TENTATIVE FORECAST OF THE PROGRAMME OF WORK OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL FOR THE MONTH OF JULY 2020

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AFRICA

CAR: Sanctions: Arms embargo
Resolution 2507 (2020) of 31 January 2020
Para. 3: Decides to renew until 31 July 2020 the measures and provisions as set out in paragraphs 4 and 5 of resolution 2488 (2019) and recalls paragraphs 8 and 9 of resolution 2488 (2019);

The mandate will expire on 31 July 2020.

CAR: Sanctions: Partial lifting of arms embargo
Resolution 2507 (2020) of 31 January 2020
Para. 1: Decides that, until 31 July 2020, all Member States shall continue to take the necessary measures to prevent the direct or indirect supply, sale or transfer to the CAR, from or through their territories or by their nationals, or using their flag vessels or aircraft, of arms and related materiel of all types, including weapons and ammunition, military vehicles and equipment, paramilitary equipment, and spare parts for the aforementioned, and technical assistance, training, financial or other assistance, related to military activities or the provision, maintenance or use of any arms and related materiel, including the provision of armed mercenary personnel whether or not originating in their territories, and further decides that these measures shall not apply to: […]

The mandate will expire on 31 July 2020.

CAR: Sanctions: Travel ban and assets freeze
Resolution 2507 (2020) of 31 January 2020
Para. 4: Decides to renew until 31 July 2020 the measures and provisions as set out in paragraphs 9, 14, and 16 to 19 of resolution 2399 (2018) and extended by paragraph 1 of resolution 2454 (2019) and recalls paragraphs 10 to 13 and 15 of resolution 2399 (2018);

The travel ban and financial measures will expire on 31 July 2020.

CAR: Sanctions: SC review of Panel of Experts mandate
Resolution 2507 (2020) of 31 January 2020
Para. 6: Decides to extend until 31 August 2020 the mandate of the Panel of Experts, as set out in paragraphs 30 to 39 of resolution 2399 (2018) and extended by paragraph 3 of resolution 2454 (2019), expresses its intention to review the mandate and take appropriate action regarding its further extension no later than 31 July 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, drawing, as appropriate, on the expertise of the current members of the Panel of Experts;

The Security Council is expected to take action no later than 31 July 2020.

CAR: Sanctions: Panel of experts final report
Resolution 2507 (2020) of 31 January 2020
Para. 7: Requests the Panel of Experts to provide to the Council, after discussion with the Committee, a final report no later than 15 July 2020, and progress updates, as appropriate;
The final PoE report is expected to be presented by 15 July 2020.

**DRC: Sanctions: Arms embargo, measures on transport, assets freeze and travel ban**
Resolution 2478 (2019) of 26 June 2019
Para. 1: Decides to renew until 1 July 2020 the measures as set out in paragraphs 1 to 6 of resolution 2293 (2016), including its reaffirmations therein;

The arms embargo, measures on transport, assets freeze and travel plan will expire on 1 July 2020.

**DRC: Sanctions: SC review of Group of Experts mandate**
Resolution 2478 (2019) of 26 June 2019
Para. 3: Decides to extend until 1 August 2020 the mandate of the Group of Experts, as set forth in paragraph 6 of Resolution 2360, expresses its intention to review the mandate and take appropriate action regarding the further extension no later than 1 July 2020, and requests the Secretary-General to take the necessary administrative measures as expeditiously as possible to re-establish the Group of Experts, in consultation with the Committee, drawing, as appropriate, on the expertise of the members of the Group established pursuant to previous resolutions;

The Security Council is expected to take action no later than 1 July 2020.

**Guinea-Bissau: SG to report to SC on the implementation of resolution 2512 (2020) and the drawdown and transition of UNIOGBIS**
Resolution 2512 (2020) of 28 February 2020
Para. 25: Requests the Secretary-General to submit a report to the Security Council within five months of the adoption of this resolution on the implementation of this resolution and the drawdown and transition of UNIOGBIS, including details on the stage of each phase of the drawdown, and to submit a report within five months of the adoption of this resolution to the Committee established pursuant to resolution 2048 (2012) on the progress made regarding the stabilization of Guinea-Bissau and the restoration of constitutional order and giving recommendations on the sanctions regime, including, but not limited to, its continuation, adjustment or suspension, and on prospective delisting, in accordance with paragraph 12 of resolution 2048 (2012);

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

**Libya: UNSMIL: SG to report to SC on the implementation of resolution 2486 (2019)**
Resolution 2486 (2019) of 12 September 2019
Para. 8: Requests the Secretary-General to continue to report to the Security Council on the implementation of this resolution at least every 60 days;

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

**Somalia: Sanctions: SG to update SC on any further developments towards the normalisation of relations between Eritrea and Djibouti and report to the Council**
Resolution 2498 (2019) of 15 November 2019
Para. 32: Requests the Secretary-General to provide the Security Council with an update, no later than the 31 July 2020 on any further developments towards the normalisation of relations between Eritrea and Djibouti;

