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PRESIDENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

15 May 2025

Subject: Informal briefing on the review on the future of all forms of United Nations peace operations in support of the implementation of the Pact for the Future

Excellency,

I have the honour to inform you that in support of the implementation of Action 21 (paragraph 42 (b)) of the Pact for the Future, I will convene an informal meeting of the General Assembly to hear a briefing by the Under-Secretary-General for Peace Operations, Mr. Jean-Pierre Lacroix, and the Under-Secretary-General for Political and Peacebuilding Affairs, Ms. Rosemary DiCarlo on the review on the future of all forms of United Nations peace operations. The meeting will be held on Tuesday, 27 May 2025 from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. in the ECOSOC Chamber.

The objective of this briefing is to inform Member States on the approach envisaged by the Secretariat for the conduct of the review and will provide Member States with an opportunity to share their perspectives in an interactive discussion. A concept note for the meeting prepared by the Department for Peace Operations and the Department for Political and Peacebuilding Affairs is attached to this letter.

Please be advised that there will be no pre-established list of speakers for the informal briefing. Delegations wishing to take the floor during the interactive discussion are invited to press the microphone button. The time limits for interventions will be three minutes for individual delegations and five minutes for statements on behalf of groups of States.

For any additional information, your office may contact Ms. Coretta Penn Achu, Adviser in my Office, by email at coretta.achu@un.org.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

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Philemon Yang

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