TENTATIVE FORECAST OF THE PROGRAMME OF WORK OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL FOR THE MONTH OF OCTOBER 2013

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AFRICA

Democratic Republic of the Congo – SG reports on MONUSCO
Resolution 2098 (2013) of 28 March 2013
Para.34: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council every three months:
(a) in coordination with his Special Envoy for the Great Lakes region and his Special
Representative for the DRC on the implementation of the commitments under the PSC Framework
and on any breaches of the commitments contained therein, including on the basis of the
benchmarks and appropriate follow-up measures referred to in paragraph 4 and paragraph 5;
(b) in coordination with his Special Representative for the DRC on: (i) the situation on the ground,
including sexual violence and the impact of conflict on women and children, and including in the
light of the objectives outlined in paragraph 11 and on the basis of the joint assessment process
allowed by the ongoing strategic partnership between the Congolese Government and MONUSCO;
(ii) progress made by the DRC in the implementation of its commitments under the PSC
Framework, including through the establishment and implementation of a national security sector
reform roadmap and the creation of a Congolese “Rapid Reaction Force”, and on the design and
implementation of the overarching DDR and DDRRR plan; (iii) the implementation by MONUSCO
of its mandate, including on the deployment, readiness and activities of the Intervention Brigade
and all other MONUSCO forces, on any violations of international human rights law and
international humanitarian law that may occur and on efforts undertaken to mitigate civilian harm;
(iv) the reconfiguration of MONUSCO to conduct the tasks set out in paragraphs 12 and 13, to
contribute to the tasks set out in paragraphs 14 and 15 and to transfer activities from MONUSCO
to the UN country team as set out in paragraph 18, including on the basis of the matrix of division
of labour referred to in paragraph 17 which should be presented within three months and updated
regularly thereafter, and on the reinforcement of MONUSCO presence in eastern DRC; (v) the
review and subsequent updating of the mission concept, concept of operations, rules of
engagement and all other relevant UN planning documents; (vi) the risks and their implications for
the safety and the security for the UN personnel and facilities as a result of the possible operations
of the Intervention Brigade as well as measures taken to strengthen their security and mitigate
risks.

The reports of the Secretary-General dated 24 September 2013 (S/2013/569) and 30 September
2013 (S/2013/581) are before the Council.

Mali – SG reports on MINUSMA
Resolution 2100 (2013) of 25 April 2013
Para.34: requests the Secretary-General to keep the Council regularly informed of the
situation in Mali and the implementation of the mandate of MINUSMA, to report to the
Council within 45 days of the adoption of this resolution, specifically with regards to
paragraph 8 and 9 above, and then every three months from 1 July 2013 and to include in his
reports to the Council updates on the security situation, the priority political elements as defined in
paragraphs 1, 2, 3 and 4 above on the implementation of the transitional road map, relevant
information on the progress, promotion and protection of human rights and international
humanitarian law as well as a review of the troop level, force generation and deployment of all
MINUSMA’s constituent elements.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued by 01 October 2013.
Somalia – submission of options and recommendations for AMISOM
Resolution 2111 (2013) of 24 July 2013
Para. 33: looks forward to the results of the upcoming joint review of AMISOM by the Secretariat and the African Union, requests options and recommendations to be presented to the Council by 10 October 2013, and welcomes the African Union’s intention to work closely with the Secretariat on the review.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be submitted by 10 October 2013.

Somalia – Somali Government report to SC
Resolution 2111 (2013) of 24 July 2013
Para. 9: reminds the Federal Government of Somalia of its obligation to report to the Security Council no later than 6 October 2013, following that by 6 February 2014, and every six months thereafter, on: (a) The structure of the Security Forces of the Federal Government of Somalia; (b) The infrastructure in place to ensure the safe storage, registration, maintenance and distribution of military equipment by the Security Forces of the Federal Government of Somalia; (c) The procedures and codes of conduct in place for the registration, distribution, use and storage of weapons by the Security Forces of the Federal Government of Somalia, and on training needs in this regard.