The Secretary-General is expected to report in July 2020.
Sudan/South Sudan: SG to inform SC of progress in implementing UNISFA’s mandate
Resolution 2519 (2020) of 14 May 2020
Para. 6: Requests the Secretary General to continue to inform it of progress in implementing UNISFA’s mandate as set out in paragraphs 32 and 33 of resolution 2497 (2019), with a note no later than 31 July 2020, and a written report no later than 15 October 2020;

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

UNOWAS: SG reports to SC
PSC letter of 31 January (S/2020/85)
Second para: The members concur with the recommendation contained in your letter to extend the mandate of UNOWAS, as set forth in the annex to this letter, for a further period of three years, from 1 February 2020 to 31 January 2023. The members of the Council request that you report to the Council every six months on the fulfilment by UNOWAS of its mandate.

Resolution 2349 (2017) of 31 March 2017
Para. 34: Requests the Secretary-General to produce a written report within five months on the United Nations’ assessment of the situation in the Lake Chad Basin Region as it relates to elements of this resolution, particularly regarding the progress made and remaining challenges, and possible measures for consideration, including with respect to achieving greater coherence of efforts in the context of overlapping regional strategies, and thereafter to include these elements in regular reporting by UNOCA and UNOWAS.

S/PRST/2020/2 of 11 February 2020
Last para.: The Security Council requests the Secretary-General to continue to provide information on UN efforts with respect to aspects highlighted in this statement, the UNOWAS mandate and the situation in West Africa and the Sahel and reiterates its call for an assessment of the implementation of its resolution 2349 to be integrated into regular reporting by UNOWAS;

The report of the Secretary-General dated 24 June 2020 (S/2020/585) is before the Security Council.

AMERICAS

Colombia: SG to report on Verification Mission
Resolution 2366 (2017) of 10 July 2017
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;

Resolution 2487 (2019) of 12 September 2019
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;

The report of the Secretary-General dated 26 June 2020 (S/2020/603) is before the Security Council.
Iraq: SG reports on UN compensation fund
Resolution 1956 (2010) of 15 December 2010
Para. 6: Requests the Secretary-General to provide written reports on an ongoing basis to the council every six months, with the first report due no later than 1 January 2012, about the United Nations compensation fund, evaluating the continued compliance with the provisions of paragraph 21 of resolution 1483 (2003).

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

Middle East (Lebanon/UNIFIL): SG reports on implementation of resolution 1701 (2006)
Resolution 2485 (2019) of 29 August 2019
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 fulfill 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);

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in July 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): Authorization of use of border crossings for humanitarian assistance and monitoring mechanism
Resolution 2504 (2020) of 10 January 2020
Para. 3: Decides to renew the decisions in paragraphs 2 and 3 of Security Council resolution 2165 (2014), for a period of six months, that is, until 10 July 2020, excluding the border crossings of Al-Ramtha and of Al Yarubiayah;

The authorization will expire on 10 July 2020.

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 July 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 **July 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 **July 2020**.

**Middle East (Yemen): SG to report on the implementation of resolution 2201 (2015) and on developments in Yemen**

Resolution 2201 (2015) of 15 February 2015

Para. 13: Requests the Secretary-General to report on the implementation of this resolution, and to continue to report on developments in Yemen, including on the implementation of the Gulf Cooperation Council Initiative and its Implementation Mechanism, the outcomes of the comprehensive National Dialogue conference, and the Peace and National Partnership Agreement and its security annex within 15 days after the date of adoption of this resolution and every 60 days thereafter;

The Secretary-General is expected to report in **July 2020**.

**Middle East (Yemen): UNMHA mandate**

Resolution 2505 (2020) of 13 January 2020

Para. 1: Decides to extend until 15 July 2020 the mandate of the United Nations Mission to support the Hodeidah Agreement (UNMHA), to support the implementation of the Agreement on the City of Hodeidah and Ports of Hodeidah, Salif and Ras Issa as set out in the Stockholm Agreement, circulated as S/2018/1134;

The mandate will expire on **15 July 2020**.

**UNRCCA: SG to inform SC about activities**


I have the honour to inform you that your letter dated 7 May 2007 (S/2007/279) concerning your intention to establish a United Nations Regional Centre for Preventive Diplomacy in Ashgabat has been brought to the attention of the members of the Security Council. They take note of the information contained in your letter and the intention expressed therein, and invite you to inform them about the activities of the newly established Centre and its impact on the ground. They would welcome receiving such a report, for example, six months after the Centre becomes fully operational.

