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Introduction

1. Mindful of its primary responsibility for the maintenance of international peace and security, the Security Council continued to engage on a wide-reaching agenda in accordance with the principles and objectives set forth in the Charter of the United Nations. During the period from 1 January to 31 December 2018, the Council held 288 formal meetings, of which 275 were public. The Council adopted 54 resolutions and 21 presidential statements and issued 87 statements to the press. During the reporting period, the Council conducted three missions.

2. In 2018, the Council continued to focus on a number of serious unresolved conflicts, in particular in the Middle East and Africa. The impact of these conflicts on civilians was severe. Large-scale humanitarian crises persisted and in some cases worsened, and large flows of displaced people within and across borders continued as a result of conflict. Divisions in the Council prevented it from taking effective action on some key conflicts.

3. However, there were also several positive developments in 2018. In Africa, countries of the Horn of Africa were able to make progress in resolving long-standing bilateral disputes, the United Nations Mission in Liberia concluded its work and a peace agreement was signed in South Sudan. In Asia, the level of tension on the Korean Peninsula reduced as a result of dialogue between the parties. In the Middle East, Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (ISIL, also known as Da'esh) was driven out of Iraq and lost control of most of the territory that it held in the Syrian Arab Republic. Progress was made in the peace process in Colombia, and elections in countries including Afghanistan, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Iraq and Lebanon made important contributions to political stability.

4. The Council remained convinced of the vital role that the United Nations and the multilateral system should play in preventing and resolving conflicts on its agenda, as set out by all Council members during an open debate on the subject in November. The Council took advantage of a wide range of tools to that end, including mediation, the deployment of peacekeeping and special political missions and the use of targeted sanctions and arms embargoes.

5. Some Council members consistently underlined the importance of taking action at every stage in the conflict cycle and focusing on sustaining peace. Council members also stressed the need to respect international law and to maintain the international non-proliferation regime. Throughout 2018, Council members continued

to focus on the implementation of the Council's thematic resolutions in the context of the conflicts on its agenda, including the need to consider the role of women in preventing and resolving conflict.

6. At the end of 2018, almost 90,000 peacekeepers were deployed in 14 missions in support of Council mandates. A total of 98 peacekeepers were killed in 2018. Council members note with appreciation the contribution of United Nations peacekeepers to supporting international peace and security and pay tribute to the 98 peacekeepers who sacrificed their lives in 2018.

7. Further information on the work of the Council and more detailed accounts of its meetings can be found in the monthly assessments of the Council's work, available online at www.un.org/securitycouncil/content/monthly-assessments. Records of all open Council meetings, including the names and titles of officials providing briefings, are available at www.un.org/securitycouncil/content/meetings. This introduction does not seek to provide an exhaustive list of meetings, developments or Council responses. It is intended as a succinct and useful overview of key developments. Unless otherwise indicated, resolutions referred to in this introduction were adopted unanimously.

Africa

8. The Council continued to monitor the situation in Burundi closely. The constitutional referendum in May was a particularly significant political development. In April, in a presidential statement (S/PRST/2018/7), the Council expressed its concern about the political situation in Burundi and reiterated its ongoing support for the efforts of the African Union and East African Community to bring about a peaceful resolution of the political situation in the country through an inclusive dialogue.

9. The Council reaffirmed its support for the United Nations Regional Office for Central Africa in 2018. In August, in a presidential statement (S/PRST/2018/17), it noted the recommendation of the Secretary-General to extend the mandate of the Office for three years. The extension of the mandate was subsequently confirmed in an exchange of letters between the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council (S/2018/789 and S/2018/790). The Council also expressed its support for the work of the United Nations Office for West Africa and the Sahel in presidential statements in January (S/PRST/2018/3) and August (S/PRST/2018/16). In

December, the Executive Director of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime briefed the Council on the security implications of drug trafficking in West and Central Africa.

10. The conflict in the Central African Republic continued to be a major focus of the Council's work. The Council repeatedly expressed its concern about the level of violence in the country, including through nine statements to the press, and maintained consistent support for the African Initiative for Peace and Reconciliation. In January, the Council adopted resolution [2399 \(2018\)](#), by which it extended the arms embargo and targeted sanctions until 31 January 2019. In December, it adopted resolution [2448 \(2018\)](#) by 13 votes in favour, with 2 abstentions. By that resolution, the Council extended the mandate of the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in the Central African Republic until 15 November 2019.

11. The situation in the Democratic Republic of the Congo and its implications for security in the Great Lakes region remained a source of concern for the Council. In particular, the Council followed closely the implementation of the political agreement of 31 December 2016, including the preparations for the presidential elections, which were held at the end of December 2018. Election preparations formed the focus of the Council's visit to the country from 5 to 7 October. During the visit, Council members met the President, Joseph Kabila Kabange, representatives of the Independent National Electoral Commission, members of the Government, representatives of political parties and civil society and the leadership of the United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUSCO).

12. The Council also monitored the humanitarian situation closely, including an outbreak of Ebola. This led to the unanimous adoption in October of resolution [2439 \(2018\)](#), in which the Council encouraged close cooperation between the Democratic Republic of the Congo, the World Health Organization and other Ebola responders to address the challenge, and called upon all parties to the conflict to ensure full, safe, immediate and unhindered access for humanitarian and medical personnel.

13. In March, the Council adopted resolution [2409 \(2018\)](#), by which it extended the mandate of MONUSCO until 31 March 2019. MONUSCO remained the largest peacekeeping mission mandated by the Council. In the resolution, the Council also urged the Government to cooperate fully with the United Nations team deployed to assist the investigations by the Congolese authorities into the deaths of two United

Nations experts in March 2017, and to ensure that all perpetrators were brought to justice and held accountable. In June, the Council adopted resolution [2424 \(2018\)](#), by which it extended the mandate of the Group of Experts until 1 August 2019.

14. Some of the most encouraging moments of 2018 took place in the Horn of Africa. On 9 July, Eritrea and Ethiopia signed a Joint Declaration of Peace and Friendship. Subsequently, the President of Eritrea and the Prime Minister of Ethiopia signed the Agreement on Peace, Friendship and Comprehensive Cooperation on 16 September in Jeddah, Saudi Arabia. In addition, the Presidents of Djibouti and Eritrea held a meeting in September. The Council welcomed these developments in statements to the press in July and September. The signing of the Agreement between Eritrea and Ethiopia made possible the Council's decision to lift its sanctions on Eritrea by its resolution [2444 \(2018\)](#) in November.

15. The Council followed the political, humanitarian and security situation in Somalia closely. It noted in particular the importance of security sector, economic and political reforms and called for 2018 to be "a year of implementation" in a statement to the press in January. The importance of the relationship between the Federal Government of Somalia and the federal member states was a consistent theme of Council discussions throughout the year. In June, the Council adopted a presidential statement ([S/PRST/2018/13](#)), in which it welcomed the peaceful election of a new Speaker of the House of the People and the resumption of the Federal Parliament's activity.

16. The security situation remained a source of deep concern for the Council. In the same presidential statement, the Council expressed its concern about fighting in the Sool region and the ongoing threat posed by Al-Shabaab. In November, the Council condemned the terrorist attack in Mogadishu of 9 November in a statement to the press.

17. The Council remained committed to supporting a conditions-based transition of security responsibilities from the African Union Mission in Somalia (AMISOM) to Somali security institutions, as endorsed by the Peace and Security Council of the African Union in April and by international partners at the Somalia Security High-Level Meeting, held in Brussels in May. In July, the Council adopted resolution [2431 \(2018\)](#), in which it decided to reduce the authorized number of uniformed AMISOM personnel to a maximum of 20,626 by 28 February 2019 and expressed its intention to follow closely the implementation of the transition plan and the handover of security responsibilities with the aim of

Somali security institutions taking the lead by December 2021.

18. In March, the Council adopted resolution [2408 \(2018\)](#), by which it renewed the mandate of the United Nations Assistance Mission in Somalia. In November, the Council extended its authorization for international naval forces fighting piracy off the Somali coast by its resolution [2442 \(2018\)](#). Also in November, the Council adopted resolution [2444 \(2018\)](#), by which it renewed the sanctions and arms embargo on Somalia and the ban on the import and export of Somali charcoal.

19. In February, the Council adopted resolution [2404 \(2018\)](#), by which it extended the mandate of the United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in Guinea-Bissau (UNIOGBIS) until 28 February 2019. Under the new mandate, the Council requested UNIOGBIS to focus on support for the implementation of the Conakry Agreement on the Implementation of the Economic Community of West African States Road Map for the Resolution of the Political Crisis in Guinea-Bissau and an inclusive political dialogue; the electoral process; and the review of the Constitution of Guinea-Bissau. In the same resolution, the Council also set out its support for the efforts of the Economic Community of West African States to resolve the crisis and underlined the importance of holding legislative and presidential elections on time.

20. The year 2018 saw the closure of the United Nations Mission in Liberia (UNMIL), which completed its mandate on 31 March. In a presidential statement ([S/PRST/2018/8](#)), the Council expressed its appreciation for the contribution made by UNMIL, commended the commitment of the Government and people of Liberia to respect and develop democratic processes and institutions, and recognized the important role of the Peacebuilding Commission in Liberia and encouraged its continued active engagement. In addition, the Council asked the Secretary-General to prepare a report on the contribution of UNMIL to resolving conflict in Liberia.

21. In Libya, the Council continued to support the efforts of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General to find a political solution to the ongoing instability and violence in the country within the framework of the Libyan Political Agreement endorsed by resolution [2259 \(2015\)](#). In June, in a presidential statement ([S/PRST/2018/11](#)), the Council set out its support for election preparations and the national conference process. In the same statement, the Council also welcomed the momentum generated by the international conference on Libya hosted in Paris by the President of France, Emmanuel Macron, on 29 May. On

5 September, in a statement to the press, the Council condemned violence in Tripoli and called upon all parties to exercise restraint and engage seriously in national reconciliation.

22. In September, by its resolution [2434 \(2018\)](#), the Council extended the mandate of the United Nations Support Mission in Libya until 15 September 2019. In November, by its resolution [2441 \(2018\)](#), the Council renewed the sanctions regime and arms embargo and extended the mandate of the Panel of Experts until 15 February 2020. The resolution was adopted by 13 votes in favour, with 2 abstentions. In June, by its resolution [2420 \(2018\)](#), the Council renewed the authorization to inspect vessels suspected of violating the arms embargo. In October, the Council adopted resolution [2437 \(2018\)](#), by which it renewed its authorizations related to the smuggling and trafficking of persons, as set out in paragraphs 7 to 10 of resolution [2240 \(2015\)](#). At the end of the year, the attack against the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Tripoli underlined the seriousness of the terrorist threat in Libya. The Council responded by condemning the attack in a statement to the press in December.

23. The Prosecutor of the International Criminal Court briefed the Council in relation to the situation in Libya in May and November.

24. The Council continued to follow political and security developments in Mali with concern. The progress of the peace process, in particular the implementation of the Agreement on Peace and Reconciliation in Mali, was a major focus of the Council in 2018. In June, by its resolution [2423 \(2018\)](#), the Council called upon the Government of Mali and the United Nations to sign a pact for peace. In October, the Council welcomed the signing of the pact in a statement to the press but stressed the urgent need for all parties to step up the implementation of the Agreement.

25. On several occasions, the Council expressed its concern about security developments in Mali, in particular the deterioration of the situation in central Mali. In October, in a statement to the press, the Council called for the implementation of the Government's plan to re-establish State presence in central Mali and emphasized the importance of close cooperation between the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali (MINUSMA) and the Malian armed forces in this area.

26. In June, by its resolution [2423 \(2018\)](#), the Council renewed the mandate of MINUSMA until 30 June 2019. In 2018, MINUSMA suffered more casualties than any other peacekeeping mission. The Council condemned attacks against the Mission in five statements to the

press. In August, the Council renewed the sanctions regime and the mandate of the Panel of Experts by its resolution [2432 \(2018\)](#).

27. There was broad Council agreement that the situation in Mali could not be dealt with in isolation and that a comprehensive approach to security challenges and instability in the Sahel was needed. In that context, the Council issued statements to the press in May and November, in which it welcomed the continued commitment of the States of the Group of Five for the Sahel (Burkina Faso, Chad, Mali, Mauritania and the Niger) to uniting their efforts to address the impact of terrorism and transnational organized crime in the Sahel region. The Council welcomed the operationalization of a robust compliance framework to prevent, investigate, address and publicly report violations and abuses of human rights law and violations of international humanitarian law related to the Joint Force of the Group of Five for the Sahel.

28. The Council monitored the progress towards the full operationalization of the Joint Force and in this context underlined the importance of international support for the Force. Key steps included the holding of the high-level conference on the Sahel in February, which resulted in pledges to the Force totalling 414 million euros, and the signing of a technical agreement between the United Nations, the European Union and the States of the Group of Five for the Sahel to provide support through MINUSMA in accordance with the conditions set out in resolution [2391 \(2017\)](#). The Council reaffirmed the centrality of the United Nations integrated strategy for the Sahel in providing a comprehensive framework to strengthen governance, security and development in the Sahel region. It welcomed the launch of the United Nations support plan for the Sahel on the margins of the African Union summit held in Nouakchott in June 2018.

29. In July, the Deputy Secretary-General briefed the Council on her joint visit to the Sahel with the Special Envoy of the Chairperson of the African Union on Women, Peace and Security and the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Sweden, with a focus on women and peace and security, and the adverse effects of climate change.

30. The importance of close cooperation with the African Union was a key theme of many Council discussions on Africa in 2018. In July, the Special Representative of the Secretary-General to the African Union and Head of the United Nations Office to the African Union introduced the report of the Secretary-General on strengthening the partnership between the United Nations and the African Union ([S/2018/678](#)), noting that the African Union was the most important

strategic partner of the United Nations. Also in July, the members of the Council and the Peace and Security Council of the African Union met in New York and issued a communiqué. Although the meeting was focused on the situations in South Sudan and the Democratic Republic of the Congo, there was also an opportunity for an informal exchange of views on the institutional reforms under way at the United Nations and the African Union and their significance for enhancing the partnership between the two organizations.

31. There were improvements to the security situation in Darfur and no significant clashes between government forces and the armed opposition. However, the Council continued to express its concerns about clashes in the Jebel Marra region.

32. The focus of Council discussions on Darfur in 2018 was progress towards the drawdown of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (UNAMID). Following a special report from the Secretary-General and the Chairperson of the African Union Commission, the Council adopted resolution [2429 \(2018\)](#) in July. In the resolution, the Council extended the mandate of UNAMID until 30 June 2019 and took note of the recommendation in the special report for a transition over a two-year time frame with a view to the exit of the Mission on 30 June 2020 and its liquidation by December 2020, provided that there is no significant change in the security situation and key indicators are met.

33. In December, in a presidential statement ([S/PRST/2018/19](#)), the Council took note of the report of the Secretary-General on UNAMID ([S/2018/912](#)), in which a benchmarked exit strategy for UNAMID was set out. In February, by its resolution [2400 \(2018\)](#), the Council extended the mandate of the Panel of Experts on the Sudan. The Council also expressed its intention to review the measures on Darfur.

34. The Prosecutor of the International Criminal Court briefed the Council in relation to the situation in Darfur in June and December.

35. The Council continued to focus on the situation in South Sudan. The Council remained concerned by continuing armed clashes across the country and repeated violations of the Agreement on Cessation of Hostilities, Protection of Civilians and Humanitarian Access of 21 December 2017. The Council maintained strong support for the efforts of the African Union and the Intergovernmental Authority on Development to address the crisis.

36. In May, the Council adopted resolution [2418 \(2018\)](#) by nine votes in favour, with six abstentions. In the resolution, the Council renewed the sanctions measures imposed in resolution [2206 \(2015\)](#) and the mandate of the Panel of Experts. In July, the Council adopted resolution [2428 \(2018\)](#) by nine votes in favour, with six abstentions. In the resolution, the Council established an arms embargo and imposed a travel ban and asset freeze on two individuals.

37. In August and September, two key developments took place in the peace process within the framework of the Intergovernmental Authority on Development revitalization forum for peace in South Sudan. On 5 August, the President of South Sudan, Salva Kiir, and the opposition leader, Riek Machar, signed an agreement on outstanding issues in governance and the sharing of responsibilities ([S/2018/574](#), annex). On 12 September, President Kiir and Riek Machar signed the Revitalized Agreement on the Resolution of the Conflict in South Sudan. The Council remained focused on the implementation of these agreements during the rest of the year and, in December, issued a statement to the press in which it condemned abuses against the Ceasefire and Transitional Security Arrangements Monitoring and Verification Mechanism team.

38. On 10 August, the permanent missions of Côte d'Ivoire, Kuwait, the Netherlands and Sweden to the United Nations called for consultations on food security in South Sudan, in line with the provisions of resolution [2417 \(2018\)](#) on conflict and hunger. The Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator briefed the Council. The Council also remained concerned by the extent of sexual violence in South Sudan and issued a statement to the press on the issue in December.

39. By its resolution [2406 \(2018\)](#), the Council extended the mandate of the United Nations Mission in South Sudan (UNMISS) until 15 March 2019. Council members remained concerned by threats against UNMISS and, in a statement to the press, condemned an attack against the Mission on 26 June that killed one peacekeeper.

40. The Council continued to support the United Nations Interim Security Force for Abyei. The focus of Council discussions on the subject in 2018 was the nature of the mandate and the size of the Force. In April, by its resolution [2412 \(2018\)](#), the Council extended the elements of the mandate dealing with support to the Joint Border Verification and Monitoring Mechanism until 15 October 2018. In May, by its resolution [2416 \(2018\)](#), the Council extended the mandate of UNISFA

until 15 November and reduced the troop ceiling to 4,500.

41. In October, by its resolution [2438 \(2018\)](#), the Council welcomed the progress made in implementing the Joint Border Verification and Monitoring Mechanism but noted that the measures set out in resolution [2412 \(2018\)](#) had not been completely achieved. The Council extended the relevant elements of the mandate until 15 April 2019. In November, by its resolution [2445 \(2018\)](#), the Council extended the UNISFA mandate until 15 May 2019, reduced the troop ceiling to 4,140 and agreed to increase the authorized number of police to 345.

42. The major development with regard to Western Sahara in 2018 was the holding of a round-table meeting of Morocco, the Frente Popular para la Liberación de Saguía el-Hamra y de Río de Oro (Frente POLISARIO), Algeria and Mauritania in Geneva in December. The Personal Envoy of the Secretary-General for Western Sahara, Horst Köhler, convened these talks as part of a renewed political process.

43. In April and October, the Council adopted resolutions [2414 \(2018\)](#) and [2440 \(2018\)](#). Both resolutions were adopted by 12 votes in favour, with 3 abstentions. In the resolutions, the Council extended the mandate of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara by a period of six months. In resolution [2440 \(2018\)](#), the Council also reaffirmed the objective of a just, lasting and mutually acceptable political solution that would provide for the self-determination of the people of Western Sahara and welcomed the decisions of Morocco, the Frente POLISARIO, Algeria and Mauritania to accept the Personal Envoy's invitation to a round-table meeting.