The report by the Federal Government of Somalia is expected to be issued in early October 2013.

Somalia – SG report on piracy at sea
Resolution 2077 (2012) of 21 November 2012
Para. 34: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council within 11 months of the adoption of this resolution on the implementation of this resolution and on the situation with respect to piracy and armed robbery at sea off the coast of Somalia;

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in October 2013.

Sudan – SG reports on UNAMID
Resolution 2113 (2013) of 30 July 2013
Para. 14: requests the Secretary-General to continue reporting to the Council every 90 days on progress in the implementation of UNAMID’s mandate, including the operational and self-sustainment capabilities of troop and police contingents, as well as on progress on the political track, the security and humanitarian situation, including in the IDP sites and refugee camps, the actions of all parties with respect to the provisions of this resolution, human rights, violations of international humanitarian and human rights law, early recovery and on all restrictions and bureaucratic impediments to UNAMID’s freedom of movement; welcomes the updated benchmarks and indicators for UNAMID submitted by the Secretary-General, after consultation with the African Union, in his report of 16 October 2012 (S/2012/771), and the inclusion in his regular reports to the Council every 90 days thereafter of an assessment of progress towards and obstacles to the achievement of these benchmarks, which help the Council to assess progress made by UNAMID in implementing its mandate, as well as the cooperation of the Government of Sudan and the armed groups with UNAMID, as well as all parties’ compliance with their international obligations.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in October 2013.
**Sudan (Sudan/South Sudan)**

Resolution 2046 (2012) of 2 May 2012
Para. 6: requests the Secretary-General to consult with the African Union on the implementation of this resolution and the decisions of the AU PSC, to work closely with the AUHIP in support of its facilitation efforts, and to inform the Security Council within 15 days and in two week intervals thereafter on the status of compliance by Sudan, South Sudan, and the SPLM-N with the decisions set forth in this resolution, and expresses its intention, in the event that any or all of the parties have not complied with the decisions set forth in this resolution, to take appropriate additional measures under Article 41 of the Charter as necessary.

S/PRST/2012/19 (2012) of 31 August 2012
Penultimate para.: recalls its Resolution 2046 and reiterates its request to the Secretary-General, in consultation with the AUHIP, the Chair of IGAD, and the Chairman of the AU Commission, to report to the Council by September 2 on the status of negotiations. The Security Council also looks forward to reviewing the AU's determinations as indicated in paragraph 18 of the AUPSC Communiqué of August 3 and requests in this regard the Secretary General to report to the Council thereafter on the status of negotiations, including detailed proposals on all outstanding issues.

The Secretary-General is expected to report to the Security Council in October 2013.

**Sudan – SG reports on UNISFA**

Resolution 2104 (2013) of 29 May 2013
Para. 21: requests the Secretary-General to continue to inform the Council of progress in implementing UNISFA’s mandate in 60 day intervals, and continue to bring to the Council’s immediate attention any serious violations of the above referenced agreements;

The report of the Secretary-General dated 27 September 2013 (S/2013/577) is before the Council.

**Western Sahara – SG briefings on status of negotiations, resolution implementation and MINURSO’s operation**

Resolution 2099 (2013) of 25 April 2013
Para.9: requests the Secretary-General to brief the Security Council on a regular basis, and at least twice a year, on the status and progress of these negotiations under his auspices, on the implementation of this resolution, challenges to MINURSO’s operations and steps taken to address them, and expresses its intention to receive and discuss his briefings and in this regard, further requests the Secretary-General to provide a report on the situation in Western Sahara well before the end of the mandate period.

The Secretary-General is expected to brief the Council in October 2013.