The Secretary-General is expected to report in **July 2020**.
EUROPE

Cyprus: SG reports on progress towards a starting point for negotiations and implementation of resolution 2506 (2020)
Resolution 2506 (2020) of 30 January 2020
Para.17: Requests the Secretary-General to submit by 10 July 2020 a report on his Good Offices, in particular on progress towards reaching a consensus starting-point for meaningful results-oriented negotiations leading to a settlement, encourages the leaders of the two communities to provide written updates to the Good Offices Mission of the Secretary-General on the actions they have taken in support of the relevant parts of this resolution since its adoption, in particular with regard to paragraphs 5 and 6, with a view to reaching a sustainable and comprehensive settlement, and further requests the Secretary-General to include the contents of these updates in his Good Offices report; further requests the Secretary-General to submit by 10 July 2020 a report on implementation of this resolution, and to keep the Security Council updated on events as necessary;

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

Cyprus: UNFICYP mandate
Resolution 2506 (2020) of 30 January 2020
Para. 10: Expresses its full support for UNFICYP, and decides to extend its mandate for a further period ending on 31 July 2020;

The mandate will expire on 31 July 2020.

COUNTER-TERRORISM/NON-PROLIFERATION

ISIL (Da’esh) and Al-Qaeda: SG strategic-level reports
Resolution 2368 (2017) of 20 July 2017
Para. 101: Emphasizing the threat posed to international peace and security by ISIL and associated individuals, groups, undertakings, and entities, requests the Secretary-General to continue to provide strategic-level reports that demonstrate and reflect the gravity of the aforementioned threat, including from foreign terrorist fighters joining ISIL and associated groups and entities, foreign terrorist fighters returning to their countries of origin, transiting through, traveling to or relocating to or from other Member States, and the sources of financing of these groups and entities including through illicit trade in petroleum, antiquities, and other natural resources, as well as their planning and facilitation of attacks, any support to ISIL, Al-Qaeda or any individual included on the ISIL and Al-Qaeda Sanctions List, and reflects the range of United Nations efforts in support of Member States in countering this threat, the next report to be provided by 31 January 2018 and then every six months thereafter, with the input of CTED, in close collaboration with the Monitoring Team, as well as other relevant United Nations actors;

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

ISIL (Da’esh) and Al-Qaeda Sanctions: Office of Ombudsperson reports
Resolution 2368 (2017) of 20 July 2017
Annex II, para. 20: In addition to the tasks specified above, the Ombudsperson shall: (…)
(c): Submit biannual reports summarizing the activities of the Ombudsperson to the Security Council.

The report is expected to be submitted in July 2020.
OTHER

Threats to international peace and security: SG to submit a report to SC on actions taken by Member States and the Global Compact entities to address linkages between terrorism and organized crime
Resolution 2482 (2019) of 19 July 2019
Para. 25: Requests the Secretary-General to submit to the Security Council, within twelve months, a joint report by the UNOCT and UNODC with inputs from the relevant entities of the United Nations system, including CTED, the Analytical Support and Sanctions Monitoring Team, on actions taken by Member States and the Global Compact entities to address the issue of linkages between terrorism and organized crime, whether transnational or domestic;

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

Maintenance of international peace & security: Migrant smuggling: States to inform SC on progress of actions undertaken (SCR 2240)
Resolution 2491 (2019) of 3 October 2019
Para. 3: Renews the reporting requests set out in paragraph 17 of its resolution 2240 (2015) from the date of adoption of this resolution, and requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council six months and eleven months after the adoption of this resolution on its implementation, in particular with regards to the implementation of paragraphs of 7 to 10 of its resolution 2240 (2015);
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Para. 8: Requests the Secretary-General to continue to report to the Security Council on the implementation of this resolution at least every 60 days; |
| **Somalia: UNSOM: SG reports on the implementation of resolutions 2516 (2020) and 2520 (2020)** | August 2020 | Resolution 2516 (2020) of 30 March 2020  
Para. 2: Requests the Secretary-General to continue to keep the Security Council regularly informed on the implementation of this resolution, including through oral updates and written reports every 90 days as set out in resolution 2461(2019), with the next report due by 15 May 2020, on the situation on the ground and progress towards achieving key political benchmarks;  
Resolution 2520 (2020) of 29 May 2020  
Para. 37: 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 the Secretary-General to assess in his regular reports, 1) progress achieved on the priority measures referenced in paragraph 2 of this resolution, 2) implementation of HRDDP, and 3) UNSOS support to AMISOM, UNSOM and the Somali security forces; |
| **Afghanistan: SG reports on UNAMA** | August 2020 | Resolution 2489 (2019) of 17 September 2019  
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 implementation of UNAMA’s mandate, including at the subnational level, and priorities as set out in this resolution;  
Resolution 2513 (2020) of 10 March 2020  
Para. 9: Requests the Secretary General to include in his reports on Afghanistan, as requested in paragraph 9 of resolution 2489(2019), developments related to the efforts set out in this resolution; |
| **Iraq/Kuwait: missing persons and return of property** | August 2020 | 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…; |
| **Iraq: SG reports on UNAMI** | August 2020 | Resolution 2522 (2020) of 29 May 2020  
Para. 5: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council every three months on the progress made towards the fulfilment of all UNAMI’s responsibilities; |
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| 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; | |