Americas

44. In 2018, the Council maintained its full support for the peace process in Colombia. In several statements to the press, the Council welcomed the commitment shown by the parties in 2018, including the new Government led by President Iván Duque Márquez, which came into power in August. It stressed on several occasions the importance of the full political, legal and socioeconomic reincorporation of former members of the Revolutionary Armed Forces of Colombia-People's Army (FARC-EP) members. The Council also expressed concern about insecurity in some of the conflict-affected areas of the country, including the persistent pattern of assassinations of community and social leaders.

45. One setback to the peace process was the resumption of attacks by the National Liberation Army

(ELN), which the Council said that it regretted in a statement to the press issued in January. In the same statement, the Council expressed its hope that ELN and the Government of Colombia would resume work to reach an agreement on renewing and strengthening the ceasefire. In April, in another statement to the press, the Council welcomed the resumption of dialogue between the parties and encouraged the conclusion of a new ceasefire.

46. The Council continued to support the United Nations Verification Mission in Colombia and, in September, adopted resolution [2435 \(2018\)](#), by which it extended the mandate of the Mission until 25 September 2019.

47. In Haiti, the Council focused its attention on the future of the United Nations presence in the country. In April, the Council adopted resolution [2410 \(2018\)](#) by 13 votes in favour, with 2 abstentions. By that resolution, the Council extended the mandate of the United Nations Mission for Justice Support in Haiti (MINUJUSTH) until 15 April 2019. It also decided that MINUJUSTH would maintain seven formed police units and 295 individual police officers until 15 October 2018, and that the number of formed police units would be reduced to five by 15 April 2019. The Council affirmed its intention to consider the Mission's withdrawal and transition to a non-peacekeeping United Nations presence in Haiti, beginning no sooner than 15 October 2019.

48. In July, in a statement to the press, the Council condemned the rise in violence in Haiti and called upon all parties to remain calm, exercise restraint and avoid acts that could contribute to instability.

49. In September, the Council discussed the situation in Nicaragua under the agenda item "Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and subregional organizations in maintaining international peace and security".

Asia

50. Ongoing violence in Afghanistan remained a source of great concern for the Council. During the year, the Council issued 14 statements to the press in which it condemned terrorist attacks in the country.

51. The Council continued to support the peace process in Afghanistan. In March, in a statement to the press, the Council welcomed the convening of the second meeting of the Kabul Process for Peace and Security Cooperation in Afghanistan on 28 February and commended the declaration agreed upon by its

participants. Members of the Council welcomed the offer made by the Government of Afghanistan to the Taliban to engage in direct peace talks and called upon the Taliban to accept the offer without any preconditions.

52. In June, the Government of Afghanistan announced a temporary ceasefire with the Taliban for the end of Ramadan and the Eid al-Fitr holiday. In response, the Taliban announced a partial ceasefire. In a statement to the press, the Council welcomed these announcements and urged the Taliban to reciprocate the Government's temporary ceasefire in full. In August, the Government announced a second conditional ceasefire with the Taliban from the beginning of the Eid al-Adha holiday. The Council welcomed this development in a statement to the press in August and urged the Taliban to reciprocate without delay.

53. On 27 and 28 November, the Government of Afghanistan and the United Nations hosted the Geneva Ministerial Conference on Afghanistan. At the Conference, the Government of Afghanistan and the international community reaffirmed their partnership and cooperation for the peace, prosperity and self-reliance of Afghanistan. On 10 December, in a statement to the press, the Council welcomed the outcome of the Conference, including the adoption of the Geneva Mutual Accountability Framework and the joint communiqué of the Conference.

54. An important development in Afghanistan in 2018 was the holding of parliamentary elections in October. The Council followed the preparations for these elections closely. In July, in a presidential statement ([S/PRST/2018/15](#)), the Council noted the conclusion of the voter registration process, recognized the progress made and emphasized the need to address remaining challenges and to accelerate progress on electoral preparations. In August, in a statement to the press, the Council underlined its support for peaceful, inclusive, credible and transparent elections and urged relevant actors to address outstanding issues without delay.

55. On 23 October, in a statement to the press, the Council welcomed the holding of parliamentary elections. The Council commended the participation and courage of Afghans and reiterated its support for the Government and people of Afghanistan in their efforts to develop sustainable democratic institutions. The Council also noted that voting in Kandahar had been postponed owing to recent security incidents and emphasized the importance of this voting taking place.

56. The Council maintained its support for the United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan (UNAMA). On 8 March, the Council held a debate on Afghanistan

and adopted resolution [2405 \(2018\)](#), by which it extended the Mission's mandate until 17 March 2019. The Council visited Kabul from 12 to 15 January, the first such visit since 2010. The delegation held meetings with the President and the Chief Executive of Afghanistan, as well as other senior Afghan officials, members of Parliament, members of political parties, civil society organizations, the electoral management bodies and the leadership of UNAMA and the Resolute Support Mission of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization. During the visit, the delegation focused on the political, security, socioeconomic and human rights situation in Afghanistan as well as on the importance of promoting regional cooperation, including economic development, for stability and prosperity in Afghanistan and the region.

57. The Council met to discuss the United Nations Regional Centre for Preventive Diplomacy for Central Asia in January and June. In January, in a statement to the press, the Council reaffirmed the importance of preventive diplomacy and expressed its support for the Centre's role in regional counter-terrorism and counter-narcotics activities and its engagement on border and transboundary water management. In January, in a presidential statement ([S/PRST/2018/2](#)), the Council underlined the importance of making conflict prevention and resolution central to the work of the United Nations system in Afghanistan and the Central Asian States, and welcomed further cooperation and coordination between the Centre, the Central Asian States and relevant regional organizations, including those organizations of which the Central Asian States are members, to strengthen the region's capacity to overcome challenges to peace, stability and sustainable development.

58. The situation in Myanmar remained a source of concern for members of the Council. In response, the Council conducted a visit to Bangladesh and Myanmar from 28 April to 2 May. The terms of reference for the mission ([S/2018/391](#), annex) focused on the implementation of the presidential statement of November 2017 ([S/PRST/2017/22](#)) and the recommendations of the Advisory Commission on Rakhine State, the provision of protection and assistance to refugees in Bangladesh, and the creation of conditions allowing for the safe, voluntary, sustainable and dignified repatriation of refugees. Following the visit, the Council issued a statement to the press.

59. The Council held a number of meetings on Myanmar throughout the year in order to stay up-to-date with developments on the ground. The Secretary-General gave a briefing on the subject on 28 August.

Europe

60. The Council continued to monitor the security situation in the Balkans. The Council met twice to discuss the situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina. In November, by its resolution [2443 \(2018\)](#), the Council renewed its authorization for Member States acting through or in cooperation with the European Union to establish a multinational stabilization force (EUFOR-Althea) as a legal successor to the Stabilization Force in Bosnia and Herzegovina (SFOR) under unified command and control. The Council met on four occasions to discuss the implementation of resolutions [1160 \(1998\)](#), [1199 \(1998\)](#), [1203 \(1998\)](#), [1239 \(1999\)](#) and [1244 \(1999\)](#) on the subject of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo. The briefing in December was held in response to the request for an urgent meeting of the Council made by the Permanent Representative of Serbia to the United Nations in his letter dated 14 December ([S/2018/1111](#)).

61. The Council continued to support progress towards a settlement in Cyprus following the break-up of the talks in Crans-Montana, Switzerland, in July 2017. The Special Representative of the Secretary-General in Cyprus and Head of Mission, United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus (UNFICYP), briefed the Council on prospects for a settlement on several occasions. In its resolutions [2398 \(2018\)](#) and [2430 \(2018\)](#), the Council reiterated its support for an enduring, comprehensive and just settlement based on a bicomunal, bizonal federation with political equality, and urged the sides and all parties involved to renew their political will and commitment to a settlement under the auspices of the United Nations.

62. In its resolution [2398 \(2018\)](#), the Council requested the Secretary-General to submit a report on progress towards a settlement by 15 July 2018. In the report ([S/2018/610](#)), the Secretary-General noted that, 10 months after the closing of the Conference on Cyprus in Crans-Montana, there had been no further progress towards a settlement. The Secretary-General expressed his view that there was still scope for the sides to chart a common way forward and, in this regard, expressed his intention to send a senior United Nations official to the island to conduct in-depth consultations with the parties.

63. Following the publication of the report of the Secretary-General, the Council, in its resolution [2430 \(2018\)](#), welcomed the appointment of a United Nations senior official, Jane Holl Lute, and urged the sides and all parties involved to seize the important opportunity presented by her appointment to conduct in-depth consultations on a way forward.

64. The other focus of the Council's discussions on Cyprus in 2018 was the mandate of UNFICYP. In January, by its resolution [2398 \(2018\)](#), the Council extended the mandate of UNFICYP for a period of six months. It also welcomed the report of the Secretary-General on the strategic review of UNFICYP ([S/2017/1008](#)) and endorsed its recommendations. In July, by its resolution [2430 \(2018\)](#), the Council subsequently extended the mandate until 31 January 2019.

65. The Council met on four occasions to discuss the letter dated 13 March 2018 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Council ([S/2018/218](#)). The annex to the letter was a letter from the Prime Minister of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General regarding the poisoning of Sergei Skripal and his daughter Yulia Skripal in Salisbury on 4 March. On 6 September, the Permanent Representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations provided an update to the Council on developments in the case, including the death of Dawn Sturgess on 30 June.

66. The Council continued to consider the letter dated 28 February 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Ukraine to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Council ([S/2014/136](#)) and the letter dated 13 April 2014 from the Permanent Representative of the Russian Federation to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Council ([S/2014/264](#)). Following a meeting on 6 June in connection with the first of those two letters, the Council, in a presidential statement ([S/PRST/2018/12](#)), expressed grave concern with regard to the recent deterioration of the security situation in eastern Ukraine and its severe impact on the civilian population. It condemned continuous violations of the ceasefire regime and called for the implementation of the disengagement commitments and the immediate withdrawal of heavy weapons in accordance with the Minsk agreements. It underlined the need for strict compliance with resolution [2202 \(2015\)](#) and encouraged all the parties to recommit to the peace process and to implement all the measures agreed in the Normandy format and the Trilateral Contact Group. It also expressed its support for the work conducted by United Nations agencies to address the humanitarian situation and called upon all parties to facilitate the work of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe Special Monitoring Mission to Ukraine.

67. The Assistant Secretary-General for Political Affairs briefed the Council on the situation in Georgia under the agenda item "Other matters" on 8 August.

Middle East

68. The Middle East was central to the Council's work in 2018. Council members agreed on the interconnected nature of the conflicts in the region, and the Secretary-General delivered a briefing on that subject in June.

69. The Council held eight meetings to discuss the situation in Iraq. A key focus was the need to support Iraq in addressing the challenges it faced following its victory over ISIL, in particular post-conflict reconstruction and reconciliation. In June, by its resolution [2421 \(2018\)](#), the Council extended the mandate of the United Nations Assistance Mission in Iraq (UNAMI) until 31 May 2019. The Council decided that the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Iraq and UNAMI should prioritize the provision of advice, support and assistance to the Government and people of Iraq with regard to advancing inclusive, political dialogue and national and community-level reconciliation. The Council also welcomed the independent external assessment of UNAMI as requested by resolution [2367 \(2017\)](#) and encouraged UNAMI, the Secretariat and United Nations agencies, offices, funds and programmes to implement those recommendations.

70. The Council maintained its commitment to the stability, security, sovereignty and political independence of Lebanon throughout the year. In that context, in a statement to the press in March, the Council welcomed the convening of a ministerial meeting in Rome in support of the Lebanese Armed Forces and the Internal Security Forces. The Council noted the important role played by these forces in protecting the borders and population of Lebanon and saluted the role of the Lebanese Armed Forces in defeating the territorial ambitions of Da'esh, the Nusra Front and other United Nations-designated terrorist groups in Lebanon.

71. A key event of 2018 in Lebanon was the holding of legislative elections in May, which the Council welcomed in its resolution [2433 \(2018\)](#). These were the first parliamentary elections in Lebanon since 2009.

72. The Council continued to monitor closely the situation on the border between Israel and Lebanon. In its resolution [2433 \(2018\)](#), the Council expressed its concern at the limited progress made towards the establishment of a permanent ceasefire and other key provisions of resolution [1701 \(2006\)](#). The Council also expressed deep concern at continuing violations in

connection with resolution [1701 \(2006\)](#) and requested the Secretary-General to report on those violations in detail every four months and to include in the reports an annex on the implementation of the arms embargo. Among the concerning developments of 2018 was the discovery by Israel of several tunnels dug under the Blue Line separating Israel and Lebanon. The Council met on two occasions in December to discuss that issue.

73. In August, by its resolution [2433 \(2018\)](#), the Council reiterated its support for the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (UNIFIL) and extended the Force's mandate until 31 August 2019. On 9 August 2018, in a statement to the press, the Council condemned the attack against UNIFIL on 4 August, in which peacekeepers were threatened with illegal weapons, vehicles were set on fire and UNIFIL weapons and equipment were seized. The members of the Council underlined the need for a credible investigation to determine the exact circumstances of the attack.

74. The situation in the Syrian Arab Republic remained one of the most contentious issues on the Council's agenda. The Council met on 65 occasions to discuss the conflict in the country. Its meetings focused on chemical weapons, the humanitarian situation and political developments.

75. With regard to the issue of chemical weapons, one of the most significant moments of 2018 followed reports of the use of chemical weapons in the town of Duma in April. Council members proposed three resolutions that would have established mechanisms to investigate these reports. Draft resolution [S/2018/321](#)¹ was not adopted owing to the negative vote of one permanent member of the Council (12 votes in favour and 2 against, with 1 abstention). Draft resolution [S/2018/175](#)² was not adopted owing to the failure to secure nine votes in favour (six votes in favour and seven against, with two abstentions). Draft resolution [S/2018/322](#)³ was not adopted owing to the failure to secure nine votes in favour (five votes in favour and four against, with six abstentions).

76. Following air strikes conducted against targets in the Syrian Arab Republic on 13 April by the United States of America, France and the United Kingdom of

Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the Council met on 14 April at the request of the Russian Federation under the agenda item "Threats to international peace and security". The Secretary-General gave a briefing. At the end of the meeting, draft resolution [S/2018/355](#)⁴ was not adopted owing to the failure to secure nine votes in favour (three votes in favour and eight against, with four abstentions).

77. With regard to the humanitarian situation, the Council adopted resolution [2401 \(2018\)](#) in February. In the resolution, the Council demanded that all parties cease hostilities without delay and engage immediately to ensure the full and comprehensive implementation of that demand by all parties, for a durable humanitarian pause for at least 30 consecutive days throughout the country. At the same time, the Council affirmed that the cessation of hostilities did not apply to military operations against ISIL and all other individuals, groups, undertakings and entities associated with Al-Qaida or ISIL, and other United Nations-designated terrorist groups. Following the adoption of the resolution, the Council met on several occasions to discuss concerns regarding its implementation.

78. In December, the Council adopted resolution [2449 \(2018\)](#) by 13 in votes in favour, with 2 abstentions. In the resolution, the Council reiterated its grave distress at the humanitarian situation and expressed its concern regarding the insufficient implementation of its resolutions [2139 \(2014\)](#), [2165 \(2014\)](#), [2191 \(2014\)](#), [2258 \(2015\)](#), [2332 \(2016\)](#), [2393 \(2017\)](#) and [2401 \(2018\)](#). The Council recalled the need to create conditions throughout the country and facilitate the safe, voluntary and dignified return of refugees and internally displaced persons to their home areas in the Syrian Arab Republic. At the same time, it emphasized that the humanitarian situation would continue to deteriorate in the absence of a political solution. It also renewed for a further year its authorization for United Nations humanitarian agencies and their implementing partners to use routes across conflict lines and the border crossings of Bab al-Salam, Bab al-Hawa, Ya'rubiyah and Ramtha, in addition to those already in use, as set out in paragraph 2 of resolution [2165 \(2014\)](#).

79. On 19 March, several Council members requested a briefing by the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights on the situation in the Syrian Arab Republic. Following an objection to the adoption of the agenda, a procedural vote was held. The agenda item was not adopted owing to the failure to secure nine votes in favour (eight votes in favour and four against, with three abstentions).

¹ Proposed by Albania, Australia, Bulgaria, Canada, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Montenegro, the Netherlands, Norway, Peru, Poland, Qatar, the Republic of Moldova, Slovenia, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey, Ukraine, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

² Proposed by the Russian Federation.

³ Proposed by the Russian Federation.

⁴ Proposed by the Russian Federation.

80. In its resolution [2449 \(2018\)](#), the Council reiterated its call upon the parties to the conflict to make progress towards a political solution to the conflict in line with resolution [2254 \(2015\)](#) and reiterated its support for the Action Group for Syria Final Communiqué of 30 June 2012 (resolution [2118 \(2013\)](#), annex II).

81. The Council met frequently to discuss the situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question, in line with paragraph 7 of its resolution [1322 \(2000\)](#) and paragraph 12 of its resolution [2334 \(2016\)](#). The United Nations Special Coordinator for the Middle East Peace Process and Personal Representative of the Secretary-General to the Palestine Liberation Organization and the Palestinian Authority briefed the Council on 17 occasions. His briefings focused in particular on the following matters: the absence of a political process; the deteriorating humanitarian and economic situation in Gaza and the escalations of violence in and around the Gaza Strip; the continued settlement activity of Israel, including in areas deep into the West Bank; the demolition and seizure of Palestinian-owned structures; and the funding gap faced during much of the year by the United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East. In June, the Secretary-General issued his first written report on the implementation of resolution [2334 \(2016\)](#) ([S/2018/614](#)).

82. A key concern of the Council in 2018 was the situation in Gaza and the Great March of Return demonstrations, which saw increased levels of violence leading to civilian casualties. On 1 June, the Council considered two draft resolutions in response to increased levels of violence. Draft resolution [S/2018/516](#)⁵ was not adopted owing to the negative vote of one permanent member (10 votes in favour and 1 against, with 4 abstentions). Draft resolution [S/2018/520](#)⁶ was not adopted owing to the failure to secure nine votes in favour (1 vote in favour and 3 against, with 11 abstentions).

83. The Council maintained its support for the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force in 2018. In June, by its resolution [2426 \(2018\)](#), the Council extended the mandate of the Force for a period of six months. In December, by its resolution [2450 \(2018\)](#), the Council extended the mandate for a further six months. In both resolutions, the Council expressed grave concern regarding violations of the Agreement on Disengagement between Israeli and Syrian Forces of 1974. The Council continued to call for the immediate implementation of resolution [338 \(1973\)](#).

⁵ Proposed by Kuwait.

⁶ Proposed by the United States.

84. The Council continued to follow the conflict in Yemen closely. The Council remained deeply concerned by the high levels of violence in the country and the continued deterioration of the humanitarian situation. In March, the Council adopted a presidential statement ([S/PRST/2018/5](#)), in which it expressed its grave concern at the continued deterioration of the humanitarian situation and its distress at the level of violence in Yemen. At the same time, it emphasized that the humanitarian situation would continue to deteriorate in the absence of an inclusive political solution. Also in March, in a statement to the press, the Council condemned the multiple Houthi missile attacks, including the use of ballistic missiles, targeting several cities in Saudi Arabia.

85. On 5 September, in a statement to the press, the Council reiterated its support for the political process led by the United Nations in Yemen and the efforts of the Special Envoy of the Secretary-General for Yemen to bring about a political settlement. It also expressed its support for the consultations between the parties that were due to take place in Geneva the following day.