**AMERICAS**

**Haiti – (MINUSTAH)**

Resolution 2070 (2012) of 12 October 2012

The mandate of MINUSTAH will expire on 15 October 2013.
AFGHANISTAN – ISAF
Resolution 2069 (2012) of 09 October 2012
Para. 1: decides to extend the authorization of the International Security Assistance Force (ISAF), as defined in resolution 1386 (2001) and 1510 (2003), for a period of twelve months until 13 October 2013;

The authorization of ISAF will expire on 13 October 2013.

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) – SG REPORTS ON RESOLUTION 1559 (2004)
Resolution 1559 (2004) of 2 September 2004
Para. 7: requests that the Secretary-General report to the Security Council within thirty days on the implementation by the parties of this resolution and decides to remain actively seized of the matter.

S/PRST/2004/36 of 19 October 2004
Last para.: the Security Council appreciates the Secretary-General’s intention to keep the Council updated. It requests that he continue to report on the implementation of the resolution to the Council every six months.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in October 2013.

MIDDLE EAST (SYRIA) – SG REPORTS
Resolution 2118 (2013) of 27 September 2013
Para. 8: requests the Secretary-General, in consultation with the Director-General of the OPCW and, where appropriate, the Director-General of the World Health Organization, to submit to the Council within 10 days of the adoption of this resolution recommendations regarding the role of the United Nations in eliminating the Syrian Arab Republic’s chemical weapons program.

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 Secretary-General is expected to report to the Council in October 2013.
EUROPE

Resolution 1244 (1999) of 10 June 1999
Para.20: requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council at regular intervals on the implementation of this resolution, including reports from the leaderships of the international civil and security presences, the first reports to be submitted within 30 days of the adoption of this resolution.

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in October 2013.

OTHER

Women and peace and security – implementation of resolution 1325 (2000)
S/PRST/2012/23 of 31 October 2012
Last para.: “the Security Council requests the Secretary-General in his next annual report to give an update on the implementation of resolution 1325 (2000) to include, inter alia, achievements, gaps and challenges to the implementation of the resolution as well as this statement of its President.”

S/PRST/2010/22 of 26 October 2010
15th para: requests the Secretary-General to continue to submit an annual report to the Security Council on the implementation of resolution 1325 (2000) and further requests the Secretary-General to propose in his next annual report a strategic framework to guide the United Nations' implementation of the resolution in the next decade, which includes targets and indicators and takes account of relevant processes within the Secretariat, and to include recommendations for policy and institutional reforms in the UN that will facilitate improved response by the Organization to women and peace and security issues.

The report of the Secretary-General dated 4 September 2013 (S/2013/525) is before the Security Council.

Working methods of the Security Council
Note by the President of the Security Council of 26 July 2010 (S/2010/507)
Para.1: in efforts to enhance the efficiency and transparency of the Council’s work, as well as interaction and dialogue with non-Council members, the members of the Security Council are committed to implementing the measures described in the annex to the present note.

Para, 5: the members of the Council will continue their consideration of the Council’s documentation and other procedural questions in the Informal Working Group on Documentation and Other Procedural Questions and other subsidiary bodies of the Council.

Election of non-permanent members of the Security Council
The election in the General Assembly is scheduled for 17 October 2013.

Security Council Annual Report
The Security Council is expected to adopt its Annual Report for the period 1 August 2012 to 31 July 2013 at a formal meeting during October 2013.

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## FORTHCOMING REPORTS BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL AS REQUESTED BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL (November 2013)

