include the necessary sexual and gender-based violence expertise, in line with paragraph 6 of resolution 2242 (2015);

The PoE mandate will expire on 15 February 2020.

Mali: Sanctions: Panel of Experts midterm and final reports

Resolution 2484 (2019) of 29 August 2019

Para.4: Requests the Panel of Experts to provide to the Council, after discussion with the Committee, a midterm report no later than 29 February 2020, a final report no later than 15 August 2020, and periodic updates in between, as appropriate;

The PoE midterm report is expected to be presented no later than 29 February 2020.

Somalia: AU written reports on the implementation of AMISOM's mandate

Resolution 2472 (2019) of 31 May 2019

Para.32: Requests the AU to keep the Security Council informed every 90 days, through the Secretary-General, on the implementation of AMISOM's mandate, through no fewer than four written reports, with the first written report no later than 15 August 2019, and further requests in this regard, specific reporting on 1) joint operations in support of the Transition Plan including the use and effectiveness of coordination mechanisms, 2) performance issues, including command and control and conduct and discipline, 3) measures taken to protect civilians, 4) equipment provision, and 5) a reconfiguration plan on locations for drawdown determined by a threat assessment of AMISOM in the first 90 day report;

Somalia: UNSOM/AMISOM: SG reports on the implementation of resolutions 2461 (2019) and 2472 (2019)

Resolution 2461 (2019) of 27 March 2019

Para.22: Requests the Secretary-General to keep the Security Council regularly informed on the implementation of this resolution, identify and report on progress towards achieving key political benchmarks, including through oral updates and no fewer than four written reports, with the first written report by 15 May 2019 and every 90 days thereafter;

Resolution 2472 (2019) of 31 May 2019

Para.33: Requests the Secretary-General to keep the Security Council regularly informed on the implementation of this resolution, in his regular reports requested in paragraph 22 of resolution 2461 (2019), and in this regard further requests reporting on the number and capability of the Somali security forces, progress made on priority measures outlined in OP24, implementation of HRDDP, and reporting, every 6 months on specific measures taken to increase the accountability, efficiency and transparency of UNSOS support to AMISOM, UNSOM and the Somali Security forces;

The report of the Secretary-General on Somalia is expected to be issued in February 2020.

Somalia: Sanctions: Federal Government of Somalia to report to SC

Resolution 2498 (2019) of 15 November 2019

Para.35: Requests the FGS to report to the Security Council in accordance with paragraph 9 of resolution 2182 (2014) and as requested in paragraph 7 of resolution 2244 (2015), by 15 February 2020 and then by 15 August 2020, on the structure, composition, strength and disposition of its security forces, and the status of regional and militia forces, including as annexes the reports of the Joint Verification Team (JVT) requested in paragraph 7 of resolution 2182 (2014), and incorporating the notifications regarding the destination unit in the Somali National Security Forces or the place of storage of military equipment upon distribution of imported arms and ammunition, and requests future reports of the JVT to cross-reference serial numbers of weapons documented by the JVT with available records detailing the distribution of arms to the security forces;

Somalia: Sanctions: 751 Committee (Somalia) briefings to SC

Resolution 1844 (2008) of 20 November 2008

Para.11: Decides further to expand the mandate of the Committee as set out in resolution 751(1992) to include the following tasks: (g) to report at least every 120 days to the Security Council on its work and on the implementation of this resolution, with its observations and recommendations, in particular on ways to strengthen the effectiveness of the measures imposed by paragraphs 1, 3 and 7 above;

Resolution 2444 (2018) of 14 November 2018

Para.55: Requests the Committee, in accordance with its mandate and in consultation with the Panel of Experts and other relevant United Nations entities, to consider the recommendations contained in the reports of the Panel of Experts and recommend to the Security Council ways to improve the implementation of and compliance with the Somalia arms embargo, the measures regarding the import and export of charcoal from Somalia, as well as implementation of the measures imposed by paragraphs 1, 3 and 7 of resolutions 1844 (2008) in response to continuing violations;

The Committee Chair is expected to brief the Council in February 2020.

South Sudan: SG report on implementation of the UNMISS mandate and obstructions

Resolution 2459 (2019) of 15 March 2019

Para.38: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council on implementation of the UNMISS mandate and the obstructions UNMISS encounters in doing so in a comprehensive written report to be submitted within 90 days of the date of adoption of this resolution, every 90 days thereafter, and underscores that such reporting should include: (...)

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in February 2020.