86. Although the parties did not convene for consultations in Geneva in September, they were able to meet in Stockholm from 6 to 13 December. The meeting in Stockholm concluded with the signing of the Stockholm Agreement ([S/2018/1134](#), annex). This included an agreement on the city of Hudaydah and the ports of Hudaydah, Salif and Ra's Isa, an executive mechanism on activating the prisoner exchange agreement and a statement of understanding on Ta'izz.

87. In December, in its resolution [2451 \(2018\)](#), the Council welcomed the consultations in Stockholm, endorsed the Stockholm Agreement and called for its implementation. In particular, the Council insisted on the full respect by all parties of the ceasefire agreed for Hudaydah Governorate and the mutual redeployment of forces. The Council authorized the establishment and deployment of an advance team to begin monitoring and to support and facilitate the immediate implementation of the Agreement. It also requested the Secretary-General to submit proposals before the end of 2018 on how the United Nations would fully support the Agreement.

88. In the light of the humanitarian situation, in resolution [2451 \(2018\)](#), the Council also called upon the Government of Yemen and the Houthis to remove bureaucratic impediments to flows of commercial and humanitarian supplies and upon the parties to ensure the effective and sustained functioning of all ports of Yemen, onward road access throughout the country and the reopening and safe and secure operation of Sana'a

airport for commercial flights within an agreed mechanism. It also called upon all parties to the conflict to comply with applicable international law and to fulfil their obligations under international humanitarian law.

89. In February, the Council unanimously adopted resolution [2402 \(2018\)](#), in which it renewed and reaffirmed the measures introduced by resolutions [2140 \(2014\)](#) and [2216 \(2015\)](#) with regard to Yemen. It also decided to extend the mandate of the Panel of Experts to support the work of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution [2140 \(2014\)](#).

Thematic issues

90. There were a number of significant developments in the Council's consideration of thematic issues in 2018. Several Council members continued to show significant interest in ensuring that the Council considered thematic issues, such as women and peace and security, children and armed conflict, and protection of civilians, as part of its geographical work, but the Council also considered them in a cross-cutting format.

91. On 18 January, the Council adopted a presidential statement ([S/PRST/2018/1](#)), in which it focused on conflict prevention and preventive diplomacy, underlining the need for a comprehensive conflict prevention strategy and expressing its support for the Secretary-General's efforts in this regard. In August, in an open debate, the Council highlighted the importance of mediation in conflict prevention and resolution.

92. The Council remained committed to peacebuilding and sustaining peace. In April, the Secretary-General briefed the Council on his approach to these issues. The following day, by its resolution [2413 \(2018\)](#), the Council welcomed the presentation of the report of the Secretary-General on peacebuilding and sustaining peace ([A/72/707-S/2018/43](#)), took note with appreciation of the recommendations and options set out in the report and decided to discuss them further.

93. The Council continued to cooperate closely with the Peacebuilding Commission. In December, in a presidential statement ([S/PRST/2018/20](#)), the Council underlined the importance of strong coordination, coherence and cooperation with the Commission and encouraged the Commission to present concise, targeted, context-specific and applicable recommendations to the Council, in particular ahead of relevant mandate discussions.

94. The importance of protecting children in armed conflict was reiterated by the Council in its resolution [2427 \(2018\)](#), adopted in July. In the resolution, the

Council condemned in strong terms serious abuses and violations against children in armed conflict and underlined its commitment to considering and using a comprehensive set of tools to strengthen international cooperation on their effective protection.

95. In June, in its resolution [2419 \(2018\)](#), the Council focused on the important and positive contribution that young people could make to efforts for the maintenance and promotion of peace and security and encouraged relevant entities of the United Nations to consider how they integrate the needs of young people into their consideration of conflicts. This followed an open debate on youth, peace and security in April.

96. Women and peace and security remained a priority for many members of the Council. In April, in an open debate, the Council focused on sexual violence in conflict. In October, the Secretary-General briefed the Council on promoting the implementation of the women and peace and security agenda through the economic and political empowerment of women.

97. In May, the Secretary-General briefed the Council on the protection of civilians in armed conflict following the publication of his annual report on the issue ([S/2018/462](#)). Two days later, the Council adopted resolution [2417 \(2018\)](#), in which it focused on the link between armed conflict and violence and conflict-induced food insecurity and the threat of famine. That issue had also been the subject of a briefing in March by the Executive Director of the World Food Programme and the Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator. In resolution [2417 \(2018\)](#), the Council requested the Secretary-General to report swiftly to it when the risk of conflict-induced famine and widespread food insecurity occurs in the context of armed conflict. In September, in a presidential statement ([S/PRST/2018/18](#)), the Council reiterated its commitment to the protection of civilians and recognized the contribution of the updated aide-memoire to the consideration of issues pertaining to the protection of civilians in armed conflict, including its enhanced focus on the protection of medical facilities and personnel and on the use of starvation as a method of warfare.

98. The Council continued to emphasize the importance of upholding international law within the context of the maintenance of international peace and security and held an open debate on that subject on 17 May.

99. In February, in its resolution [2403 \(2018\)](#), the Council noted with regret the resignation from the International Court of Justice of Judge Hisashi Owada and decided that the election to fill the vacancy should

take place on 22 June. On that day, Judge Yuji Iwasawa was elected by the General Assembly and the Council to serve on the Court until 5 February 2021. In its resolution 2422 (2018), the Council noted the conclusion of the review of the progress of the work of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals, appointed Serge Brammertz as Prosecutor of the Mechanism until 30 June 2020 and welcomed the report of the Mechanism to the Council (S/2018/347, annex) pursuant to the presidential statement adopted by the Council in March (S/PRST/2018/6). Resolution 2422 (2018) was adopted by 14 votes in favour, with 1 abstention.

100. In October, the President of the International Court of Justice briefed the Council. The President and Prosecutor of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals briefed the Council in June and December.

101. Non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction remained an important priority for the Council. In January, the Secretary-General briefed the Council on preventing the spread of weapons of mass destruction. In September, the Council met at the level of Heads of State to discuss challenges to the global non-proliferation regime. The Council also met on five occasions to discuss the implementation of resolution 2231 (2015) under the agenda item “Non-proliferation”. It received three reports from the Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency (S/2018/205, annex; S/2018/540, annex; and S/2018/835, annex) pursuant to resolution 2231 (2015).

102. Under the agenda item “Maintenance of international peace and security”, the Assistant Secretary-General for Rule of Law and Security Institutions briefed the Council on mine action in June, as mandated by resolution 2365 (2017).

103. The Council continued to monitor the situation in the Democratic People’s Republic of Korea closely under the agenda item “Non-proliferation/Democratic People’s Republic of Korea”. In March, by its resolution 2407 (2018), the Council extended the mandate of the Panel of Experts on the Democratic People’s Republic of Korea until 24 April 2019. The Council also urged all States, relevant United Nations bodies and other interested parties to cooperate fully with the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006) and the Panel of Experts. In September, the Secretary of State of the United States chaired a meeting to discuss the item “Non-proliferation/Democratic People’s Republic of Korea”.

104. The Council continued to focus on threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts.

In May, in a presidential statement on terrorism and organized crime (S/PRST/2018/9), the Council reiterated its concern regarding the close connection between international terrorism and transnational organized crime and called upon Member States and relevant regional, subregional and international organizations to enhance their cooperation and strategies to tackle that threat. The Council also received a briefing from the Chairs of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999), 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da’esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities, the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism and the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) on the work undertaken by these subsidiary organs with regard to counter-terrorism.

105. One of the most important developments of 2018 was the progress made in removing the presence of ISIL from Iraq and the Syrian Arab Republic. In relation to the threat posed by ISIL, Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities, the Council adopted a presidential statement (S/PRST/2018/21) in December. In the statement, the Council noted that it had conducted a review of the measures described in paragraph 1 of resolution 2368 (2017), in accordance with paragraph 104 of the same resolution and confirmed that no further adjustments to the measures were necessary at that time. In December, the Council also received its first briefing on the work of the United Nations Investigative Team to Promote Accountability for Crimes Committed by Da’esh/Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant, which was established pursuant to resolution 2379 (2017).

106. In May, in a statement to the press, the Council condemned a terrorist attack in Surabaya, Indonesia. In July and November, in statements to the press, the Council condemned terrorist attacks in Pakistan. In September, in a statement to the press, the Council condemned a terrorist attack in Ahvaz, Islamic Republic of Iran.

107. United Nations peacekeeping operations remained at the centre of the work of the Council. In addition to the development and implementation of mandates described in the geographical section above, there were several notable cross-cutting thematic developments. Many of the developments were connected to the Secretary-General’s Action for Peacekeeping initiative on which the Secretary-General briefed the Council during an open debate in March. In May, in a

presidential statement (S/PRST/2018/10), the Council welcomed the initiative.

108. In September, the Council adopted resolution 2436 (2018), in which it focused on strengthening performance in peacekeeping missions. This followed a debate on peacekeeping reform in September.

109. In November, the Council held an open debate on strengthening peacekeeping operations in Africa, at which the Secretary-General and the Commissioner for Peace and Security of the African Union gave briefings.

110. In December, the Council adopted resolution 2447 (2018), in which it focused on the police, justice and corrections component of United Nations peacekeeping operations.

111. In September, the Secretary-General briefed the Council on the links between corruption and conflict. In October, he briefed the Council on the role of natural resources in conflict. In March, the Deputy Secretary-General briefed the Council on the root causes of conflict in the Lake Chad basin, including water scarcity and climate change. In July, she briefed the Council on the complex nature of security risks related to climate change.

112. In November, the Council held an open debate on strengthening multilateralism and the role of the United Nations. The Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly, the President of the Economic and

Social Council and the President of the International Court of Justice delivered briefings on multilateralism and the role of the United Nations. Many Member States and international organizations participated in the debate, reaffirming their commitment to the purposes and principles of the Charter.

Other matters

113. The Council continued its consideration of its working methods, including through the implementation of the note by the President of the Council (S/2017/507). In January, the Council held an open debate on that issue.

114. On 30 August, the Council adopted its annual report (S/2018/797).

115. Throughout the year, the Council continued to receive regular briefings from the Chairs of its subsidiary bodies, including the regular briefing by the outgoing Chairs in December.

116. Lastly, Members of the Council were shocked and saddened by the passing away of the Permanent Representative of Côte d'Ivoire, Ambassador Bernard Tanoh-Boutchoué, in April and would like to take this opportunity to pass their condolences to the Mission of Côte d'Ivoire to the United Nations and the family and friends of Ambassador Tanoh-Boutchoué.

Part I

Activities relating to all questions considered by the Security Council under its responsibility for the maintenance of international peace and security

I Resolutions adopted by the Security Council in 2018

<i>Resolution number</i>	<i>Date of adoption</i>	<i>Subject</i>
2398 (2018)	30 January 2018	The situation in Cyprus
2399 (2018)	30 January 2018	The situation in the Central African Republic
2400 (2018)	8 February 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
2401 (2018)	24 February 2018	The situation in the Middle East
2402 (2018)	26 February 2018	The situation in the Middle East
2403 (2018)	28 February 2018	Date of election to fill a vacancy in the International Court of Justice
2404 (2018)	28 February 2018	The situation in Guinea-Bissau
2405 (2018)	8 March 2018	The situation in Afghanistan
2406 (2018)	15 March 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
2407 (2018)	21 March 2018	Non-proliferation/Democratic People's Republic of Korea
2408 (2018)	27 March 2018	The situation in Somalia
2409 (2018)	27 March 2018	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
2410 (2018)	10 April 2018	The question concerning Haiti
2411 (2018)	13 April 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
2412 (2018)	23 April 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
2413 (2018)	26 April 2018	Peacebuilding and sustaining peace
2414 (2018)	27 April 2018	The situation concerning Western Sahara
2415 (2018)	15 May 2018	The situation in Somalia
2416 (2018)	15 May 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
2417 (2018)	24 May 2018	Protection of civilians in armed conflict

2418 (2018)	31 May 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
2419 (2018)	6 June 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security
2420 (2018)	11 June 2018	The situation in Libya
2421 (2018)	14 June 2018	The situation concerning Iraq
2422 (2018)	27 June 2018	International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals
2423 (2018)	28 June 2018	The situation in Mali
2424 (2018)	29 June 2018	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
2425 (2018)	29 June 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
2426 (2018)	29 June 2018	The situation in the Middle East
2427 (2018)	9 July 2018	Children and armed conflict
2428 (2018)	13 July 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
2429 (2018)	13 July 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
2430 (2018)	26 July 2018	The situation in Cyprus
2431 (2018)	30 July 2018	The situation in Somalia
2432 (2018)	30 August 2018	The situation in Mali
2433 (2018)	30 August 2018	The situation in the Middle East
2434 (2018)	13 September 2018	The situation in Libya
2435 (2018)	13 September 2018	Identical letters dated 19 January 2016 from the Permanent Representative of Colombia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council (S/2016/53)
2436 (2018)	21 September 2018	United Nations peacekeeping operations
2437 (2018)	3 October 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security
2438 (2018)	11 October 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
2439 (2018)	30 October 2018	Peace and security in Africa
2440 (2018)	31 October 2018	The situation concerning Western Sahara
2441 (2018)	5 November 2018	The situation in Libya
2442 (2018)	6 November 2018	The situation in Somalia

2443 (2018)	6 November 2018	The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina
2444 (2018)	14 November 2018	The situation in Somalia
2445 (2018)	15 November 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
2446 (2018)	15 November 2018	The situation in the Central African Republic
2447 (2018)	13 December 2018	United Nations peacekeeping operations
2448 (2018)	13 December 2018	The situation in the Central African Republic
2449 (2018)	13 December 2018	The situation in the Middle East
2450 (2018)	21 December 2018	The situation in the Middle East
2451 (2018)	21 December 2018	The situation in the Middle East

II Statements by the President of the Security Council issued in 2018

<i>Statement by the President</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>
S/PRST/2018/1	18 January 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security
S/PRST/2018/2	19 January 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security
S/PRST/2018/3	30 January 2018	Peace consolidation in West Africa
S/PRST/2018/4	31 January 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PRST/2018/5	15 March 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PRST/2018/6	19 March 2018	International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals
S/PRST/2018/7	5 April 2018	The situation in Burundi
S/PRST/2018/8	19 April 2018	The situation in Liberia
S/PRST/2018/9	8 May 2018	Threats to international peace and security
S/PRST/2018/10	14 May 2018	United Nations peacekeeping operations
S/PRST/2018/11	6 June 2018	The situation in Libya
S/PRST/2018/12	6 June 2018	Letter dated 28 February 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Ukraine to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/136)
S/PRST/2018/13	7 June 2018	The situation in Somalia
S/PRST/2018/14	13 July 2018	The situation in the Central African Republic
S/PRST/2018/15	23 July 2018	The situation in Afghanistan
S/PRST/2018/16	10 August 2018	Peace consolidation in West Africa
S/PRST/2018/17	10 August 2018	Central African region
S/PRST/2018/18	21 September 2018	Protection of civilians in armed conflict
S/PRST/2018/19	11 December 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PRST/2018/20	18 December 2018	Peacebuilding and sustaining peace
S/PRST/2018/21	21 December 2018	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts

III

Communications from the President of the Security Council or the Secretary-General in 2018

The situation in Cyprus

- [S/2018/1000](#) 2 November 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
- [S/2018/1001](#) 7 November 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Items relating to the situation in the Middle East

United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon and Security Council resolution 1701 (2006)

- [S/2018/698](#) 10 July 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
- [S/2018/699](#) 12 July 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
- [S/2018/750](#) 30 July 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
- [S/2018/1182](#) 31 December 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Other matters relating to the situation in the Middle East

Syrian Arab Republic

- [S/2018/84](#) 1 February 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
- [S/2018/182](#) 1 March 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
- [S/2018/283](#) 28 March 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
- [S/2018/333](#) 11 April 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
- [S/2018/408](#) 1 May 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
- [S/2018/478](#) 17 May 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
- [S/2018/523](#) 1 June 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
- [S/2018/620](#) 19 June 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
- [S/2018/644](#) 27 June 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

S/2018/732	23 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/745	27 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/804	28 August 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/875	27 September 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/971	29 October 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1071	29 November 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1166	27 December 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Yemen

S/2018/126	13 February 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/127	15 February 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/272	27 March 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/305	4 April 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/740	25 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1134	20 December 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2019/28	31 December 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

The situation concerning Western Sahara

S/2018/761	7 August 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
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The situation in Somalia

S/2018/59	22 January 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/102	5 February 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/103	7 February 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

S/2018/674	5 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/716	17 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/725	19 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/832	7 September 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/833	11 September 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1115	13 December 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Items relating to the situation in the former Yugoslavia

The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina

S/2018/416	2 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/974	30 October 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1014	7 November 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

**Security Council resolutions [1160 \(1998\)](#), [1199 \(1998\)](#), [1203 \(1998\)](#), [1239 \(1999\)](#)
and [1244 \(1999\)](#)**

S/2018/98	6 February 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/497	22 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1051	26 November 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

The question concerning Haiti

S/2018/753	27 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/754	31 July 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

The situation in Afghanistan

S/2018/37	11 January 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
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International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals*

S/2018/190	1 March 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/191	6 March 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/255	19 March 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/626	22 June 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/627	26 June 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/652	29 June 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/756	2 August 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/963	25 October 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1151	19 December 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1152	21 December 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo

S/2018/49	18 January 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/338	10 April 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/339	12 April 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/412	1 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/528	1 June 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/727	18 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

* Pursuant to the note by the President of the Security Council dated 2 February 2018 (S/2018/90), the earlier consideration by the Council of issues under the items entitled “International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991” and “International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January 1994 and 31 December 1994” has been subsumed under the item entitled “International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals”.