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<td>Central African Region – UNOCA/LRA</td>
<td>By 15 November 2013</td>
<td>S/PRST/2013/6 of 29 May 2013</td>
<td>“The Security Council requests that the Secretary-General keep it informed on the activities of UNOCA, the progress of implementation of the Regional Strategy and the efforts being undertaken respectively by missions in the region and other relevant United Nations agencies to that end, including through a single report on UNOCA and the LRA to be submitted before 15 November 2013.” (last para)</td>
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<td>Guinea-Bissau – UNIOGBIS &amp; 2048</td>
<td>In November 2013</td>
<td>Resolution 2103 (2013) of 22 May 2013</td>
<td>“Requests the Secretary-General to submit to the Council regular reports, every 180 days, on the implementation of this resolution and to continue to provide concurrent report on the implementation of resolution 2048 (2012) every 90 days restarting with the adoption of this resolution.” (para. 17)</td>
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<td>Peace and Security in Africa – SG report on the UN’s work to help States, sub-regional and regional entities in Africa in fighting terrorism</td>
<td>In November 2013</td>
<td>S/PRST/2013/5 of 13 May 2013</td>
<td>“The Security Council invites the Secretary-General to submit, within 6 months, a concise report providing a comprehensive survey and assessment of the UN’s relevant work to help States, sub-regional and regional entities in Africa in fighting terrorism, with the view to continue consideration of possible steps in this regard.” (last para)</td>
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<td>The Sudan/ UNISFA</td>
<td>In November 2013</td>
<td>Resolution 2104 (2013) of 29 May 2013</td>
<td>“Requests the Secretary-General to continue to inform the Council of progress in implementing UNISFA’s mandate in 60 day intervals, and continue to bring to the Council’s immediate attention any serious violations of the above referenced agreements” (para. 21)</td>
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| The Sudan/ UNMISS | In November 2013 | Resolution 2109 (2013) of 11 July 2013 | “Notes the priority of UNMISS’ mandated tasks in resolution 1996 (2011) for the protection of civilians and for the achievement of an improved security environment…..and requests the Secretary-General to include progress made in implementing these strategies in his reports to the Council” (para. 3) “….encourages UNMISS to expedite this effort, in this respect expresses its concern
about the currently deteriorating security situation in parts of Jonglei State, and requests the Secretary-General to report on such efforts in his reports to the Council” (para. 5)

“Takes note of the elaboration of the human rights due diligence policy…, and requests the Secretary-General to include progress made in implementing the policy in his reports to the Council” (para. 16)

“….requests the Secretary-General to include in his UNMISS trimesterly reports a summary of cooperation and information sharing between UNMISS, the African Union/United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (UNAMID), the United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of Congo (MONUSCO), and regional and international partners in addressing the LRA threats” (para. 25)

“….requests the Secretary-General to continue to update the Council through his regular reports on the progress of United Nations system support to specific peacebuilding tasks….”(para. 29)

“Requests the Secretary-General to continue to report to the Council on the expected timeline of the deployment of all mission elements, including the status of consultations with Troop and Police- Contributing Countries and of the deployment of key enablers and construction of the mission’s physical infrastructure and its impact on mission deployment and further requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council on the expected timeline of the fulfilment of mission staffing” (para. 31)

“Notes UNMISS’ ongoing discussions with the Republic of South Sudan to revise and update the benchmarks outlined by the Secretary-General in his report (S/2012/486), and requests that he keep the Council regularly informed of progress during his periodic reports”(para. 32)

“….requests the Secretary-General to include information on force generation efforts in his regular reports, and what other strategies can offset this critical military gap” (para. 33)
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<td>Iraq/UNAMI</td>
<td>In November 2013</td>
<td>Resolution 2110 (2013) of 24 July 2013</td>
<td>“Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council every four months on the progress made towards the fulfilment of all UNAMI’s responsibilities.” (para. 6)</td>
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<td>Middle East – Resolution 1701/Lebanon</td>
<td>In November 2013</td>
<td>Resolution 2115 (2013) of 29 August 2013</td>
<td>“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.” (para. 11)</td>
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<td>Protection of civilians in armed conflict</td>
<td>By 15 November 2013</td>
<td>S/PRST/2013/2 of 12 February 2013</td>
<td>“…and requests the Secretary-General to submit his next report, to include an assessment of concrete measures taken by peacekeeping missions to implement their mandates to protect civilians and the impact of those measures, by 15 November 2013 and for reports to be submitted every 18 months thereafter.” (Last para)</td>
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