TENTATIVE FORECAST OF THE PROGRAMME OF WORK OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 2025

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AFRICA

South Sudan: SG report on implementation of the UNMISS mandate and obstructions Resolution 2729 (2024) of 29 April 2024

Para. 24: 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 provide integrated, evidence-based and data-driven analysis, strategic assessments and frank advice to the Security Council and should include attention to: [...]

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in January 2025.

AMERICAS

Haiti: SG reports on BINUH on the implementation of resolution 2743 (2024)

Resolution 2743 (2024) of 12 July 2024

Para. 1: Decides to extend, to 15 July 2025 the mandate of BINUH in accordance with its resolution 2476 (2019), headed by a Special Representative of the Secretary-General of the United Nations, and the reporting requirements as specified in paragraph 1 of resolution 2645 (2022);

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in January 2025.

Haiti: Multinational Security Support Mission to report on the implementation of UNSCR 2699 (2023) Resolution 2699 (2023) of 2 October 2023

Para. 18: Requests the leadership of the Multinational Security Support mission to ensure the highest standards of transparency and conduct, and to report every three months once the MSS is operational on the ground, as a part of regular reporting to the Security Council, through the Secretary-General, on the implementation of the resolution, including but not limited to composition of the mission, measures to ensure appropriate conduct and discipline, and to prevent sexual exploitation and abuse; and on investigations of allegations of misconduct and excessive use of force;

Resolution 2751 (2024) of 30 September 2024

Para. 2: Recalls and reaffirms the remaining operative paragraphs of resolution 2699 (2023), noting that the arms embargo in paragraph 14 was reaffirmed and extended in resolution 2700 (2023);

Haiti: UNODC to report to the SC through the SG on illicit arms and financial flows

Resolution 2743 (2024) of 12 July 2024

Para. 19: Requests BINUH to work with UNODC and other relevant UN agencies to support Haitian authorities in combating illicit trafficking and diversion of arms and related materiel as well as illicit financial flows and in enhancing management and control of borders and ports and to include the progress of relevant work in the Secretary-General's regular report to the Security Council, and further commends the quarterly report of UNODC to the Security Council, concurrent with the reporting cycle of BINUH, through the Secretary-General, and in this regard reiterates its request to UNODC to continue its quarterly update which shall continue to focus on sources and routes of illicit arms and financial flows, relevant UN activities and recommendations;

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in January 2025.

ASIA/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.

The Secretary-General is expected to report in January 2025.

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 January 2025.

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 issued in January 2025.

Middle East (Yemen): SG to report to SC on implementation of resolution 2742 (2024)

Resolution 2742 (2024) of 8 July 2024

Para. 2: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council on a monthly basis on progress regarding the implementation of this resolution, in accordance with paragraph 8 of resolution 2643 (2022);

Resolution 2643 (2022) of 13 July 2022

Para. 8: Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Security Council on a monthly basis on progress regarding the implementation of this resolution, including, inter alia on any obstructions to the effective operation of UNMHA caused by any party, any violations of the Hodeidah Agreement ceasefire, any attempts to bring any military reinforcements and military objects to and through the city, the ports of Hodeidah, Salif, and Ras Issa, and the governorate, any failures to remove any military manifestations from the city, and on resolution 2451 (2018), including on any non-compliance by any party;

The Secretary-General is expected to report in January 2025.

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 January 2025.

Middle East (Yemen): SG to report to SC under resolution 2722 (2024)

<u>Resolution 2739 (2024) of 27 June 2024</u> Para. 1: Extends the reporting request in paragraph 10 of resolution 2722 (2024) until January 15, 2025;

Resolution 2722 (2024) of 10 January 2024

Para. 10: Requests the Secretary-General provide written monthly reports, through July 1, 2024, to the Security Council on any further Houthi attacks on merchant and commercial vessels in the Red Sea to inform the Council's future consultations;

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in January 2025.

EUROPE

Cyprus: SG reports on progress towards a starting point for negotiations and implementation of resolution 2723 (2024)

Resolution 2723 (2024) of 30 January 2024

Para, 24: Requests the Secretary-General to submit two reports, by 4 July 2024 and 3 January 2025 respectively, 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 every six months 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 7, 8, 9 and 10, 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 reports; further requests the Secretary-General to submit two reports, by 4 July 2024 and 3 January 2025 respectively, on the implementation of this resolution that provides integrated, evidence-based and data-driven analysis, strategic assessments and frank advice to the Security Council, drawing on data collected and analysed through the Comprehensive Planning and Performance Assessment System (CPAS), the mission's implementation of the Integrated Peacekeeping Performance and Accountability Framework (IPPAF) and other strategic planning and performance measurement tools to describe the mission's impact and overall mission performance, including information on undeclared caveats, declining to participate in or undertake patrols and their impact on the mission, and how the reported cases of under-performance are addressed, and to keep the Security Council updated on events as necessary;

The reports of the Secretary-General are expected to be issued in January 2025.

COUNTER-TERRORISM/NON-PROLIFERATION

ISIL (Da'esh) and Al-Qaeda: SG strategic-level reports

Resolution 2734 (2024) of 10 June 2024

Para. 109: 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-Qaida or any individual included on the ISIL and Al-Qaida Sanctions List, and reflects the range of United Nations efforts in support of Member States in countering this threat, particularly that reflects the impact of these efforts, the next report to be provided by 31 July 2024 and then every six months thereafter, with the input of CTED, in close collaboration with the Monitoring Team, UNOCT, and other relevant United Nations actors, and with the threat assessment portion of the report to be covered by the latest Monitoring Team's bi-annual report being annexed to the Secretary General's report;

The report of the Secretary-General is expected to be issued in January 2025.