S/2018/741	26 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/762	7 August 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/786	24 August 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/890	3 October 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/977	29 October 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1068	28 November 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

The situation in the Central African Republic

S/2018/168	28 February 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/463	15 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/752	31 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1034	19 November 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Children and armed conflict

S/2018/632	25 June 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/841	12 September 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

The situation in Guinea-Bissau

S/2018/151	20 February 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/420	1 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/421	3 May 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts

S/2018/514	24 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
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Security Council mission

S/2018/37	11 January 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/391	26 April 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/890	3 October 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Central African region

S/2018/789	24 August 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/790	28 August 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction

S/2018/512	29 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
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Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan

S/2018/223	14 March 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/297	29 March 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/298	3 April 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/379	20 April 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/442	9 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/612	13 June 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/685	10 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/776	20 August 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/778	20 August 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/955	24 October 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/979	31 October 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Peacebuilding and sustaining peace

[S/2018/75](#) 30 January 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

The situation concerning Iraq

[S/2018/479](#) 17 May 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/808](#) 29 August 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/809](#) 31 August 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Threats to international peace and security

[S/2018/63](#) 19 January 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/64](#) 24 January 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

[S/2018/118](#) 9 February 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/119](#) 13 February 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

[S/2018/773](#) 15 August 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

The situation in Myanmar

[S/2018/391](#) 26 April 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Non-proliferation/Democratic People's Republic of Korea

[S/2018/378](#) 19 April 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Maintenance of international peace and security

[S/2018/86](#) 2 March 2018 Identical letters from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council

Peace and security in Africa

[S/2018/196](#) 6 March 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/645](#) 25 June 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/646](#) 27 June 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

[S/2018/1095](#) 5 December 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/1096](#) 7 December 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and subregional organizations in maintaining international peace and security

[S/2018/645](#) 25 June 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/646](#) 27 June 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

[S/2018/1095](#) 5 December 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/1096](#) 7 December 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

The situation in Libya

[S/2018/13](#) 4 January 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/87](#) 1 February 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

The situation in Mali

[S/2018/57](#) 19 January 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/802](#) 28 August 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/803](#) 30 August 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

[S/2018/877](#) 28 September 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/945](#) 19 October 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/946](#) 22 October 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Identical letters dated 19 January 2016 from the Permanent Representative of Colombia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council ([S/2016/53](#))

[S/2018/498](#) 21 May 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/499](#) 24 May 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

[S/2018/1097](#) 5 December 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/1098](#) 7 December 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Flag installation ceremony for newly elected members

[S/2018/254](#) 31 January 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

The India-Pakistan question

[S/2018/659](#) 28 June 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/660](#) 2 July 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

The situation in Georgia

[S/2018/665](#) 2 July 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/666](#) 5 July 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Relations between Cameroon and Nigeria

[S/2018/1130](#) 12 December 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/1131](#) 17 December 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

The situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia

[S/2018/716](#) 17 July 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Relations between the Islamic Republic of Iran and the United States of America

[S/2018/899](#) 4 October 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Relations between Qatar and Bahrain, Egypt, Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates

[S/2018/755](#) 30 July 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

IV Meetings of the Security Council held in 2018

<i>Meeting record</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>
S/PV.8152	5 January 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8153	9 January 2018	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (S/2018/16)
S/PV.8154	10 January 2018	Identical letters dated 19 January 2016 from the Permanent Representative of Colombia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council (S/2016/53) Letter dated 8 December 2017 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2017/1037) Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Verification Mission in Colombia (S/2017/1117)
S/PV.8155	10 January 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan Report of the Secretary-General on the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (S/2017/1113) Assessment by the Chairperson of the African Union Commission and the Secretary-General of phase one of the reconfiguration of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (S/2018/12)
S/PV.8156	11 January 2018	Peace consolidation in West Africa Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the United Nations Office for West Africa and the Sahel (S/2017/1104)
S/PV.8157 (closed)	16 January 2018	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001) , annex II, sections A and B United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus
S/PV.8158	17 January 2018	Security Council mission Briefing by Security Council mission to Afghanistan (12–15 January 2018)
S/PV.8159	17 January 2018	The situation in Libya

Note: For closed meetings, a communiqué is issued in place of a verbatim record.

<i>Meeting record</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>
S/PV.8160	18 January 2018	Non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction Confidence-building measures Letter dated 2 January 2018 from the Permanent Representative of Kazakhstan to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/4)
S/PV.8161	18 January 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security
S/PV.8162	19 January 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security Building regional partnership in Afghanistan and Central Asia as a model to link security and development Letter dated 2 January 2018 from the Permanent Representative of Kazakhstan to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/7)
S/PV.8163	23 January 2018	The situation in Mali Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Mali (S/2017/1105)
S/PV.8164	23 January 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8165	24 January 2018	The situation in Somalia Report of the Secretary-General on Somalia (S/2017/1109)
S/PV.8166	24 January 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PV.8167	25 January 2018	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
S/PV.8168	30 January 2018	The situation in Cyprus Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations operation in Cyprus (S/2018/25)
S/PV.8169	30 January 2018	The situation in the Central African Republic Letter dated 6 December 2017 from the Panel of Experts on the Central African Republic extended pursuant to resolution 2339 (2017) addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2017/1023)
S/PV.8170	30 January 2018	Peace consolidation in West Africa
S/PV.8171	30 January 2018	The situation in the Middle East Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) and 2393 (2017) (S/2018/60)

<i>Meeting record</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>
S/PV.8172	31 January 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PV.8173	31 January 2018	Implementation of the note by the President of the Security Council (S/2017/507)
S/PV.8174	5 February 2018	The situation in the Middle East Letter dated 1 February 2018 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/84)
S/PV.8175	6 February 2018	Implementation of the note by the President of the Security Council (S/2017/507) Working methods of the Security Council Letter dated 24 January 2018 from the Permanent Representative of Kuwait to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/66)
S/PV.8176	7 February 2018	Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998) , 1199 (1998) , 1203 (1998) , 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999) Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo (S/2018/76)
S/PV.8177	8 February 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan Letter dated 28 December 2017 from the Panel of Experts on the Sudan established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2017/1125)
S/PV.8178	8 February 2018	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts Sixth report of the Secretary-General on the threat posed by ISIL (Da'esh) to international peace and security and the range of United Nations efforts in support of Member States in countering the threat (S/2018/80)
S/PV.8179	13 February 2018	The situation in Myanmar
S/PV.8180	13 February 2018	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
S/PV.8181	14 February 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8182	14 February 2018	The situation in Guinea-Bissau Report of the Secretary-General on developments in Guinea-Bissau and the activities of the United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in Guinea-Bissau (S/2018/110)

<i>Meeting record</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>
S/PV.8183	20 February 2018	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
S/PV.8184	20 February 2018	The situation concerning Iraq Seventeenth report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013) (S/2018/40) Report of the Secretary-General pursuant to resolution 2367 (2017) (S/2018/42)
S/PV.8185	21 February 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security Purposes and principles of the Charter of the United Nations in the maintenance of international peace and security Letter dated 1 February 2018 from the Permanent Representative of Kuwait to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/85)
S/PV.8186	22 February 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8187	22 February 2018	The situation in the Central African Republic Report of the Secretary-General on the Central African Republic (S/2018/125)
S/PV.8188	24 February 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8189	26 February 2018	The situation in Burundi Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Burundi (S/2018/89)
S/PV.8190	26 February 2018	The situation in the Middle East Letter dated 26 January 2018 from the Panel of Experts on Yemen mandated by Security Council resolution 2342 (2017) addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/68)*
S/PV.8191	27 February 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8192	27 February 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan Special report of the Secretary-General on the renewal of the mandate of the United Nations Mission in South Sudan (S/2018/143)

* A corrigendum ([S/2018/68/Corr.1](#)) was issued on 24 August 2018 to withdraw document [S/2018/68](#); the report of the Panel of Experts was issued under the symbol [S/2018/594](#).

<i>Meeting record</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>
S/PV.8193	28 February 2018	Date of election to fill a vacancy in the International Court of Justice Note by the Secretary-General concerning the date of an election to fill a vacancy in the International Court of Justice (S/2018/133)
S/PV.8194	28 February 2018	The situation in Guinea-Bissau Report of the Secretary-General on developments in Guinea-Bissau and the activities of the United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in Guinea-Bissau (S/2018/110)
S/PV.8195	28 February 2018	The situation in the Middle East Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) and 2393 (2017) (S/2018/138)
S/PV.8196 (closed)	6 March 2018	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001) , annex II, sections A and B United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo
S/PV.8197 (closed)	6 March 2018	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001) , annex II, sections A and B United Nations Mission in South Sudan
S/PV.8198	7 March 2018	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo Report of the Secretary-General on progress in the implementation of the 31 December 2016 political agreement (S/2018/128) Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (S/2018/174)
S/PV.8199	8 March 2018	The situation in Afghanistan Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security (S/2018/165)
S/PV.8200	8 March 2018	Briefing by the Chairperson-in-Office of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe
S/PV.8201	12 March 2018	The situation in the Middle East

<i>Meeting record</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>
S/PV.8202	14 March 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan Report of the Secretary-General on the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (S/2018/154)
S/PV.8203	14 March 2018	Letter dated 13 March 2018 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/218)
S/PV.8204	15 March 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan Special Report of the Secretary-General on the renewal of the mandate of the United Nations Mission in South Sudan (S/2018/143) Report of the Secretary-General on South Sudan (covering the period from 15 November 2017 to 16 February 2018) (S/2018/163)
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S/PV.8210	21 March 2018	Non-proliferation/Democratic People's Republic of Korea Note by the President of the Security Council (S/2018/171)*
S/PV.8211	21 March 2018	The situation in Libya Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Support Mission in Libya (S/2018/140)
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S/PV.8217	27 March 2018	The situation in the Middle East Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) and 2393 (2017) (S/2018/243)
S/PV.8218	28 March 2018	United Nations peacekeeping operations Collective action to improve United Nations peacekeeping operations Letter dated 2 March 2018 from the Permanent Representative of the Netherlands to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/184)
S/PV.8219	30 March 2018	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
S/PV.8220	3 April 2018	The question concerning Haiti Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Mission for Justice Support in Haiti (S/2018/241)
S/PV.8221	4 April 2018	The situation in the Middle East Letter dated 28 March 2018 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/283)
S/PV.8222 (closed)	5 April 2018	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001) , annex II, sections A and B United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara
S/PV.8223	5 April 2018	The situation in Burundi
S/PV.8224	5 April 2018	Letter dated 13 March 2018 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/218)

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S/PV.8227	10 April 2018	The situation in the Great Lakes region Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of the Peace, Security and Cooperation Framework for the Democratic Republic of the Congo and the region (S/2018/209)
S/PV.8228 and S/PV.8228 (Resumption 1)	10 April 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8229	11 April 2018	The situation in Mali Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Mali (S/2018/273)
S/PV.8230	12 April 2018	Non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction
S/PV.8231	13 April 2018	Threats to international peace and security The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8232	13 April 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PV.8233	14 April 2018	Threats to international peace and security The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8234	16 April 2018	Women and peace and security Preventing sexual violence in conflict through empowerment, gender equality and access to justice Report of the Secretary-General on conflict-related sexual violence (S/2018/250) Letter dated 2 April 2018 from the Permanent Representative of Peru to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/311)
S/PV.8235	17 April 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8236	17 April 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8237	18 April 2018	Letter dated 13 March 2018 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/218)

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S/PV.8239	19 April 2018	The situation in Liberia Final progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Mission in Liberia (S/2018/344)
S/PV.8240	23 April 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PV.8241	23 April 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security Youth, peace and security Identical letters dated 2 March 2018 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the general Assembly and the President of the Security Council (S/2018/86) Letter dated 6 April 2018 from the Permanent Representative of Peru to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/324)
S/PV.8242	25 April 2018	The situation in the Middle East Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018) (S/2018/369)
S/PV.8243	25 April 2018	Peacebuilding and sustaining peace Report of the Secretary-General on peacebuilding and sustaining peace (S/2018/43) Letter dated 9 April 2018 from the Permanent Representative of Peru to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/325)
S/PV.8244	26 April 2018	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
S/PV.8245	26 April 2018	Peacebuilding and sustaining peace Report of the Secretary-General on peacebuilding and sustaining peace (S/2018/43) Letter dated 9 April 2018 from the Permanent Representative of Peru to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/325)

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S/PV.8247	8 May 2018	Threats to international peace and security
S/PV.8248	8 May 2018	The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina Letter dated 2 May 2018 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/416)
S/PV.8249	8 May 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PV.8250	9 May 2018	The situation in Libya
S/PV.8251	9 May 2018	United Nations peacekeeping operations
S/PV.8252	10 May 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan Report of the Secretary-General on the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (S/2018/389)
S/PV.8253	14 May 2018	United Nations peacekeeping operations
S/PV.8254	14 May 2018	Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998) , 1199 (1998) , 1203 (1998) , 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999) Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo (S/2018/407)
S/PV.8255	14 May 2018	Security Council mission Briefing by Security Council mission to Bangladesh and Myanmar (28 April–2 May 2018)
S/PV.8256	15 May 2018	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
S/PV.8257	15 May 2018	The situation in Somalia Report of the Secretary-General on Somalia (S/2018/411)
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S/PV.8259	15 May 2018	The situation in Somalia Report of the Secretary-General on Somalia (S/2018/411)
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S/PV.8263	21 May 2018	The situation in Libya Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Support Mission in Libya (S/2018/429)
S/PV.8264	22 May 2018	Protection of civilians in armed conflict Letter dated 9 May 2018 from the Permanent Representative of Poland to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/444) Report of the Secretary-General on the protection of civilians in armed conflict (S/2018/462)
S/PV.8265	23 May 2018	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
S/PV.8266	23 May 2018	Peace and security in Africa Report of the Secretary-General on the Joint Force of the Group of Five for the Sahel (S/2018/432)
S/PV.8267	24 May 2018	Protection of civilians in armed conflict
S/PV.8268	24 May 2018	The situation in Burundi
S/PV.8269	29 May 2018	The situation in the Middle East Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018) (S/2018/484)
S/PV.8270	29 May 2018	Letter dated 28 February 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Ukraine to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/136)
S/PV.8271	30 May 2018	The situation concerning Iraq Eighteenth report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013) (S/2018/353) Report of the Secretary-General pursuant to resolution 2367 (2017) (S/2018/359)
S/PV.8272	30 May 2018	Threats to international peace and security
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S/PV.8275	6 June 2018	The situation in Libya
S/PV.8276	6 June 2018	Letter dated 28 February 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Ukraine to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/136)
S/PV.8277	6 June 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security
S/PV.8278	6 June 2018	International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals Letter dated 13 April 2018 from the President of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/347) Letter dated 17 May 2018 from the President of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/471)
S/PV.8279 (closed)	6 June 2018	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001) , annex II, sections A and B African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur
S/PV.8280	7 June 2018	The situation in Somalia
S/PV.8281 (closed)	7 June 2018	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001) , annex II, sections A and B United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali
S/PV.8282	11 June 2018	The situation in Libya
S/PV.8283	11 June 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan Special report of the Chairperson of the African Union Commission and the Secretary-General of the United Nations on the strategic review of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (S/2018/530)
S/PV.8284	13 June 2018	Central African region Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Central Africa and the activities of the United Nations Regional Office for Central Africa (S/2018/521)
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S/PV.8287	14 June 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PV.8288	14 June 2018	The situation in Mali Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Mali (S/2018/541)
S/PV.8289	19 June 2018	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
S/PV.8290	20 June 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PV.8291	21 June 2018	The situation in the Central African Republic Report of the Secretary-General on the Central African Republic (S/2018/611)
S/PV.8292	22 June 2018	Election of a member of the International Court of Justice Memorandum by the Secretary-General on the Election of a member of the International Court of Justice (S/2018/487) Note by the Secretary-General on the Election of a member of the International Court of Justice: list of nominations by national groups (S/2018/488) Note by the Secretary-General on the Election of a member of the International Court of Justice: curriculum vitae of the candidate (S/2018/489)
S/PV.8293	25 June 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security Comprehensive review of the situation in the Middle East and North Africa Letter dated 1 June 2018 from the Permanent Representative of the Russian Federation to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/524)
S/PV.8294	26 June 2018	The situation in Afghanistan Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security (S/2018/539)
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S/PV.8297	27 June 2018	Non-proliferation Letter dated 12 June 2018 from the Security Council Facilitator for the implementation of resolution 2231 (2015) addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/601) Fifth report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of Security Council resolution 2231 (2015) (S/2018/602) Letter dated 21 June 2018 from the Security Council Facilitator for the implementation of resolution 2231 (2015) addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/624)
S/PV.8298	28 June 2018	The situation in Mali Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Mali (S/2018/541)
S/PV.8299	28 June 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan Report of the Secretary-General on South Sudan (covering the period from 17 February to 3 June 2018) (S/2018/609)
S/PV.8300	29 June 2018	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo Letter dated 20 May 2018 from the Group of Experts on the Democratic Republic of the Congo addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/531)
S/PV.8301	29 June 2018	Peacebuilding and sustaining peace Report of the Peacebuilding Commission on its eleventh session (S/2018/83)
S/PV.8302	29 June 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan Special report of the Chairperson of the African Union Commission and the Secretary-General of the United Nations on the strategic review of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (S/2018/530)

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S/PV.8304	29 June 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security Mine action Report of the Secretary-General on Comprehensive approach to mine action (S/2018/623)
S/PV.8305	9 July 2018	Children and armed conflict Protecting children today prevents conflicts tomorrow Report of the Secretary-General on children and armed conflict (S/2018/465) Letter dated 21 June 2018 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Sweden to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/625)
S/PV.8306	10 July 2018	Peace and security in Africa
S/PV.8307	11 July 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security Understanding and addressing climate-related security risks
S/PV.8308 (closed)	12 July 2018	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001) , annex II, sections A and B United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus
S/PV.8309	13 July 2018	The situation in the Central African Republic
S/PV.8310	13 July 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PV.8311	13 July 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PV.8312	16 July 2018	The situation in Libya
S/PV.8313	17 July 2018	Peace consolidation in West Africa Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the United Nations Office for West Africa and the Sahel (S/2018/649)

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S/PV.8315	23 July 2018	The situation in Afghanistan
S/PV.8316	24 July 2018	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
S/PV.8317	26 July 2018	The situation in Cyprus Report of the Secretary-General on progress towards a settlement in Cyprus (S/2018/610) Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations operation in Cyprus (S/2018/676)
S/PV.8318	26 July 2018	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo Letter dated 1 June 2018 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/528) Letter dated 20 May 2018 from the Group of Experts on the Democratic Republic of the Congo addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/531) Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (S/2018/655) Letter dated 18 July 2018 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/727)
S/PV.8319	26 July 2018	Identical letters dated 19 January 2016 from the Permanent Representative of Colombia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council (S/2016/53) Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Verification Mission in Colombia (S/2018/723)
S/PV.8320	27 July 2018	The situation in the Middle East Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018) (S/2018/724)

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S/PV.8322	30 July 2018	The situation in Somalia
S/PV.8323	2 August 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8324	8 August 2018	The situation concerning Iraq Report of the Secretary-General pursuant to resolution 2367 (2017) (S/2018/677) Nineteenth report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013) (S/2018/683)
S/PV.8325	9 August 2018	The situation in Burundi
S/PV.8326 (closed)	9 August 2018	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001) , annex II, sections A and B United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon
S/PV.8327	10 August 2018	Peace consolidation in West Africa
S/PV.8328	10 August 2018	Central African region
S/PV.8329	22 August 2018	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
S/PV.8330	23 August 2018	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts Seventh report of the Secretary-General on the threat posed by ISIL (Da'esh) to international peace and security and the range of United Nations efforts in support of Member States in countering the threat (S/2018/770)
S/PV.8331	27 August 2018	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo Letter dated 7 August 2018 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/762)
S/PV.8332	28 August 2018	The situation in the Middle East Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018) (S/2018/777)
S/PV.8333	28 August 2018	The situation in Myanmar

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S/PV.8335	30 August 2018	Consideration of the draft report of the Security Council to the General Assembly
S/PV.8336	30 August 2018	The situation in Mali Letter dated 8 August 2018 from the Panel of Experts established pursuant to resolution 2374 (2017) on Mali addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/581)
S/PV.8337	30 August 2018	The situation in Guinea-Bissau Report of the Secretary-General on developments in Guinea-Bissau and the activities of the United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in Guinea-Bissau (S/2018/771)
S/PV.8338	30 August 2018	The situation in the Middle East Letter dated 30 July 2018 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/750)
S/PV.8339	4 September 2018	Implementation of the note by the President of the Security Council (S/2017/507)
S/PV.8340	5 September 2018	Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and subregional organizations in maintaining international peace and security The situation in Nicaragua
S/PV.8341	5 September 2018	The situation in Libya Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Support Mission in Libya (S/2018/780)
S/PV.8342	6 September 2018	The question concerning Haiti Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Mission for Justice Support in Haiti (S/2018/795)
S/PV.8343	6 September 2018	Letter dated 13 March 2018 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/218)