Sudan: Sanctions: SC review of Panel of Experts mandate

Resolution 2455 (2019) of 7 February 2019

Para.2: Decides to extend until 12 March 2020 the mandate of the Panel of Experts originally appointed pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) and previously extended by resolutions 1779 (2007), 1841 (2008), 1945 (2010), 2035 (2012), 2138 (2014), 2200 (2015), 2265 (2016), 2340 (2017), and 2400 (2018), reaffirms the mandate of the Panel of Experts' as established in resolutions 1591 (2005), 1779 (2007), 1841 (2008), 1945 (2010), 2035 (2012), 2138 (2014), 2200 (2015), 2265 (2016), 2340 (2017), and 2400 (2018), and requests the Panel of Experts to provide to the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan (hereafter "the Committee") with an interim report on its activities no later than 12 August 2019, and provide to the Council, after discussion with the Committee, a final report by 13 January 2020 with its findings and recommendations, and further requests the Panel of Experts to provide updates every three months to the Committee regarding its activities, including Panel travel, and the implementation and effectiveness of paragraph 10 of resolution 1945 (2010), and expresses its intention to review the mandate and take appropriate action regarding the further extension of the mandate no later than 12 February 2020;

The Security Council is expected to take action no later than 12 February 2020.

AMERICAS

Haiti: SG reports on BINUH on the implementation of resolution 2476 (2019)

Resolution 2476 (2019) of 25 June 2019

Para.8: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council on the implementation of this resolution, including any instances of mandate implementation failures and measures taken to address these, in reports every 120 days starting from 16 October 2019;

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in February 2020.

ASIA/MIDDLE EAST

Iraq: SG reports on UNAMI

Resolution 2470 (2019) of 21 May 2019

Para.6: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council every three months on the progress made towards the fulfilment of all UNAMI's responsibilities;

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in February 2020.

Iraq/Kuwait: missing persons and return of property

Resolution 2107 (2013) of 27 June 2013

Para.4: requests that the Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Assistance Mission to Iraq (UNAMI) promote, support and facilitate efforts regarding the repatriation or return of all Kuwaiti and third country nationals or their remains, and the return of Kuwaiti property, including the national archives, seized by Iraq, further requests the Secretary-General to report separately to the Security Council on these matters in his reports on the progress made towards the fulfilment of all UNAMI's responsibilities;

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in February 2020.

Middle East: 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 (Syria): OPCW DG to report to SC (through SG) on implementation of resolution 2118 (2013)

Resolution 2118 (2013) of 27 September 2013

Para.12: Decides to review on a regular basis the implementation in the Syrian Arab Republic of the decision of the OPCW Executive Council of 27 September 2013 and this resolution, and requests the Director-General of the OPCW to report to the Security Council, through the Secretary-General, who shall include relevant information on United Nations activities related to the implementation of this resolution, within 30 days and every month thereafter, and requests further the Director-General of the OPCW and the Secretary-General to report in a coordinated manner, as needed, to the Security Council, non-compliance with this resolution or the OPCW Executive Council decision of 27 September 2013;

The report is expected to be presented in February 2020.

Middle East (Syria): SG report on the implementation of resolution 2268 (2016)

Resolution 2268 (2016) of 26 February 2016

Para.10: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council on the implementation of this resolution, including by drawing on information provided by the ISSG ceasefire taskforce, and on resolution 2254 (2015), within 15 days of the adoption of this resolution and every 30 days thereafter;

The Secretary-General is expected to report in February 2020.

Middle East (Syria): SG briefings and reports on the implementation of resolutions 2139 (2014), 2165 (2014), 2191 (2014), 2258 (2015), 2332 (2016), 2393 (2017), 2401 (2018), 2449 (2018) and 2504 (2020)

Resolution 2504 (2020) of 10 January 2020

Para.8: Requests the Secretary-General to brief the Council monthly and to provide a report on a regular basis, at least every 60 days, on the implementation of resolutions 2139 (2014), 2165 (2014), 2191 (2014), 2258 (2015), 2332 (2016), 2393 (2017), 2401 (2018), 2449 (2018) and this resolution and on compliance by all relevant parties in Syria and further requests the Secretary-General to continue to include in his reports overall trends in United Nations cross-line and cross-border humanitarian access and detailed information on the humanitarian assistance delivered through United Nations humanitarian cross-border operations, including on the number of beneficiaries, locations of aid deliveries at district-level and the volume and nature of items delivered;

Para.6: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council by the end of February 2020 on the feasibility of using alternative modalities for the border crossing of Al Yarubiyah in order to ensure that humanitarian assistance, including medical and surgical supplies, reaches people in need throughout Syria through the most direct routes, and in accordance with the humanitarian principles of humanity, neutrality, impartiality and independence;

The Secretary-General is expected to report in February 2020.