OTHER

PBC Organizational Committee: election of two E-10 members

Resolution 1645 (2005) of 20 December 2005

Para. 6: Decides that members of the Organizational Committee shall serve for renewable terms of two years, as applicable.

Resolution 1646 (2005) of 20 December 2005

Para. 1: Decides pursuant to paragraph 4 (a) of resolution 1645 (2005) that the permanent members listed in article 23 (1) of the Charter shall be members of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission and that, in addition, the Council shall select annually two of its elected members to participate in the Organizational Committee.

The Security Council is expected to announce by <u>January 2025</u> the two members elected to serve on the PBC Organizational Committee.

Security Council annual report: SC to complete introduction

Note by the PSC of 30 August 2017 (S/2017/507)

Para. 130: The introduction to the report should continue to be approved by all members of the Council who served on the Council during the reporting period. The introduction shall be completed no later than 31 January so as to allow the Secretariat enough time for translation.

Note by the PSC of 27 December 2019 (S/2019/997)

Third para.: The members of the Security Council recall that the introduction to the report shall be completed no later than 31 January so as to allow the Secretariat enough time for translation.

The introduction to the annual report is expected to be completed no later than 31 January 2025.

SCHEDULE OF FORTHCOMING EXPIRIES OF MANDATES

Subject	Expiry of mandate	Council decision providing for current mandate	
UNFICYP	31 Jan. 2025	2723 (2024) of 30 Jan 2024	
UNSMIL (conditional upon appointment of SRSG)	31 Jan. 2025	2755 (2024) of 31 Oct. 2024	
UNAMA	17 Mar. 2025	2727 (2024) of 15 Mar. 2024	
UNMISS	30 April 2025	2729 (2024) of 29 Apr. 2024	
UNDOF	30 June 2025	2766 (2024) of 20 Dec. 2024	
UNMHA	14 July 2025	2742 (2024) of 8 July 2024	
BINUH	15 July 2025	2743 (2024) of 12 July 2024	
UNIFIL	31 Aug. 2025	2749 (2024) of 28 Aug. 2024	
Haiti MSS	2 Oct. 2025	2751 (2024) of 30 Sept. 2024	
UNTMIS (Phase I)	15 Oct. 2025	2753 (2024) of 30 Oct. 2024	
Colombia Verification Mission	31 Oct. 2025	2754 (2024) of 30 Oct. 2024	
MINURSO	31 Oct. 2025	2755 (2024) of 31 Oct. 2024	
MINUSCA	15 Nov. 2025	2759 (2024) of 14 Nov. 2024	
UNISFA	15 Nov. 2025	2760 (2024) of 14 Nov. 2024	
MONUSCO	20 Dec. 2025	2765 (2024) of 20 Dec. 2024	
AUSSOM	31 Dec. 2025	2767 (2024) of 27 Dec. 2024	
UNAMI	31 Dec. 2025	2732 (2024) of 31 May 2024	
UNOWAS	31 Jan. 2026	S/2023/70 of 20 Jan. 2023	
UNTMIS (Phase II)	15 Oct. 2026	2753 (2024) of 30 Oct. 2024	
UNOCA	31 Aug. 2027	S/2024/649 of 30 Aug. 2024	

FORTHCOMING WRITTEN REPORTS BY THE SECRETARY-GENERAL AS REQUESTED BY THE SECURITY COUNCIL

(February	2025)
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CAR: SG reports on the situation in CAR and MINUSCA	February 2025	Resolution 2759 (2024) of 14 November 2024 Para. 58(a): Requests the Secretary-General to report to the Council on 15 February 2025, 15 June 2025 and 13 October 2025 on the progress in implementing MINUSCA's mandate, including efforts towards compliance with the Status of Force Agreement, as well as on the situation in the CAR, including on all elements set out in paragraph 58 (a) of resolution 2659 (2022);
Afghanistan: SG reports on UNAMA	February 2025	Resolution 2727 (2024) of 15 March 2024 Para. 5: Requests that the Secretary-General reports to the Council every three months on the situation in Afghanistan and the implementation of UNAMA's mandate, including at the subnational level;
Haiti: SG to provide a comprehensive assessment on current context and options for UN role	<u>February 2025</u>	PSC letter of 29 November 2024 (S/2024/868) Second para.: The members of the Security Council request that you provide for their consideration, within the next 60-90 days in consultation with all relevant Haitian stakeholders, the Multinational Security Support (MSS) mission, regional and international stakeholders, including Council members, and the United Nations Integrated Office in Haiti (BINUH) and the United Nations Country Team in Haiti, a comprehensive assessment of the current Haiti context and on-going UN and international efforts, and strategic-level recommendations with a full range of options for the possible role that the UN can play in this regard, incorporating lessons learned from previous UN missions, political developments in Haiti, and the current MSS mission, with a view to a long-term perspective to sustain security and stability in Haiti, addressing the root causes of the crisis.
Middle East (Syria): OPCW DG to report to SC (through SG) on implementation of resolution 2118 (2013)	February 2025	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.
Middle East (Yemen): SG to report to SC under resolution 2722 (2024)		Resolution 2722 (2024) of 10 January 2024 Para. 10: Requests the Secretary-General provide written monthly reports, through July 1, 2024, to the Security Council on any further Houthi attacks on merchant and commercial vessels in the Red Sea to inform the Council's future consultations;