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S/PV.8346	10 September 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security Corruption and conflict
S/PV.8347	11 September 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8348	11 September 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8349	12 September 2018	United Nations peacekeeping operations
S/PV.8350	13 September 2018	The situation in Libya Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Support Mission in Libya (S/2018/780)
S/PV.8351	13 September 2018	Identical letters dated 19 January 2016 from the Permanent Representative of Colombia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council (S/2016/53)
S/PV.8352	13 September 2018	The situation in Somalia Report of the Secretary-General on Somalia (S/2018/800)
S/PV.8353	17 September 2018	Non-proliferation/Democratic People's Republic of Korea
S/PV.8354	17 September 2018	The situation in Afghanistan Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security (S/2018/824)
S/PV.8355	18 September 2018	The situation in the Middle East Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014), 2165 (2014), 2191 (2014), 2258 (2015), 2332 (2016), 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018) (S/2018/845)
S/PV.8356	18 September 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan Report of the Secretary-General on South Sudan (covering the period from 4 June to 1 September 2018) (S/2018/831)

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S/PV.8358	20 September 2018	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
S/PV.8359	21 September 2018	Protection of civilians in armed conflict
S/PV.8360	21 September 2018	United Nations peacekeeping operations
S/PV.8361	21 September 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8362	26 September 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security Non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction
S/PV.8363	27 September 2018	Non-proliferation/Democratic People's Republic of Korea
S/PV.8364	3 October 2018	Briefings by Chairs of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council
S/PV.8365	3 October 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security Report of the Secretary-General pursuant to Security Council resolution 2380 (2017) (S/2018/807)
S/PV.8366	3 October 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PV.8367 (closed)	9 October 2018	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001) , annex II, sections A and B United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara
S/PV.8368	10 October 2018	Identical letters dated 19 January 2016 from the Permanent Representative of Colombia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council (S/2016/53) Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Verification Mission in Colombia (S/2018/874)
S/PV.8369	11 October 2018	Security Council mission Briefing by Security Council mission to the Democratic Republic of the Congo (5–7 October 2018)

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S/PV.8371	11 October 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PV.8372	16 October 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security Root causes of conflict – the role of natural resources Letter dated 9 October 2018 from the Permanent Representative of the Plurinational State of Bolivia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/901)
S/PV.8373	17 October 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8374 (closed)	17 October 2018	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001) , annex II, sections A and B United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in the Central African Republic
S/PV.8375	18 October 2018	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
S/PV.8376	19 October 2018	The situation in Mali Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Mali (S/2018/866)
S/PV.8377	22 October 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan Report of the Secretary-General on the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (S/2018/912)
S/PV.8378	23 October 2018	The situation in the Central African Republic Report of the Secretary-General on the Central African Republic (S/2018/922)
S/PV.8379	23 October 2018	The situation in the Middle East
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S/PV.8381	24 October 2018	<p>The situation in Myanmar</p> <p>Letter dated 16 October 2018 from the representatives of Côte d'Ivoire, France, Kuwait, the Netherlands, Peru, Poland, Sweden, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/926)</p> <p>Letter dated 18 October 2018 from the Permanent Representatives of Bolivia (Plurinational State of), China, Equatorial Guinea and the Russian Federation to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/938)</p>
S/PV.8382	25 October 2018	<p>Women and peace and security</p> <p>Promoting the implementation of the women and peace and security agenda and sustaining peace through women's political and economic empowerment</p> <p>Report of the Secretary-General on women and peace and security (S/2018/900)</p> <p>Letter dated 9 October 2018 from the Permanent Representative of the Plurinational State of Bolivia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/904)</p>
S/PV.8383	26 October 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8384	29 October 2018	<p>The situation in the Middle East</p> <p>Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014), 2165 (2014), 2191 (2014), 2258 (2015), 2332 (2016), 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018) (S/2018/947)</p>
S/PV.8385	30 October 2018	Peace and security in Africa
S/PV.8386	30 October 2018	<p>Letter dated 28 February 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Ukraine to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/136)</p> <p>Letter dated 13 April 2014 from the Permanent Representative of the Russian Federation to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/264)</p>
S/PV.8387	31 October 2018	<p>The situation concerning Western Sahara</p> <p>Report of the Secretary-General on the situation concerning Western Sahara (S/2018/889)</p>
S/PV.8388	2 November 2018	The situation in Libya
S/PV.8389	5 November 2018	The situation in Libya

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<i>Meeting record</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>
S/PV.8390	5 November 2018	The situation in the Middle East Letter dated 29 October 2018 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/971)
S/PV.8391	6 November 2018	The situation in Somalia Report of the Secretary-General on the situation with respect to piracy and armed robbery at sea off the coast of Somalia (S/2018/903)
S/PV.8392	6 November 2018	The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina Letter dated 30 October 2018 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/974)
S/PV.8393	6 November 2018	United Nations peacekeeping operations Police commissioners
S/PV.8394	8 November 2018	The situation in Libya
S/PV.8395	9 November 2018	Maintenance of international peace and security Strengthening multilateralism and the role of the United Nations Letter dated 1 November 2018 from the Permanent Representative of China to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/982)
S/PV.8396	13 November 2018	The situation concerning Iraq Report of the Secretary-General pursuant to resolution 2421 (2018) (S/2018/975) Twentieth report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013) (S/2018/976)
S/PV.8397	13 November 2018	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
S/PV.8398	14 November 2018	The situation in Somalia Letter dated 7 November 2018 from the Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009) concerning Somalia and Eritrea addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/1002) Letter dated 7 November 2018 from the Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009) concerning Somalia and Eritrea addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/1003)

<i>Meeting record</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>
S/PV.8399	14 November 2018	Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998) , 1199 (1998) , 1203 (1998) , 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999) Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo (S/2018/981)
S/PV.8400	15 November 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PV.8401	15 November 2018	The situation in the Central African Republic Report of the Secretary-General on the Central African Republic (S/2018/922)
S/PV.8402	15 November 2018	Peace and security in Africa Report of the Secretary-General on the Joint Force of the Group of Five for the Sahel (S/2018/1006)
S/PV.8403	16 November 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PV.8404	16 November 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8405	19 November 2018	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
S/PV.8406	19 November 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8407	20 November 2018	Peace and security in Africa Strengthening peacekeeping operations in Africa Letter dated 9 November 2018 from the Permanent Representative of China to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/1004)
S/PV.8408	21 November 2018	The situation in Burundi Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Burundi (S/2018/1028)
S/PV.8409	26 November 2018	Adoption of the agenda
S/PV.8410	26 November 2018	Letter dated 28 February 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Ukraine to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/136)
S/PV.8411	29 November 2018	The situation in the Middle East Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018) (S/2018/1041)

<i>Meeting record</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>
S/PV.8412	4 December 2018	Threats to international peace and security Letter dated 15 November 2018 from the Special Adviser and Head of the United Nations Investigative Team to Promote Accountability for Crimes Committed by Da'esh/Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/1031)
S/PV.8413	5 December 2018	Peacebuilding and sustaining peace Post-conflict reconstruction and peace, security and stability Letter dated 28 November 2018 from the Permanent Representative of Côte d'Ivoire to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/1063)
S/PV.8414	6 December 2018	Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and subregional organizations in maintaining international peace and security The role of States, regional arrangements and the United Nations in the prevention and resolution of conflicts Letter dated 28 November 2018 from the Permanent Representative of Côte d'Ivoire to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2018/1064)
S/PV.8415	11 December 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PV.8416	11 December 2018	International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals Note by the Secretary-General on the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals (S/2018/569) Letter dated 19 November 2018 from the President of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/1033)
S/PV.8417 (closed)	11 December 2018	Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001) , annex II, sections A and B United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

<i>Meeting record</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>
S/PV.8418	12 December 2018	Non-proliferation Letter dated 30 November 2018 from the Security Council Facilitator for the implementation of resolution 2231 (2015) addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/1070) Sixth report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of Security Council resolution 2231 (2015) (S/2018/1089) Letter dated 11 December 2018 from the Security Council Facilitator for the implementation of resolution 2231 (2015) addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/1106)
S/PV.8419	12 December 2018	The question concerning Haiti Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Mission for Justice Support in Haiti (S/2018/1059)
S/PV.8420	13 December 2018	United Nations peacekeeping operations
S/PV.8421	13 December 2018	Central African region Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Central Africa and the activities of the United Nations Regional Office for Central Africa (S/2018/1065)
S/PV.8422	13 December 2018	The situation in the Central African Republic
S/PV.8423	13 December 2018	The situation in the Middle East Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018) (S/2018/1104)
S/PV.8424	14 December 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8425	14 December 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan
S/PV.8426	17 December 2018	The situation in Afghanistan Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security (S/2018/1092)
S/PV.8427	17 December 2018	Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998) , 1199 (1998) , 1203 (1998) , 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999) Letter dated 14 December 2018 from the Permanent Representative of Serbia to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2018/1111)
S/PV.8428	17 December 2018	Briefings by Chairs of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council

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S/PV.8429	18 December 2018	The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question
S/PV.8430	18 December 2018	Peacebuilding and sustaining peace
S/PV.8431	18 December 2018	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan Report of the Secretary-General on South Sudan (covering the period from 2 September to 30 November 2018) (S/2018/1103)
S/PV.8432	19 December 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8433	19 December 2018	Peace and security in Africa Drug trafficking in West Africa as a threat to stability
S/PV.8434	20 December 2018	The situation in the Middle East
S/PV.8435	20 December 2018	Peace and security in Africa United Nations integrated strategy for the Sahel, an integrated response to peacebuilding and sustaining peace in the Sahel
S/PV.8436	21 December 2018	The situation in the Middle East Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (S/2018/1088)
S/PV.8437	21 December 2018	Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts
S/PV.8438	21 December 2018	The situation in Guinea-Bissau Special report of the Secretary-General on the strategic assessment of the United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in Guinea-Bissau (S/2018/1086)
S/PV.8439	21 December 2018	The situation in the Middle East

V Meetings of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council held in 2018

Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission

Eighty-fourth session

25 April 2018

Eighty-fifth session

7 November 2018

Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions [751 \(1992\)](#) and [1907 \(2009\)](#) concerning Somalia and Eritrea¹

Informal consultations/meetings

15 January; 8 February; 20 April; 7 and 25 June; 20 July; 11 September; 1 and
12 October 2018

Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions [1267 \(1999\)](#), [1989 \(2011\)](#) and [2253 \(2015\)](#) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities

Informal consultations/meetings

12 January; 12 February; 9 March; 13 and 30 April; 21 May; 14 June; 13 July;
14 August; 17 October; 28 November; 21 December 2018

Joint informal consultations/meetings

12 February; 13 April; 28 November; 21 December 2018²

12 and 22 February; 9 and 29 March; 20 December 2018³

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution [1373 \(2001\)](#) concerning counter-terrorism

Formal/plenary meetings

25 January (327th); 22 February (328th); 29 March (329th); 19 April (330th);
24 (331st) and 29 May (332nd); 21 June (333rd); 18 July (334th); 13 September
(335th); 24 October (336th); 1 (337th) and 29 November (338th); 5 (339th),
13 (340th) and 20 December 2018 (341st)

¹ On 14 November 2018, the Security Council terminated the sanctions on Eritrea and renamed the Committee "Security Council Committee pursuant to resolution [751 \(1992\)](#) concerning Somalia" (see resolution [2444 \(2018\)](#)).

² Joint informal consultations with the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution [1988 \(2011\)](#).

³ Joint informal consultations with the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution [1373 \(2001\)](#) concerning counter-terrorism and the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution [1988 \(2011\)](#).

Joint informal consultations/meetings⁴

12 and 22 February; 9 and 29 March; 20 December 2018

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo

Formal/plenary meetings

30 April 2018 (10th)

Informal consultations/meetings

23 March; 30 April; 18 May; 31 August; 6 December 2018

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)

Formal/plenary meetings

4 April (78th); 3 August (79th); 27 November (80th); 19 December 2018 (81st)

Informal consultations/meetings

16 May; 7 June; 23 July; 30 October; 28 November 2018

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan

Formal/plenary meetings

2 February 2018 (9th)

Informal consultations/meetings

12 April; 13 June; 17 August; 24 October; 14 December 2018

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006)

Informal consultations/meetings

5 and 21 February; 30 April; 18 May; 20 and 24 August; 12 September 2018

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1970 (2011) concerning Libya

Informal consultations/meetings

9 February; 3 April; 25 May; 23 August 2018

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1988 (2011)

Informal consultations/meetings

15 May; 14 June; 12 November; 3 December 2018

⁴ Joint informal consultations with the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999), 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities and the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1988 (2011).

Joint informal consultations/meetings

12 February; 13 April; 28 November; 21 December 2018⁵

12 and 22 February; 9 and 29 March; 20 December 2018⁶

**Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2048 (2012)
concerning Guinea-Bissau**

Informal consultations/meetings

8 June; 16 July; 31 August 2018

**Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2127 (2013)
concerning the Central African Republic**

Informal consultations/meetings

23 February; 16 March; 25 May; 22 June; 20 July; 7 September; 12 November;
7 December 2018

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2140 (2014)

Informal consultations/meetings

23 January; 27 April; 10 August 2018

**Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2206 (2015)
concerning South Sudan**

Informal consultations/meetings

11 April; 25 July; 27 August; 14 September; 24 October; 15 November 2018

**Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2374 (2017)
concerning Mali**

Informal consultations/meetings

5 and 28 February; 8 June; 7 August; 12 September; 21 November 2018

Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations

Meetings

23 March; 26 June; 26 May; 16 July (joint meeting with Ad Hoc Working Group
on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa); 1 August; 7 November;
7 December 2018

⁵ Joint informal consultations with the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999), 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities.

⁶ Joint informal consultations with the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism and the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999), 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities.

Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa

Formal/plenary meetings

11 January; 9 February; 2 April; 31 May; 8 June; 16 July (joint meeting with Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations); 8 November 2018

Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict

Formal/plenary meetings

22 January (69th); 12 March (70th); 4 May (71st); 5 July (72nd); 7 August (73rd); 10 October (74th); 20 November (75th); 18 December 2018 (76th)

Informal consultations/meetings

26 March; 12 April; 24 and 31 July; 16 November; 4, 7 and 13 December 2018

Informal Working Group on Documentation and Other Procedural Questions

Meetings

9 March; 21 June; 18 July; 14 September 2018

Informal Working Group on International Tribunals

Meetings

4 June; 10 December 2018

VI Reports of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council issued in 2018

A. Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>
S/2018/398	26 April 2018
S/2018/1005	8 November 2018

B. Annual reports of committees

S/2018/1116	Security Council Committee pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) concerning Somalia
S/2018/1128	Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999) , 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities
S/2018/1127	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1518 (2003)
S/2018/1135	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1533 (2004) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo
S/2018/1122	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan
S/2018/1148	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006)
S/2018/1176	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1970 (2011) concerning Libya
S/2018/1118	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1988 (2011)
S/2018/1140	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2048 (2012) concerning Guinea-Bissau
S/2018/1136 and S/2018/1136/Rev.1	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2127 (2013) concerning the Central African Republic
S/2018/1125	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2140 (2014)
S/2018/1123	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2206 (2015) concerning South Sudan
S/2018/1124 and S/2018/1124/Rev.1	Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2374 (2017) concerning Mali

C. Annual reports of working groups

S/2018/1165	Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa
S/2018/1169	Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict
S/2018/1172	Informal Working Group on International Tribunals

VII Reports of panels and monitoring mechanisms issued in 2018

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
Analytical Support and Sanctions Monitoring Team		
S/2018/14 and S/2018/14/Rev.1	17 January 2018	Resolution 2368 (2017)
S/2018/466	16 May 2018	Resolution 2255 (2015)
S/2018/705	16 July 2018	Resolution 2368 (2017)
Central African Republic: Panel of Experts		
S/2018/729	23 July 2018	Resolution 2399 (2018)
S/2018/1119	14 December 2018	Resolution 2399 (2018)
Democratic Republic of the Congo: Group of Experts		
S/2018/531	20 May 2018	Resolution 2360 (2017)
S/2018/1133	18 December 2018	Resolution 2424 (2018)
Democratic People's Republic of Korea: Panel of Experts		
S/2018/171 and S/2018/171/Corr.1	5 March 2018	Resolution 2345 (2017)
Libya: Panel of Experts		
S/2018/812 and S/2018/812/Corr.1	5 September 2018	Resolution 2362 (2017)
Mali: Panel of Experts		
S/2018/581	8 August 2018	Resolution 2374 (2017)
Somalia and Eritrea: Monitoring Group*		
S/2018/1002	7 November 2018	Resolution 2385 (2017)
S/2018/1003	7 November 2018	Resolution 2385 (2017)
South Sudan: Panel of Experts		
S/2018/292	12 April 2018	Resolution 2353 (2017)
S/2018/1049	26 November 2018	Resolution 2428 (2018)
Yemen: Panel of Experts		
S/2018/192	22 January 2018	Resolution 2204 (2015)
S/2018/594	26 January 2018	Resolution 2342 (2017)
S/2018/193	27 January 2018	Resolution 2266 (2016)

* Mandate terminated as from 16 December 2018, pursuant to resolution [2444 \(2018\)](#).

VIII Reports of Security Council missions conducted in 2018

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Report</i>
S/2018/419	3 May 2018	Mission to Afghanistan (12–15 January 2018)
S/PV.8255	14 May 2018	Mission to Bangladesh and Myanmar (28 April–2 May 2018)
S/2018/1030	15 November 2018	Mission to the Democratic Republic of the Congo (5–7 October 2018)

IX Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated in 2018

<i>Peacekeeping operation</i>	<i>Established by resolution</i>	<i>Decisions adopted during the reporting period relating to the mandate of the operation</i>
United Nations Military Observer Group in India and Pakistan (UNMOGIP)	47 (1948)	None
United Nations Truce Supervision Organization (UNTSO)	50 (1948)	None
United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus (UNFICYP)	186 (1964)	2398 (2018) 2430 (2018)
United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (UNDOF)	350 (1974)	2426 (2018) 2450 (2018)
United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (UNIFIL)	425 (1978) 426 (1978)	2433 (2018)
United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara (MINURSO)	690 (1991)	2414 (2018) 2440 (2018)
United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo (UNMIK)	1244 (1999)	None
United Nations Mission in Liberia (UNMIL)*	1509 (2003)	None
African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (UNAMID)	1769 (2007)	2425 (2018) 2429 (2018)
United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUSCO)	1925 (2010)	2409 (2018)
United Nations Interim Security Force for Abyei (UNISFA)	1990 (2011)	2411 (2018) 2412 (2018) 2416 (2018) 2445 (2018)
United Nations Mission in South Sudan (UNMISS)	1996 (2011)	2406 (2018)
United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali (MINUSMA)	2100 (2013)	2423 (2018)
United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in the Central African Republic (MINUSCA)	2149 (2014)	2446 (2018) 2448 (2018)
United Nations Mission for Justice Support in Haiti (MINUJUSTH)	2350 (2017)	2410 (2018)

* Mandate terminated on 30 March 2018, pursuant to resolution [2333 \(2016\)](#).