Middle East (Yemen): SG to report to SC on implementation of resolution 2505 (2020) and resolution 2451 (2018)

Resolution 2505 (2020) of 13 January 2020

Para.7: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council on a monthly basis on progress regarding the implementation of this resolution, including on any obstructions to the effective operation of UNMHA caused by any party; and on resolution 2451 (2018), including on any non-compliance by any party;

The Secretary-General is expected to report in February 2020.

Middle East (Yemen): Sanctions: Assets freeze and travel ban

Resolution 2456 (2019) of 26 February 2019

Para.2: Decides to renew until 26 February 2020 the measures imposed by paragraphs 11 and 15 of resolution 2140 (2014), reaffirms the provisions of paragraphs 12, 13, 14 and 16 of resolution 2140 (2015), and further reaffirms the provisions of paragraphs 14 to 17 of resolution 2216 (2015);

The assets freeze and travel ban will expire on 26 February 2020.

Middle East (Yemen): Sanctions: SC review of Panel of Experts mandate

Resolution 2456 (2019) of 26 February 2019

Para.5: Decides to extend until 28 March 2020 the mandate of the Panel of Experts as set out in paragraph 21 of resolution 2140 (2014), and paragraph 21 of resolution 2216 (2015), expresses its intention to review the mandate and take appropriate action regarding the further extension no later than 28 February 2020, and requests the Secretary-General to take the necessary administrative measures as expeditiously as possible to re-establish the Panel of Experts, in consultation with the Committee until 28 March 2020 drawing, as appropriate, on the expertise of the members of the Panel established pursuant to resolution 2140 (2014);

The Security Council is expected to take action no later than 28 February 2020.

COUNTER-TERRORISM/NON-PROLIFERATION

Non-proliferation/DPRK: Sanctions: 1718 Committee reports

Resolution 1718 (2006) of 14 October 2006

Para.12: Decides to establish, in accordance with rule 28 of its provisional rules of procedure, a Committee of the Security Council consisting of all the members of the Council, to undertake the following tasks: (g) To 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 above;

The 1718 Committee is expected to report in February 2020.

SCHEDULE OF FORTHCOMING EXPIRIES OF MANDATES

Subject	Expiry of mandate	Council decision providing for current mandates
UNIOGBIS	28 Feb. 2020	2458 (2019) of 28 Feb. 2019
UNMISS	15 March 2020	2459 (2019) of 15 March 2019
UNSOM	31 March 2020	2461 (2019) of 27 March 2019
UNISFA	15 May 2020	2497 (2019) of 14 Nov. 2019
UNAMI	31 May 2020	2470 (2019) of 21 May 2019
AMISOM	31 May 2020	2472 (2019) of 31 May 2019
MINUSMA	30 June 2020	2480 (2019) of 28 June 2019
UNDOF	30 June 2020	2503 (2019) of 19 Dec. 2019
UNMHA	15 July 2020	2505 (2020) of 13 Jan. 2020
UNFICYP	31 July 2020	2506 (2020) of 30 Jan. 2020
UNIFIL	31 Aug. 2020	2485 (2019) of 30 Aug. 2019
UNSMIL	15 Sep. 2020	2486 (2019) of 12 Sept. 2019
UNAMA	17 Sep. 2020	2489 (2019) of 17 Sept. 2019
Colombia Verification Mission	25 Sep. 2020	2487 (2019) of 12 Sept. 2019
BINUH (Haiti)	16 Oct. 2020	2476 (2019) of 25 June 2019
MINURSO	31 Oct. 2020	2494 (2019) of 30 Oct. 2019
UNAMID	31 Oct. 2020	2495 (2019) of 31 Oct. 2019
MINUSCA	15 Nov. 2020	2499 (2019) of 15 Nov. 2019
MONUSCO	20 Dec. 2020	2502 (2019) of 19 Dec. 2019
UNOCA	31 Aug. 2021	S/2018/790 of 28 Aug. 2018
UNOWAS	31 Jan. 2023	S/2020/85 of 31 Jan. 2020

**FORTHCOMING WRITTEN REPORTS BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL
AS REQUESTED BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL
(March 2020)**

