The Special Representative of the Secretary-General participated in the meeting via videoconference from Nicosia.

20. Items relating to the situation in the former Yugoslavia

A. The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina

During 2014 and 2015, the Security Council held six meetings concerning the situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina, and adopted two resolutions. The High Representative briefed the Council four times on the developments covered in his latest reports. The Council twice extended for periods of 12 months the authorization of the multinational stabilization force (European Union Force-EUFOR) and the continued presence of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) in the country, including authorization for the participating Member States to take all necessary measures to assist both organizations in carrying out their missions. At its 7481st meeting, on 8 July 2015, following a vote, the Council failed to adopt a draft resolution on the item.

64 Resolutions 2183 (2014) and 2247 (2015). For more information on the mandate of EUFOR, see part VIII, sect. III, “Peacekeeping operations led by regional arrangements”.

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During the period under review, the Security Council held eight meetings in connection with the item entitled “Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999)”. At those meetings, the Council discussed the political developments in Kosovo, with a focus on the implementation of the agreement on the principles governing the normalization of relations between Pristina and Belgrade, in particular the establishment of the association of Serb-majority municipalities. The Council also discussed the return of internally displaced persons, the promotion of human rights, the protection of cultural heritage sites, and the prevention of recruitment of foreign fighters to join the conflicts in Iraq and the Syrian Arab Republic.

The Council further focused on the work of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo (UNMIK), the European Union Rule of Law Mission in Kosovo, the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe and the Kosovo Force. In 2015, the Council considered the creation of a special court for war crimes by the authority in Pristina and the bid of Kosovo for membership in the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization.

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For more information on the mandate of UNMIK, see part X, sect. I, “Peacekeeping operations”.

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S/PV.7555 10 November 2015 | Letter dated 5 November 2015 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2015/841) | Draft resolution submitted by Russian Federation (S/2015/847) | Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, Serbia | High Representative for Bosnia and Herzegovina, Head of the Delegation of the European Union | All Council members, all invitees | Resolution 2247 (2015) 15-0-0 (adopted under Chapter VII)