X **Special political missions established, functioning or terminated in 2018**

<i>Mission or office</i>	<i>Established by</i>	<i>Decisions adopted during the reporting period relating to the mandate of the mission or office</i>
United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan (UNAMA)	1401 (2002)	2405 (2018)
United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq (UNAMI)	1500 (2003)	2421 (2018)
United Nations Regional Centre for Preventive Diplomacy for Central Asia	S/2007/280	None
United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in Guinea-Bissau (UNIOGBIS)	1876 (2009)	2404 (2018)
United Nations Regional Office for Central Africa (UNOCA)	S/2010/457	None
United Nations Office to the African Union (UNOAU)	General Assembly resolution 64/288	None
United Nations Support Mission in Libya (UNSMIL)	2009 (2011)	2434 (2018)
United Nations Assistance Mission in Somalia (UNSOM)	2102 (2013)	2408 (2018)
United Nations Office for West Africa and the Sahel (UNOWAS)	S/2016/89	None
United Nations Verification Mission in Colombia	2366 (2017)	2435 (2018)

XI Reports of the Secretary-General issued in 2018

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Subject</i>
S/2018/12	4 January 2018	Assessment by the Chairperson of the African Union Commission and the Secretary-General of phase one of the reconfiguration of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur
S/2018/16	5 January 2018	United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo
S/2018/25	9 January 2018	United Nations operation in Cyprus
S/2018/40	15 January 2018	Seventeenth report pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013)
S/2018/42	17 January 2018	Report pursuant to resolution 2367 (2017)
S/2018/43	18 January 2018	Peacebuilding and sustaining peace
S/2018/60	23 January 2018	Implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) and 2393 (2017)
S/2018/89	25 January 2018	The situation in Burundi
S/2018/76	31 January 2018	United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo
S/2018/80	31 January 2018	Sixth report on the threat posed by ISIL (Da'esh) to international peace and security and the range of United Nations efforts in support of Member States in countering the threat
S/2018/110	9 February 2018	Developments in Guinea-Bissau and the activities of the United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in Guinea-Bissau
S/2018/140	12 February 2018	United Nations Support Mission in Libya
S/2018/125	15 February 2018	Central African Republic
S/2018/128	15 February 2018	Progress in the implementation of the 31 December 2016 political agreement
S/2018/138	20 February 2018	Implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) and 2393 (2017)
S/2018/143	20 February 2018	Special report on the renewal of the mandate of the United Nations Mission in South Sudan
S/2018/136	21 February 2018	Children and armed conflict in Mali
S/2018/154	22 February 2018	African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur
S/2018/165	27 February 2018	The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security

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S/2018/163	28 February 2018	South Sudan (15 November 2017–6 February 2018)
S/2018/174	1 March 2018	United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo
S/2018/209	8 March 2018	Implementation of the Peace, Security and Cooperation Framework for the Democratic Republic of the Congo and the Region
S/2018/210	8 March 2018	Implementation of Security Council resolution 1701 (2006) (7 November 2017–28 February 2018)
S/2018/241	20 March 2018	United Nations Mission for Justice Support in Haiti
S/2018/243	20 March 2018	Implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) and 2393 (2017)
S/2018/244	20 March 2018	United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (25 November 2017–23 February 2018)
S/2018/250	23 March 2018	Conflict-related sexual violence
S/2018/273	29 March 2018	The situation in Mali
S/2018/277	29 March 2018	The situation concerning Western Sahara
S/2018/279	2 April 2018	United Nations Verification Mission in Colombia
S/2018/293	3 April 2018	The situation in Abyei
S/2018/344	13 April 2018	Final progress report on the United Nations Mission in Liberia
S/2018/359	17 April 2018	Report pursuant to Security Council resolution 2367 (2017)
S/2018/353	19 April 2018	Eighteenth report pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013)
S/2018/369	19 April 2018	Implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)
S/2018/389	25 April 2018	African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur
S/2018/407	1 May 2018	United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo
S/2018/411	2 May 2018	Somalia
S/2018/429	7 May 2018	United Nations Support Mission in Libya
S/2018/432	8 May 2018	Joint Force of the Group of Five for the Sahel
S/2018/451	11 May 2018	Implementation of resolution 2357 (2017)
S/2018/462	14 May 2018	Protection of civilians in armed conflict
S/2018/465	16 May 2018	Children and armed conflict

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S/2018/480	21 May 2018	Twenty-seventh semi-annual report on the implementation of Security Council resolution 1559 (2004)
S/2018/484	22 May 2018	Implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)
S/2018/502	25 May 2018	Children and armed conflict in the Democratic Republic of the Congo
S/2018/521	1 June 2018	The situation in Central Africa and the activities of the United Nations Regional Office for Central Africa
S/2018/525	1 June 2018	Responsibility to protect: from early warning to early action
S/2018/527	1 June 2018	United Nations Mission for Justice Support in Haiti
S/2018/530	1 June 2018	Special report of the Chairperson of the African Union Commission and the Secretary-General of the United Nations on the strategic review of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur
S/2018/539	6 June 2018	The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security
S/2018/541	6 June 2018	The situation in Mali
S/2018/550	11 June 2018	United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (23 February–23 May 2018)
S/2018/602	12 June 2018	Fifth report on the implementation of Security Council resolution 2231 (2015)
S/2018/609	14 June 2018	South Sudan (17 February–3 June 2018)
S/2018/610	14 June 2018	Progress towards a settlement in Cyprus
S/2018/611	18 June 2018	The situation in the Central African Republic
S/2018/614	18 June 2018	Implementation of Security Council resolution 2334 (2016)
S/2018/617	19 June 2018	Review of United Nations cross-border operations
S/2018/619	20 June 2018	Implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)
S/2018/623	21 June 2018	Comprehensive approach to mine action
S/2018/648	28 June 2018	Fourteenth report on the implementation of paragraph 6 of resolution 1956 (2010)
S/2018/649	29 June 2018	Activities of the United Nations Office for West Africa and the Sahel
S/2018/655	2 July 2018	United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo
S/2018/676	6 July 2018	United Nations operation in Cyprus

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Subject</i>
S/2018/678	6 July 2018	Strengthening the partnership between the United Nations and the African Union on issues of peace and security in Africa, including on the work of the United Nations Office to the African Union
S/2018/677	9 July 2018	Implementation of resolution 2367 (2017)
S/2018/683	10 July 2018	Nineteenth report pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013)
S/2018/703	13 July 2018	Implementation of Security Council resolution 1701 (2006) (1 March–20 June 2018)
S/2018/723	20 July 2018	United Nations Verification Mission in Colombia
S/2018/724	20 July 2018	Implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)
S/2018/747	30 July 2018	United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo
S/2018/566	10 August 2018	Causes of conflict and the promotion of durable peace and sustainable development in Africa
S/2018/770	16 August 2018	Seventh report on the threat posed by ISIL (Da'esh) to international peace and security and the range of United Nations efforts in support of Member States in countering the threat
S/2018/771	16 August 2018	Developments in Guinea-Bissau and the activities of the United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in Guinea-Bissau
S/2018/592	17 August 2018	Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations
S/2018/777	22 August 2018	Implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)
S/2018/780	24 August 2018	United Nations Support Mission in Libya
S/2018/597	27 August 2018	Peaceful settlement of the question of Palestine
S/2018/791	28 August 2018	Progress made with regard to the stabilization and restoration of constitutional order in Guinea-Bissau
S/2018/795	30 August 2018	United Nations Mission for Justice Support in Haiti
S/2018/800	30 August 2018	Somalia
S/2018/807	31 August 2018	Implementation of resolution 2380 (2017)
S/2018/824 and S/2018/824/ Rev.1	10 September and 10 December 2018	The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Subject</i>
S/2018/831	11 September 2018	South Sudan (4 June–1 September 2018)
S/2018/845	14 September 2018	Implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)
S/2018/865	25 September 2018	Children and armed conflict in South Sudan
S/2018/866	25 September 2018	The situation in Mali
S/2018/867	26 September 2018	United Nations Disengagement Observer Force
S/2018/874	28 September 2018	United Nations Verification Mission in Colombia
S/2018/882	1 October 2018	United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo
S/2018/886	2 October 2018	Implementation of the Peace, Security and Cooperation Framework for the Democratic Republic of the Congo and the Region
S/2018/889	3 October 2018	Situation concerning Western Sahara
S/2018/900	9 October 2018	Women and peace and security
S/2018/903	10 October 2018	The situation with respect to piracy and armed robbery at sea off the coast of Somalia
S/2018/912	12 October 2018	African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur
S/2018/919	15 October 2018	Mission of good offices of the Secretary-General in Cyprus
S/2018/920	15 October 2018	Twenty-eighth semi-annual report on the implementation of Security Council resolution 1559 (2004)
S/2018/922	15 October 2018	Central African Republic (15 June–15 October 2018)
S/2018/923	16 October 2018	Situation in Abyei
S/2018/947	23 October 2018	Implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)
S/2018/956	29 October 2018	Children and armed conflict in Myanmar
S/2018/958	29 October 2018	Special report on the role of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire
S/2018/969	30 October 2018	Children and armed conflict in the Syrian Arab Republic
S/2018/975	31 October 2018	Implementation of resolution 2421 (2018)
S/2018/976	31 October 2018	Twentieth report pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013)
S/2018/981	1 November 2018	United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo
S/2018/1006	12 November 2018	Joint Force of the Group of Five for the Sahel
S/2018/1028	15 November 2018	The situation in Burundi

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Subject</i>
S/2018/1029	15 November 2018	Implementation of Security Council resolution 1701 (2006) (21 June–26 October 2018)
S/2018/1041	21 November 2018	Implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)
S/2018/1042	21 November 2018	Trafficking in persons in armed conflict pursuant to Security Council resolution 2388 (2017)
S/2018/1059	28 November 2018	United Nations Mission for Justice Support in Haiti
S/2018/1065	29 November 2018	The situation in Central Africa and the activities of the United Nations Regional Office for Central Africa
S/2018/1086	6 December 2018	Special report on the strategic assessment of the United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in Guinea-Bissau
S/2018/1088	6 December 2018	United Nations Disengagement Observer Force
S/2018/1089 and S/2018/1089/ Corr.1	6 and 31 December 2018	Sixth report on the implementation of Security Council resolution 2231 (2015)
S/2018/1092	7 December 2018	The situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security
S/2018/1103	10 December 2018	South Sudan (2 September–30 November 2018)
S/2018/1104	11 December 2018	Implementation of Security Council resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)
S/2018/1149	21 December 2018	Somalia
S/2018/1159	26 December 2018	United Nations Verification Mission in Colombia
S/2018/1173	28 December 2018	Status of implementation of Security Council resolution 2451 (2018)
S/2018/1174	28 December 2018	The situation in Mali
S/2018/1175	28 December 2018	Activities of the United Nations Office for West Africa and the Sahel
S/2018/1183	31 December 2018	United Nations policing

XII
**Summary statements by the Secretary-General of matters of
which the Security Council was seized in 2018**

[S/2018/10](#) and [S/2018/10/Add.1-52](#)

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Notes by the President of the Security Council issued in 2018

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>
S/2018/2 ; S/2018/2/Rev.1 ; S/2018/2/Rev.2 ;	2 and 12 January; 13 July 2018	Bureaux of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council
S/2018/90	2 February 2018	Item entitled “International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals”
S/2018/171 and S/2018/171/Corr.1	5 March and 27 June 2018	Report of the Panel of Experts established pursuant to resolution 1874 (2009)
S/2018/205	8 March 2018	Report of the Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency concerning verification and monitoring in the Islamic Republic of Iran in the light of Security Council resolution 2231 (2015)
S/2018/540	6 June 2018	Report of the Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency concerning verification and monitoring in the Islamic Republic of Iran in the light of Security Council resolution 2231 (2015)
S/2018/797	31 August 2018	Adoption of the annual report of the Security Council to the General Assembly
S/2018/835	12 September 2018	Report of the Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency concerning verification and monitoring in the Islamic Republic of Iran in the light of Security Council resolution 2231 (2015)
S/2018/1048	26 November 2018	Report of the Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency concerning verification and monitoring in the Islamic Republic of Iran in the light of Security Council resolution 2231 (2015)

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Monthly assessments by former Presidents of the work of the Security Council in 2018*

January	Kazakhstan	S/2018/575
February	Kuwait	—
March	Netherlands	S/2018/589
April	Peru	S/2018/1015
May	Poland	—
June	Russian Federation	—
July	Sweden	—
August	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	S/2019/236
September	United States of America	—
October	Plurinational State of Bolivia	—
November	China	S/2019/122
December	Côte d'Ivoire	—

* Monthly assessments not available at the time of issuance of the present report will be posted on the Security Council website as they become available.

Part II

Questions considered by the Security Council under its responsibility for the maintenance of international peace and security

Chapter 1

The situation in Cyprus

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8168 (30 January); 8317 (26 July)

(see also part II, chapter 21.A)

Consultations of the whole

17 January; 17 July; 30 October 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2398 \(2018\)](#); [2430 \(2018\)](#)

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus

Resolution 186 (1964)	Established
Resolution 2398 (2018)	Mandate extended until 31 July 2018
Resolution 2430 (2018)	Mandate extended until 31 January 2019

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/25	9 January 2018	Resolution 186 (1964) and subsequent resolutions, including resolution 2369 (2017)
S/2018/610	14 June 2018	Resolution 2398 (2018)
S/2018/676	6 July 2018	Resolution 186 (1964) and subsequent resolutions, including resolution 2398 (2018)
S/2018/919	15 October 2018	Resolution 2430 (2018)

Communications

S/2018/38	15 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2018/97	5 February 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2018/96	6 February 2018	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2018/149	20 February 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2018/176	2 March 2018	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2018/299	29 March 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2018/289	2 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2018/436	30 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2018/549	8 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2018/613	8 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2018/608	14 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2018/679	25 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2018/672	5 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/681	9 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2018/571	31 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2018/760	7 August 2018	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2018/792	29 August 2018	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2018/861	18 September 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General

S/2018/915	11 October 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1000	2 November 2018	Letter from Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1001	7 November 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1023	14 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1040	20 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1058	26 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1078	28 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1066	29 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Cyprus to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1179	28 December 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General

Chapter 2

Items relating to the situation in the Middle East

A. The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8167 (25 January); 8183 (20 February); 8214 (26 March); 8219 (30 March); 8244 (26 April); 8256 (15 May); 8265 (23 May); 8274 (1 June); 8289 (19 June); 8316 (24 July); 8329 (22 August); 8358 (20 September); 8375 (18 October); 8405 (19 November); 8429 (18 December)

Consultations of the whole

14 February; 26 March; 23 May; 19 June; 22 August; 13 November; 18 December 2018

Draft resolutions considered at a formal meeting and not adopted

[S/2018/516](#) and [S/2018/520](#) (8274th meeting, 1 June 2018)

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/614	18 June 2018	Resolution 2334 (2016)
S/2018/597	27 August 2018	General Assembly resolution 72/14

Communications

S/2018/18	5 January 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/28	9 January 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/113	12 February 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/132	16 February 2018	Letter from the representative of Israel to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/180	2 March 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/195	6 March 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/275	28 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/282	30 March 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/284	31 March 2018	Letter from the representative of Israel to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/296	3 April 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/304	5 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/329	6 April 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/365	13 April 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/377	20 April 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/400	27 April 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/413	2 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Israel to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/426	4 May 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/452	11 May 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/457	13 May 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/454	14 May 2018	Letter from the representatives of the Plurinational State of Bolivia, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Equatorial Guinea, France, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, the Netherlands, Peru and Sweden to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/458	14 May 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/470	17 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Cuba to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/485	22 May 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/505	25 May 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/509	29 May 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/510	29 May 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/529	1 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/537	5 June 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/548	7 June 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/557	11 June 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/668	5 July 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/710	17 July 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/746	27 July 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/584	9 August 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/766	10 August 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/782	24 August 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/823	7 September 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/858	19 September 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/883	1 October 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/895	7 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/921	15 October 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/928	16 October 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/957	26 October 2018	Letter from the representatives of France, the Netherlands, Sweden and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/968	30 October 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1012	12 November 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1017	13 November 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1107	11 December 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1113	14 December 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1114	14 December 2018	Identical letters from the observer of the State of Palestine to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1141	20 December 2018	Letter from the representative of Kuwait to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1150	21 December 2018	Letter from the representatives of Belgium, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, China, Côte d'Ivoire, Equatorial Guinea, France, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, the Netherlands, Peru, South Africa and Sweden to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

B. The situation in the Middle East

1. United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8303 (29 June); 8436 (21 December)

(see also part II, chapter 21.B)

Consultations of the whole

27 March; 19 June; 16 October; 14 December 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2426 \(2018\)](#); [2450 \(2018\)](#)

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Truce Supervision Organization

Resolution [50 \(1948\)](#) Established

(A number of military observers are assigned to the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force)

United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

Resolution [350 \(1974\)](#) Established

Resolution [2426 \(2018\)](#) Mandate extended until 31 December 2018

Resolution [2450 \(2018\)](#) Mandate extended until 30 June 2019

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<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/244	20 March 2018	Resolution 350 (1974) and subsequent resolutions, including resolution 2394 (2017)
S/2018/550	11 June 2018	Resolution 350 (1974) and subsequent resolutions, including resolution 2394 (2017)
S/2018/867	26 September 2018	Resolution 350 (1974) and subsequent resolutions, including resolution 2426 (2018)
S/2018/1088	6 December 2018	Resolution 350 (1974) and subsequent resolutions, including resolution 2426 (2018)

Communications

S/2018/88	2 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/100	7 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/141	20 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/317	9 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/346	12 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/447	10 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/686	11 July 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/578	6 August 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/821	5 September 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/819	6 September 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/826	8 September 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/849	16 September 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/898	8 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/906	10 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/911	11 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/935	15 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/940	19 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/973	30 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/1036	19 November 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1077	2 December 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1154	24 December 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1158	26 December 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1160	26 December 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

2. United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon and Security Council resolution [1701 \(2006\)](#)

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8338 (30 August); 8432 (19 December)

(see also part II, chapter 21.C)

Consultations of the whole

20 March; 23 July; 15 August; 21 November; 13 December 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2433 \(2018\)](#)

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Truce Supervision Organization

Resolution [50 \(1948\)](#) Established

(A number of military observers are assigned to the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon)

United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon

Resolutions [425 \(1978\)](#) Established
and [426 \(1978\)](#)

Resolution [2433 \(2018\)](#) Mandate extended until 31 August 2019

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/210	8 March 2018	Resolution 1701 (2006)
S/2018/703	13 July 2018	Resolution 1701 (2006)

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/1029	15 November	Resolution 1701 (2006)
Communications		
S/2018/31	9 January 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/91	5 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/109	8 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/204	1 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/320	3 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/336	6 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/342	10 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/345	12 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/358	13 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/450	11 May 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/517	29 May 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/543	7 June 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/706	29 June 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/698	10 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/699	12 July 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/759	29 July 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/750	30 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/577	6 August 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/840	4 September 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/822	5 September 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/876	21 September 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/936	15 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/962	16 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1037	19 November 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1069	27 November 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1082	4 December 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1083	4 December 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1091	6 December 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/1181	21 December 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1162	26 December 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1170	27 December 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1182	31 December 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