Item	<u>Expected</u>	Request as formulated in the Security Council decision
DRC: SG reports on MONUSCO	<u>March 2020</u>	<p><u>Resolution 2502 (2019) of 19 December 2019</u> Para.51: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council every three months on the situation in the DRC, including progress towards the strengthening of State institutions, key governance and security reforms, and on the implementation of MONUSCO's mandate, including its protection of civilian tasks, as per the requirements set out in paragraph 46 of resolution 2463 (2019), as well as on progress made towards the progressive transfer of tasks to the Government of the DRC, the UNCT and other relevant stakeholders, cooperation among regional security forces, and information on police and force generation and the implementation of the measures taken to improve MONUSCO's performance, including to ensure force effectiveness as outlined in paragraphs 40 to 45, further requests the Secretary-General to include gender analysis in all reports to the Security Council;</p>
DRC: SG reports on implementation of the commitments under the PSC Framework	<u>March 2020</u>	<p><u>Resolution 2502 (2019) of 19 December 2019</u> Para.52: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council every six months, in coordination with the Secretary-General's Special Envoy for the Great Lakes Region and the SRSG for the DRC on the implementation of the commitments under the PSC Framework and its linkages with the broader security situation in the Great Lakes Region;</p>
Mali: SG reports on MINUSMA on the implementation of resolution 2480 (2019)	<u>March 2020</u>	<p><u>Resolution 2480 (2019) of 28 June 2019</u> Para.64: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council every three months after the adoption of this resolution on the implementation of this resolution, focusing: (i) on progress in the implementation of the Agreement and in the development and implementation of a comprehensive politically-led strategy to re-establish State presence, State authority and basic social services, to protect civilians and to reduce intercommunal violence in Central Mali, as well as on MINUSMA's efforts to support these objectives; (ii) on coordination, exchange of information and, when applicable, mutual operational and logistical support, between MINUSMA, the MDSF, the FCG5S, the French Forces and the European Union missions in Mali;</p>
Colombia: SG to report on Verification Mission	<u>March 2020</u>	<p><u>Resolution 2366 (2017) of 10 July 2017</u> Para.8: Further requests the Secretary-General, based on the reporting of the Special Representative, to report to the Security Council on the implementation of the Verification Mission's mandate every 90 days after the start of its verification activities;</p> <p><u>Resolution 2487 (2019) of 12 September 2019</u> Para.1: Decides to extend, to 25 September 2020, the mandate of the Verification Mission and reporting requirements in accordance with its resolutions 2366 (2017), 2377 (2017), and 2435 (2018), headed by a Special Representative of the Secretary-General of the United Nations;</p>
Afghanistan: SG reports on UNAMA	<u>March 2020</u>	<p><u>Resolution 2489 (2019) of 17 September 2019</u> Para.9: Requests that the Secretary-General reports to the Council every three months on developments in Afghanistan, and to include in his reports an evaluation of progress made against the benchmarks for measuring and tracking progress in the</p>

		implementation of UNAMA's mandate, including at the subnational level, and priorities as set out in this resolution;
Middle East (Lebanon/UNIFIL): SG reports on implementation of resolution 1701 (2006)	<u>March 2020</u>	<u>Resolution 2485 (2019) of 29 August 2019</u> Para.26: Requests the Secretary-General to continue to report to the Council on the implementation of resolution 1701 (2006), every four months, or at any time as he deems appropriate, and to include in his reporting a prompt and detailed breakdown of all resolution 1701 (2006) violations, prompt and detailed reports on violations of the sovereignty of Lebanon, prompt and detailed reports on the restrictions to UNIFIL's freedom of movement, an annex on the implementation on the arms embargo, reports on specific areas where UNIFIL does not access and on the reasons behind these restrictions, potential risks to the cessation of hostilities and UNIFIL's response as well as reports on the implementation of the recommendations of the 2016–2017 Strategic review and on additional identified efficiencies to most appropriately fulfil its mandated tasks; requests the Secretary-General to continue to provide concrete and detailed information on the aforementioned issues to the Council, in line with changes to enhance reporting since the adoption of resolution 2373 (2017) and 2433 (2018);
Middle East (Syria): OPCW DG to report to SC (through SG) on implementation of resolution 2118 (2013)	<u>March 2020</u>	<u>Resolution 2118 (2013) of 27 September 2013</u> Para.12: Decides to review on a regular basis the implementation in the Syrian Arab Republic of the decision of the OPCW Executive Council of 27 September 2013 and this resolution, and requests the Director-General of the OPCW to report to the Security Council, through the Secretary-General, who shall include relevant information on United Nations activities related to the implementation of this resolution, within 30 days and every month thereafter, and requests further the Director-General of the OPCW and the Secretary-General to report in a coordinated manner, as needed, to the Security Council, non-compliance with this resolution or the OPCW Executive Council decision of 27 September 2013.
Middle East (UNDOF): SG reports on developments in the situation and measures taken to implement resolution 338 (1973)	<u>March 2020</u>	<u>Resolution 2503 (2019) of 19 December 2019</u> Para.15: Requests the Secretary-General to report every 90 days on developments in the situation and the measures taken to implement resolution 338 (1973).