3. Security Council resolution [1559 \(2004\)](#)

Consultations of the whole

24 May; 30 October 2018

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/480	21 May 2018	Resolution 1559 (2004)
S/2018/920	15 October 2018	Resolution 1559 (2004)

Communications

S/2018/450	11 May 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/960	26 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1018	12 November 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Lebanon to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

4. Other matters relating to the situation in the Middle East

(a) Syrian Arab Republic

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8164 (23 January); 8171 (30 January); 8174 (5 February); 8181 (14 February); 8186 (22 February); 8188 (24 February); 8195 (28 February); 8201 (12 March); 8206 (16 March); 8209* (19 March); 8217 (27 March); 8221 (4 April); 8228 (10 April); 8236 (17 April); 8242 (25 April); 8260 (16 May); 8269 (29 May); 8296 (27 June); 8320 (27 July); 8332 (28 August); 8344 (6 September); 8345 (7 September); 8347 (11 September); 8355 (18 September); 8373 (17 October); 8383 (26 October); 8384 (29 October); 8390 (5 November); 8406 (19 November); 8411 (29 November); 8423 (13 December); 8434 (20 December)

Consultations of the whole

9, 22 and 30 January; 8, 14, 23 and 28 February; 7, 16 and 27 March; 9, 10 and 25 April; 7, 16 and 29 May; 5, 11 and 13 June; 3, 5 and 25 July; 2 and 28 August; 9 and 11 October; 16 and 29 November; 4 December 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2401 \(2018\)](#); [2449 \(2018\)](#)

Draft resolutions considered at a formal meeting and not adopted

[S/2018/175](#), [S/2018/321](#) and [S/2018/322](#) (8228th meeting, 10 April 2018)

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/60	23 January 2018	Resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) and 2393 (2017)
S/2018/138	20 February 2018	Resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) and 2393 (2017)
S/2018/243	20 March 2018	Resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) and 2393 (2017)
S/2018/369	19 April 2018	Resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)
S/2018/484	22 May 2018	Resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)
S/2018/617	19 June 2018	Resolution 2393 (2017)
S/2018/619	20 June 2018	Resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)
S/2018/724	20 July 2018	Resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)
S/2018/777	22 August 2018	Resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)
S/2018/845	14 September 2018	Resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)
S/2018/947	23 October 2018	Resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/1041	21 November 2018	Resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)
S/2018/1104	11 December 2018	Resolutions 2139 (2014) , 2165 (2014) , 2191 (2014) , 2258 (2015) , 2332 (2016) , 2393 (2017) and 2401 (2018)

Communications

S/2018/1	2 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/17	5 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/27	9 January 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/30	10 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/35	10 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the United States of America to the Secretary-General
S/2018/39	15 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/51	19 January 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/53	20 January 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Turkey to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/54	22 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/61	23 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/67	26 January 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/70	26 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/71	28 January 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/79	31 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General

S/2018/82	1 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/84	1 February 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/99	6 February 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/100	7 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/104	7 February 2018	Letter from the representative of France to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/92	8 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/106	8 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic the United Nations to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/111	10 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/112	12 February 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/121	14 February 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/131	16 February 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/134	19 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/135	20 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/141	20 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/142	20 February 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/144	21 February 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General

S/2018/147	21 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/148	21 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/152	21 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/155	23 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/159	26 February 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/161	27 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/162	27 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/167	27 February 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/170	27 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/169	28 February 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/172	28 February 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/173	1 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/182	1 March 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/177	2 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/181	2 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/183	5 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/186	5 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General

S/2018/187	6 March 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/189	6 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/194	6 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/197	6 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/201	7 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/202	7 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/203	7 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/211	9 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/212	9 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/216	12 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/219	13 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/220	13 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/222	14 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/224	14 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/225	15 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/229	15 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/230	16 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/231	16 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/233	16 March 2018	Letter from the representatives of the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Russian Federation and Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2018/234	16 March 2018	Letter from the representatives of France, Kuwait, the Netherlands, Peru, Poland, Sweden, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/239	19 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/240	19 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/246	20 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/247	20 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/248	20 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/249	21 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/251	21 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/253	22 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/256	22 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/259	23 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/261	25 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/262	26 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/263	26 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/265	26 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/267	27 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/268	27 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/271	27 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/276	28 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/283	28 March 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/281	29 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/287	2 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/294	3 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/303	4 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/307	5 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/313	6 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/315	6 April 2018	Letter from the representatives of the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Russian Federation and Turkey to the Secretary-General
S/2018/316	8 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/317	9 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/319	9 April 2018	Letter from the representative of France to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/327	9 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Qatar to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/323	10 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General

S/2018/326	10 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/328	10 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/477	10 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Switzerland to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/332	11 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/333	11 April 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/334	11 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/349	13 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/351	13 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/352	14 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/354	14 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Kazakhstan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/356	16 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/357	17 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/366	18 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/368	18 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/370	19 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/372	19 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/382	23 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General

S/2018/385	24 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/387	24 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/388	24 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/392	26 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/393	26 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/396	26 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/397	26 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/403	26 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/402	27 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/406	30 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/408	1 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/409	1 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/410	1 May 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/414	2 May 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/415	2 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/418	3 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/423	3 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the President of the Security Council

S/2018/427	4 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/431	7 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/438	8 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/443	10 May 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/447	10 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/449	10 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/456	11 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/460	14 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/464	15 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/467	16 May 2018	Letter from the representative of France to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/469	16 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/472	17 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/476	17 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/478	17 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/481	18 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/483	21 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/491	22 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/493	23 May 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/495	23 May 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/603	23 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/501	24 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/506	25 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/507	27 May 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/513	29 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/519	31 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/522	1 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/523	1 June 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/534	4 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/535	4 June 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/538	5 June 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/544	6 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/551	8 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/555	11 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/605	12 June 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/615	14 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/616	18 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/620	19 June 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

S/2018/622	20 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/629	22 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/630	22 June 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/633	25 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/637	26 June 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/642	27 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/644	27 June 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/651	29 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/657	2 July 2018	Letter from the representative of France to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/661	2 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/664	5 July 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/670	5 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/682	9 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/690	11 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/697	12 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/700	12 July 2018	Letter from the representatives of Germany and Turkey to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/701	12 July 2018	Letter from the representative of France to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/702	13 July 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/704	13 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/707	16 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/717	18 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/728	20 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/565	23 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Greece to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/730	23 July 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/731	23 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/732	23 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/733	24 July 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/734	24 July 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/735	24 July 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/739	25 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/743	27 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/745	27 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/751	31 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/757	3 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/758	6 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/763	8 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General

S/2018/764	9 August 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/765	10 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/768	13 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/769	15 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/591	17 August 2018	Letter from the representatives of Liechtenstein and Qatar to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/772	17 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/774	20 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/775	22 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/781	24 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/783	27 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/784	27 August 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/787	28 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/804	28 August 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/793	29 August 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/798	29 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/806	31 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/811	4 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/816	5 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the Netherlands to the President of the Security Council

S/2018/825	7 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/827	10 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/828	10 September 2018	Letter from the representatives of the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Russian Federation and Turkey to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/838	12 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/839	12 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/844	13 September 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/848	14 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/850	17 September 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/851	17 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/852	18 September 2018	Letter from the representatives of the Russian Federation and Turkey to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/860	19 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/863	24 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/878	26 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/869	26 September 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/875	27 September 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/884	1 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/892	3 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/894	5 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General

S/2018/897	8 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/907	10 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/914	12 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/916	14 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/918	15 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/933	18 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/941	22 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/942	22 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/995	22 October 2018	Letter from the representative of Kazakhstan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/952	25 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/964	29 October 2018	Letter from the representatives of France, Germany, the Russian Federation and Turkey to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/965	29 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/966	29 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/971	29 October 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/972	30 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/980	31 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/983	31 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/987	2 November 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/992	5 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/998	7 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1007	9 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1009	10 November 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1011	12 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1020	13 November 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1027	14 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1032	16 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1038	19 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1043	21 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1045	25 November 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1050	26 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1055	28 November 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1060	28 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1071	29 November 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1072	30 November 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1074	30 November 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/1076	30 November 2018	Letter from the representatives of the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Russian Federation and Turkey to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1080	3 December 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1084	5 December 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1099	7 December 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1100	10 December 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1117	14 December 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1126	17 December 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1129	17 December 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1137	18 December 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1138	19 December 2018	Letter from the representatives of the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Russian Federation and Turkey to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1142	19 December 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1157	24 December 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1163	26 December 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1166	27 December 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

(b) Yemen

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8190 (26 February); 8191 (27 February); 8205 (15 March); 8235 (17 April); 8323 (2 August); 8348 (11 September); 8361 (21 September); 8379 (23 October); 8404 (16 November); 8424 (14 December); 8439 (21 December)

Consultations of the whole

27 February; 11, 14 and 18 June; 5 July; 10 August; 11 September 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2402 \(2018\)](#); [2451 \(2018\)](#)

Draft resolutions considered at a formal meeting and not adopted[S/2018/156](#) (8190th meeting, 26 February 2018)**Reports of the Secretary-General**

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/1173	28 December 2018	Resolution 2451 (2018)

Presidential statements[S/PRST/2018/5](#)**Reports of the Panel of Experts on Yemen**

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/192	22 January 2018	Resolution 2204 (2015)
S/2018/594	26 January 2018	Resolution 2342 (2017)
S/2018/193	27 January 2018	Resolution 2266 (2016)

Communications

S/2018/19	5 January 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/52	19 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/55	22 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/192	22 January 2018	Letter from the Panel of Experts on Yemen established pursuant to Security Council resolution 2140 (2014) to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/62	23 January 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/69	26 January 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/594	26 January 2018	Letter from the Panel of Experts on Yemen mandated by Security Council resolution 2342 (2017) to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/193	27 January 2018	Letter from the Panel of Experts on Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/93	5 February 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the President of the Security Council

S/2018/126	13 February 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/123	15 February 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/127	15 February 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/145	21 February 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/242	20 March 2018	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/266	26 March 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/272	27 March 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/278	29 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/300	3 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/305	4 April 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/335	12 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the Secretary-General
S/2018/337	12 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/343	12 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/350	13 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/367	17 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/384	23 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/386	23 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/401	27 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the President of the Security Council

S/2018/422	30 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/423	3 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/424	4 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/428	4 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/440	8 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/448	10 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/490	21 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/533	4 June 2018	Identical letters from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/606	13 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/607	13 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/618	19 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/621	20 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/636	26 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/675	6 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/713	19 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/740	25 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/561	26 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the President of the Security Council

S/2018/563	26 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/573	3 August 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/580	8 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/588	14 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/595	24 August 2018	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/794	29 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/847	14 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/864	21 September 2018	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/878	26 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/996	7 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/999	7 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1026	14 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1035	19 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1039	20 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1121	17 December 2018	Letter from the representative of Yemen to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1125	17 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2140 (2014) to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1134	20 December 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/1180](#) 31 December 2018 Letter from the representatives of Saudi Arabia, the United Arab Emirates and Yemen to the President of the Security Council

[S/2019/28](#) 31 December 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

(c) Islamic Republic of Iran

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8152 (5 January)

Consultations of the whole

5 January 2018

Chapter 3

The situation concerning Western Sahara

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8246 (27 April); 8387 (31 October) (see also part II, chapter 21.D)

Consultations of the whole

21 March; 17 April; 8 August; 11 October 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2414 \(2018\)](#); [2440 \(2018\)](#)

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara

Resolution 690 (1991)	Established
Resolution 2414 (2018)	Mandate extended until 31 October 2018
Resolution 2440 (2018)	Mandate extended until 30 April 2019

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<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/277	29 March 2018	Resolution 2351 (2017)
S/2018/889	3 October 2018	Resolution 2414 (2018)

Communications

S/2018/285	1 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Morocco to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/306	3 April 2018	Note verbale from the Permanent Mission of Namibia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/473	17 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Morocco to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/482	21 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Morocco to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/656	28 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Namibia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/654	29 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Morocco to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/663	3 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Morocco to the President of the Security Council

S/2018/673	6 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Namibia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/711	17 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Namibia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/761	7 August 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/908	11 October 2018	Letter from the representative of Namibia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/910 and S/2018/910/ Rev.1	11 and 24 October 2018	Letter from the representative of Namibia to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 4

United Nations peacekeeping operations

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8218 (28 March); 8251 (9 May); 8253 (14 May); 8349 (12 September); 8360 (21 September); 8393 (6 November); 8420 (13 December)

Resolutions adopted

[2436 \(2018\)](#); [2447 \(2018\)](#)

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<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/1183	31 December 2018	Resolution 2382 (2017)

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Communications

S/2018/184	2 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Netherlands to the Secretary-General
S/2018/815	31 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General

Chapter 5

The situation in Liberia

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8239 (19 April)

Presidential statements

[S/PRST/2018/8](#)

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Mission in Liberia

Resolution [1509 \(2003\)](#) Established

Resolution [2333 \(2016\)](#) Mandate terminated on 30 March 2018

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/344	13 April 2018	Resolution 2333 (2016)

Chapter 6

The situation in Somalia

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8165 (24 January); 8215 (27 March); 8257 and 8259 (15 May); 8280 (7 June); 8321 and 8322 (30 July); 8352 (13 September); 8391 (6 November); 8398 (14 November)

Consultations of the whole

24 January; 13 March; 15 May; 30 July; 5 November 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2408 \(2018\)](#); [2415 \(2018\)](#); [2431 \(2018\)](#); [2442 \(2018\)](#); [2444 \(2018\)](#)

Presidential statements

[S/PRST/2018/13](#)

Special political missions established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Assistance Mission in Somalia

Resolution [2102 \(2013\)](#) Established for an initial period of 12 months

Resolution [2408 \(2018\)](#) Mandate extended until 31 March 2019

Reports of the Monitoring Group on Somalia and Eritrea*

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>In response to</i>
S/2018/1002	7 November 2018	Resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009)
S/2018/1003	7 November 2018	Resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009)

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/411	2 May 2018	Resolutions 2372 (2017) and 2408 (2018)
S/2018/800	30 August 2018	Resolutions 2408 (2018) and 2431 (2018)
S/2018/903	10 October 2018	Resolution 2383 (2017)
S/2018/1149	21 December 2018	Resolutions 2408 (2018) and 2431 (2018)

* Mandate terminated as from 16 December 2018, pursuant to resolution [2444 \(2018\)](#).

Communications

S/2018/59	22 January 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/102	5 February 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/103	7 February 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/348	12 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Uganda to the Secretary-General
S/2018/439	9 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/674	5 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/725	19 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/832	7 September 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/833	11 September 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/896	8 October 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009) concerning Somalia and Eritrea to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1002	7 November 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009) concerning Somalia and Eritrea to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1003	7 November 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009) concerning Somalia and Eritrea to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1115	13 December 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1116	14 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) concerning Somalia to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 7

Items relating to the situation in the former Yugoslavia

A. The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8248 (8 May); 8392 (6 November)

Resolutions adopted

[2443 \(2018\)](#)

Communications

S/2018/416	2 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/974	30 October 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1014	7 November 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

B. Security Council resolutions [1160 \(1998\)](#), [1199 \(1998\)](#), [1203 \(1998\)](#), [1239 \(1999\)](#) and [1244 \(1999\)](#)

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8176 (7 February); 8254 (14 May); 8399 (14 November); 8427 (17 December)

Consultations of the whole

14 December 2018

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo

Resolution [1244 \(1999\)](#) Established

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<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/76	31 January 2018	Resolution 1244 (1999)
S/2018/407	1 May 2018	Resolution 1244 (1999)
S/2018/747	30 July 2018	Resolution 1244 (1999)
S/2018/981	1 November 2018	Resolution 1244 (1999)

Communications

S/2018/98	6 February 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/274	28 March 2018	Note verbale from the Permanent Mission of Serbia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/497	22 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/805	31 August 2018	Letter from the representative of Serbia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1051	26 November 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1111	14 December 2018	Letter from the representative of Serbia to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 8

The question concerning Haiti

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8220 (3 April); 8226 (10 April); 8342 (6 September); 8419 (12 December)

Resolutions adopted

[2410 \(2018\)](#)

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Mission for Justice Support in Haiti

Resolution [2350 \(2017\)](#) Established

Resolution [2410 \(2018\)](#) Mandate extended until 15 April 2019

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/241	20 March 2018	Resolution 2350 (2017)
S/2018/527	1 June 2018	Resolution 2410 (2018)
S/2018/795	30 August 2018	Resolution 2410 (2018)
S/2018/1059	28 November 2018	Resolution 2410 (2018)

Communications

S/2018/753	27 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/754	31 July 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Chapter 9

The situation in Burundi

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8189 (26 February); 8223 (5 April); 8268 (24 May); 8325 (9 August); 8408 (21 November)

Consultations of the whole

26 February; 10 and 24 May; 9 August 2018

Presidential statements

[S/PRST/2018/7](#)

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/89	25 January 2018	Resolution 2303 (2016)
S/2018/1028	15 November 2018	Resolution 2303 (2016)

Communications

S/2018/374	16 April 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Burundi configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission to the President of the Security Council
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Chapter 10

The situation in Afghanistan

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8158 (17 January); 8199 (8 March); 8294 (26 June); 8315 (23 July); 8354 (17 September); 8426 (17 December)

(see also part II, chapter 24)

Consultations of the whole

22 August 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2405 \(2018\)](#)

Presidential statements

[S/PRST/2018/15](#)

Special political missions established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan

Resolution [1401 \(2002\)](#) Established

Resolution [2405 \(2018\)](#) Mandate extended until 17 March 2019

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/165	27 February 2018	General Assembly resolution 68/11 and Security Council resolution 2344 (2017)
S/2018/539	6 June 2018	General Assembly resolution 68/11 and Security Council resolution 2405 (2018)
S/2018/824 and S/2018/824/Rev.1	10 September and 10 December 2018	General Assembly resolution 68/11 and Security Council resolution 2405 (2018)
S/2018/1092	7 December 2018	General Assembly resolution 68/11 and Security Council resolution 2405 (2018)

Reports of Security Council missions

[S/2018/419](#) 3 May 2018 Mission to Afghanistan (12–15 January 2018)

Communications

S/2018/37	11 January 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/288	29 March 2018	Letter from the representatives of Afghanistan and Uzbekistan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/995	22 October 2018	Letter from the representative of Kazakhstan to the Secretary-General

Chapter 11

International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals*

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8208 (19 March); 8278 (6 June); 8295 (27 June); 8416 (11 December)

Resolutions adopted

[2422 \(2018\)](#)

Presidential statements

[S/PRST/2018/6](#)

Communications

S/2018/90	2 February 2018	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2018/190	1 March 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/191	6 March 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/206	8 March 2018	Report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the evaluation of the methods and work of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals
S/2018/255	19 March 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/347	13 April 2018	Letter from the President of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/471	17 May 2018	Letter from the President of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/626	22 June 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/627	26 June 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

* Pursuant to the note by the President of the Security Council dated 2 February 2018 ([S/2018/90](#)), the earlier consideration by the Council of issues under the items entitled “International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991” and “International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January 1994 and 31 December 1994” has been subsumed under the item entitled “International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals”.

S/2018/652	29 June 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/569	1 August 2018	Note by the Secretary-General
S/2018/756	2 August 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/963	25 October 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1033	19 November 2018	Letter from the President of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1151	19 December 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1152	21 December 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1172	27 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Informal Working Group on International Tribunals to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 12

The situation in the Great Lakes region

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8227 (10 April)

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/209	8 March 2018	Resolutions 2348 (2017) and 2389 (2017)

Chapter 13

The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8153 (9 January); 8198 (7 March); 8207 (19 March); 8216 (27 March); 8300 (29 June); 8318 (26 July); 8331 (27 August); 8370 (11 October); 8397 (13 November)

(see also part II, chapters 21.E and 24)

Consultations of the whole

9 January; 7 March; 21 May; 19 June; 26 July; 28 August; 3 and 11 October; 13 November; 18 and 21 December 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2409 \(2018\)](#); [2424 \(2018\)](#)

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo

Resolution 1925 (2010)	Established
Resolution 2409 (2018)	Mandate extended until 31 March 2019

Reports of the Group of Experts on the Democratic Republic of the Congo

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/531	20 May 2018	Resolution 2360 (2017)
S/2018/1133	18 December 2018	Resolution 2424 (2018)

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<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/16	5 January 2018	Resolution 2348 (2017)
S/2018/128	15 February 2018	Resolution 2348 (2017)
S/2018/174	1 March 2018	Resolution 2348 (2017)
S/2018/209	8 March 2018	Resolutions 2348 (2017) and 2389 (2017)
S/2018/655	2 July 2018	Resolution 2409 (2018)
S/2018/882	1 October 2018	Resolution 2409 (2018)
S/2018/886	2 October 2018	Resolution 2409 (2018)

Reports of Security Council missions

[S/2018/1030](#) 15 November 2018 Mission to the Democratic Republic of the Congo (5–7 October 2018)

Communications

[S/2018/49](#) 18 January 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/338](#) 10 April 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/339](#) 12 April 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

[S/2018/362](#) 16 April 2018 Letter from the representatives of Peru, Sweden and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General

[S/2018/412](#) 1 May 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/528](#) 1 June 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/531](#) 20 May 2018 Letter from the Group of Experts on the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/727](#) 18 July 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/741](#) 26 July 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/762](#) 7 August 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/786](#) 24 August 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/890](#) 3 October 2018 Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

[S/2018/977](#) 29 October 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/1068](#) 28 November 2018 Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/1135](#) 17 December 2018 Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution [1533 \(2004\)](#) concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the President of the Security Council

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| S/2018/1133 | 18 December 2018 | Letter from the Group of Experts on the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the President of the Security Council |
| S/2018/1144 | 20 December 2018 | Letter from the representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo to the President of the Security Council |

Chapter 14

The situation in the Central African Republic

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8169 (30 January); 8187 (22 February); 8291 (21 June); 8309 (13 July); 8378 (23 October); 8401 (15 November); 8422 (13 December)

(see also part II, chapter 21.F)

Consultations of the whole

22 February; 12 April; 23 May; 23 October 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2399 \(2018\)](#); [2446 \(2018\)](#); [2448 \(2018\)](#)

Presidential statements

[S/PRST/2018/14](#)

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in the Central African Republic

Resolution 2149 (2014)	Established until 30 April 2015
Resolution 2446 (2018)	Mandate extended until 15 December 2018
Resolution 2448 (2018)	Mandate extended until 15 November 2019

Reports of the Panel of Experts on the Central African Republic

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/729	23 July 2018	Resolution 2399 (2018)
S/2018/1119	14 December 2018	Resolution 2399 (2018)

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/125	15 February 2018	Resolution 2387 (2017)
S/2018/611	18 June 2018	Resolution 2387 (2017)
S/2018/922	15 October 2018	Resolution 2387 (2017)

Communications

S/2018/168	28 February 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/463	15 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/729	23 July 2018	Letter from the Panel of Experts on the Central African Republic extended pursuant to resolution 2399 (2018) to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/752	31 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/846	13 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/934	18 October 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Central African Republic configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1034	19 November 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1119	14 December 2018	Letter from the Panel of Experts on the Central African Republic established pursuant to resolution 2399 (2018) to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1136 and S/2018/1136/Rev.1	17 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2127 (2013) concerning the Central African Republic to the President of the Security Council
S/2019/75	21 December 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 15

Children and armed conflict

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8305 (9 July)

Resolutions adopted

[2427 \(2018\)](#)

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/136	21 February 2018	Resolution 1612 (2005) and subsequent resolutions
S/2018/465	16 May 2018	Resolution 2225 (2015)
S/2018/502	25 May 2018	Resolution 1612 (2005) and subsequent resolutions
S/2018/865	25 September 2018	Resolution 1612 (2005) and subsequent resolutions
S/2018/956	29 October 2018	Resolution 1612 (2005) and subsequent resolutions
S/2018/969	30 October 2018	Resolution 1612 (2005) and subsequent resolutions

Communications

S/2018/625	21 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Sweden to the Secretary-General
S/2018/632	25 June 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/841	12 September 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1145	20 December 2018	Letter from the representative of Sweden to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1169	26 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 16

The situation in Guinea-Bissau

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8182 (14 February); 8194 (28 February); 8261 (16 May); 8337 (30 August); 8438 (21 December)

Consultations of the whole

19 April; 30 August; 21 December 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2404 \(2018\)](#)

Special political missions established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in Guinea-Bissau

Resolution [1876 \(2009\)](#) Established

Resolution [2404 \(2018\)](#) Mandate extended until 28 February 2019

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/110	9 February 2018	Resolution 2343 (2017)
S/2018/771	16 August 2018	Resolution 2404 (2018)
S/2018/791	28 August 2018	Resolution 2404 (2018)
S/2018/1086	6 December 2018	Resolution 2404 (2018)

Communications

S/2018/151	20 February 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/420	1 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/421	3 May 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1140	17 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2048 (2012) concerning Guinea-Bissau to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 17

Protection of civilians in armed conflict

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8264 (22 May); 8267 (24 May); 8359 (21 September)

Resolutions adopted

[2417 \(2018\)](#)

Presidential statements

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Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/462	14 May 2018	Presidential statement S/PRST/2015/23 and resolution 2286 (2016)
S/2018/525	1 June 2018	General Assembly resolution 60/1

Communications

S/2018/444	9 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Poland to the Secretary-General
S/2018/547	5 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Spain to the Secretary-General
S/2018/662	25 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the Secretary-General
S/2018/684	29 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Poland to the Secretary-General

Chapter 18

Women and peace and security

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8234 (16 April); 8382 (25 October)

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/250	23 March 2018	Resolutions 1820 (2008) , 1888 (2009) , 1960 (2010) and 2106 (2013)
S/2018/525	1 June 2018	General Assembly resolution 60/1
S/2018/900	9 October 2018	Presidential statement S/PRST/2010/22 and resolutions 1325 (2000) and 2122 (2013)

Communications

S/2018/188	23 February 2018	Letter from the representatives of Peru, Sweden and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General
S/2018/178	1 March 2018	Letter from the representatives of Germany, Namibia and Spain to the Secretary-General
S/2018/311	2 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Peru to the Secretary-General
S/2018/475	17 May 2018	Letter from the representatives of Peru, Sweden and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General
S/2018/669	2 July 2018	Letter from the representatives of Germany, Namibia and Spain to the Secretary-General
S/2018/688	11 July 2018	Letter from the representatives of Peru, Sweden and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General

S/2018/881	28 September 2018	Letter from the representatives of Peru, Sweden and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General
S/2018/885	2 October 2018	Letter from the representatives of Peru, Sweden and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General
S/2018/904	9 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Plurinational State of Bolivia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/932	18 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Netherlands to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/949	23 October 2018	Letter from the representatives of Germany, Namibia and Spain to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1087	5 December 2018	Letter from the representatives of Peru, Sweden and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1139	14 December 2018	Letter from the representatives of Peru, Sweden and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General

Chapter 19

Briefing by the President of the International Court of Justice

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8380 (24 October)

Chapter 20

Briefing by the Chairperson-in-Office of the Organization for Security and Cooperation in Europe

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8200 (8 March)

Communications

[S/2018/179](#)

1 March 2018

Identical letters from the representative of Italy to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

Chapter 21

Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution [1353 \(2001\)](#), annex II, sections A and B

A. United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8157 (16 January); 8308 (12 July)

(see also part II, chapter 1)

Official communiqués

[S/PV.8157](#); [S/PV.8308](#)

B. United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8286 (14 June); 8417 (11 December)

(see also part II, chapter 2.B.1)

Official communiqués

[S/PV.8286](#); [S/PV.8417](#)

C. United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8326 (9 August)

(see also part II, chapter 2.B.2)

Official communiqués

[S/PV.8326](#)

D. United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8222 (5 April); 8367 (9 October)

(see also part II, chapter 3)

Official communiqués

[S/PV.8222](#); [S/PV.8367](#)

E. United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8196 (6 March)

(see also part II, chapter 13)

Official communiqués

[S/PV.8196](#)

**F. United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission
in the Central African Republic**

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8374 (17 October)

(see also part II, chapter 14)

Official communiqués

[S/PV.8374](#)

G. African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8279 (6 June)

(see also part II, chapter 27)

Official communiqués

[S/PV.8279](#)

H. United Nations Mission in South Sudan

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8197 (6 March)

(see also part II, chapter 27)

Official communiqués

[S/PV.8197](#)

**I. United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission
in Mali**

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8281 (7 June)

(see also part II, chapter 39)

Official communiqués

[S/PV.8281](#)

Chapter 22

Threats to international peace and security caused by terrorist acts

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8178 (8 February); 8180 (13 February); 8330 (23 August); 8437 (21 December)

Consultations of the whole

8 February 2018

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Reports of the Analytical Support and Sanctions Monitoring Team

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/14 and S/2018/14/Rev.1	17 January 2018	Resolution 2368 (2017)
S/2018/466	16 May 2018	Resolution 2255 (2015)
S/2018/705	16 July 2018	Resolution 2368 (2017)

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<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/80	31 January 2018	Resolution 2368 (2017)
S/2018/770	16 August 2018	Resolution 2368 (2017)

Communications

S/2018/14 and S/2018/14/Rev.1	17 January 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999) , 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/94	6 February 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General

S/2018/120	14 February 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999) , 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals and entities to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/199	6 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/208	9 March 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/405	30 April 2018	Letter from the representative of China to the Secretary-General
S/2018/435	8 May 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/466	16 May 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1988 (2011) to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/514	24 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/545	6 June 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999) , 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/600	12 June 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1988 (2011) to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/705	16 July 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999) , 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities to the President of the Security Council

S/2018/579	8 August 2018	Letter from the Ombudsperson to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/788	28 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/870	26 September 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999) , 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/995	22 October 2018	Letter from the representative of Kazakhstan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1094	7 December 2018	Letter from the representatives of Austria, Belgium, Chile, Costa Rica, Denmark, Finland, Germany, Liechtenstein, the Netherlands, Norway, Sweden and Switzerland to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1118	14 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1988 (2011) to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1128	17 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999) , 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1177	28 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 23

Briefings by Chairs of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8364 (3 October); 8428 (17 December)

Chapter 24

Security Council mission

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8158 (17 January); 8255 (14 May); 8369 (11 October)

Consultations of the whole

27 March 2018

Reports of Security Council missions

S/2018/419	3 May 2018	Mission to Afghanistan (12–15 January 2018)
S/PV.8255	14 May 2018	Mission to Bangladesh and Myanmar (28 April–2 May 2018)
S/2018/1030	15 November 2018	Mission to the Democratic Republic of the Congo (5–7 October)

Communications

S/2018/37	11 January 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/391	26 April 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/890	3 October 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Chapter 25

Central African region

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8284 (13 June); 8328 (10 August); 8421 (13 December)

Consultations of the whole

13 June; 13 December 2018

Presidential statements

[S/PRST/2018/17](#)

Special political missions established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Regional Office for Central Africa

[S/2010/457](#) Established

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/521	1 June 2018	Presidential statement S/PRST/2015/12 and resolution 2349 (2017)
S/2018/1065	29 November 2018	Presidential statement S/PRST/2018/17 and resolution 2349 (2017)

Communications

S/2018/789	24 August 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/790	28 August 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary- General

Chapter 26

Non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction*

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8160 (18 January); 8230 (12 April)

Communications

S/2018/4	2 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Kazakhstan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/34	3 January 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/107	7 February 2018	Letter from the representative of Kazakhstan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/340	12 April 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/512	29 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1178	28 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) to the President of the Security Council

* Resolution [1540 \(2004\)](#) was adopted under this agenda item.

Chapter 27

Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8155 (10 January); 8166 (24 January); 8172 (31 January); 8177 (8 February); 8192 (27 February); 8202 (14 March); 8204 (15 March); 8232 (13 April); 8240 (23 April); 8249 (8 May); 8252 (10 May); 8258 (15 May); 8273 (31 May); 8283 (11 June); 8287 (14 June); 8290 (20 June); 8299 (28 June); 8302 (29 June); 8310 and 8311 (13 July); 8356 (18 September); 8357 (20 September); 8366 (3 October); 8371 (11 October); 8377 (22 October); 8400 (15 November); 8403 (16 November); 8415 (11 December); 8425 (14 December); 8431 (18 December)

(see also part II, chapter 21.G and 21.H)

Consultations of the whole

10 January; 27 February; 14 March; 11 April and 24 April; 8 and 10 May; 11 and 28 June; 5 and 26 July; 10 August; 22 and 29 October 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2400 \(2018\)](#); [2406 \(2018\)](#); [2411 \(2018\)](#); [2412 \(2018\)](#); [2416 \(2018\)](#); [2418 \(2018\)](#); [2425 \(2018\)](#); [2428 \(2018\)](#); [2429 \(2018\)](#); [2438 \(2018\)](#); [2445 \(2018\)](#)

Presidential statements

[S/PRST/2018/4](#); [S/PRST/2018/19](#)

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur

Resolution 1769 (2007)	Established
Resolution 2425 (2018)	Mandate extended until 13 July 2018
Resolution 2429 (2018)	Mandate extended until 30 June 2019

United Nations Interim Security Force for Abyei

Resolution 1990 (2011)	Established
Resolution 2411 (2018)	Mandate modification extended until 23 April 2018
Resolution 2412 (2018)	Mandate modification extended until 15 October 2018
Resolution 2416 (2018)	Mandate extended until 15 November 2018
Resolution 2445 (2018)	Mandate extended until 15 May 2019

United Nations Mission in South Sudan

Resolution 1996 (2011)	Established
Resolution 2406 (2018)	Mandate extended until 15 March 2019

Reports of the Panel of Experts on South Sudan

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/292	12 April 2018	Resolution 2353 (2017)
S/2018/1049	26 November 2018	Resolution 2428 (2018)

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<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/12	4 January 2018	Resolution 2363 (2017)
S/2018/143	20 February 2018	Resolution 2304 (2016)
S/2018/154	22 February 2018	Resolution 2363 (2017)
S/2018/163	28 February 2018	Resolution 2392 (2017)
S/2018/293	3 April 2018	Resolution 2386 (2017)
S/2018/389	25 April 2018	Resolution 2363 (2017)
S/2018/530	1 June 2018	Resolution 2363 (2017) and presidential statement S/PRST/2018/4
S/2018/609	14 June 2018	Resolution 2406 (2018)
S/2018/831	11 September 2018	Resolution 2406 (2018)
S/2018/912	12 October 2018	Resolution 2429 (2018)
S/2018/923	16 October 2018	Resolution 2416 (2018)
S/2018/1103	10 December 2018	Resolution 2406 (2018)

Communications

S/2018/20	5 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/22	8 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/223	14 March 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/264	22 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council

S/2018/297	29 March 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/295	3 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/298	3 April 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/301	4 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/330	10 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/292	12 April 2018	Letter from the Panel of Experts on South Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/379	20 April 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/442	9 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/612	13 June 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/641	27 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/653	5 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/685	10 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/694	12 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/574	6 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/776	20 August 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/778	20 August 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

S/2018/868	25 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/943	22 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/955	24 October 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/978	31 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/979	31 October 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1013	12 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1049	26 November 2018	Letter from the Panel of Experts on South Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1101	7 December 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1102	7 December 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1122	17 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1123	27 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2206 (2015) concerning South Sudan to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 28

Peacebuilding and sustaining peace

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8243 (25 April); 8245 (26 April); 8301 (29 June); 8413 (5 December); 8430 (18 December)

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[2413 \(2018\)](#)

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Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/43	18 January 2018	General Assembly resolution 70/262 and Security Council resolution 2282 (2016)

Communications

S/2018/75	30 January 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/83	31 January 2018	Report of the Peacebuilding Commission on its eleventh session
S/2018/325	9 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Peru to the Secretary-General
S/2018/680	27 June 2018	Letter from the representatives of Slovakia and South Africa to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1063	28 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Côte d'Ivoire to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1105	10 December 2018	Identical letters from the Chair of the Peacebuilding Commission to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council

Chapter 29

The situation concerning Iraq

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8184 (20 February); 8271 (30 May); 8285 (14 June); 8324 (8 August); 8396 (13 November)

Consultations of the whole

20 February; 30 May; 8 August 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2421 \(2018\)](#)

Special political missions established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq

Resolution 1500 (2003)	Established
Resolution 2421 (2018)	Mandate extended until 31 May 2019

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/40	15 January 2018	Resolution 2107 (2013)
S/2018/42	17 January 2018	Resolution 2367 (2017)
S/2018/359	17 April 2018	Resolution 2367 (2017)
S/2018/353	19 April 2018	Resolution 2107 (2013)
S/2018/648	28 June 2018	Resolution 1956 (2010)
S/2018/677	9 July 2018	Resolution 2367 (2017)
S/2018/683	10 July 2018	Resolution 2107 (2013)
S/2018/975	31 October 2018	Resolution 2421 (2018)
S/2018/976	31 October 2018	Resolution 2107 (2013)

Communications

S/2018/398	26 April 2018	Letter from the President of the Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/430	3 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Iraq to the Secretary-General

S/2018/479	17 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/567	24 July 2018	Note by the Secretary-General
S/2018/568	24 July 2018	Note by the Secretary-General
S/2018/808	29 August 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/809	31 August 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/927	16 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Iraq to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1005	8 November 2018	Letter from the President of the Governing Council of the United Nations Compensation Commission to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1022	13 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Turkey to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1127	14 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1518 (2003) to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 30

Threats to international peace and security

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8225 (9 April); 8231 (13 April); 8233 (14 April); 8247 (8 May); 8272 (30 May); 8412 (4 December)

Consultations of the whole

9 April 2018

Draft resolutions considered at a formal meeting and not adopted

[S/2018/355](#) (8233rd meeting, 14 April 2018)

Presidential statements

[S/PRST/2018/9](#)

Communications

S/2018/63	19 January 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/64	24 January 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/118	9 February 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/119	13 February 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/773	15 August 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1031	15 November 2018	Letter from the Special Adviser and Head of the United Nations Investigative Team to Promote Accountability for Crimes Committed by Da'esh/Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 31

Non-proliferation

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8297 (27 June); 8418 (12 December)

Consultations of the whole

4 December 2018

Informal meetings*

27 April; 20 June; 10 December 2018

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/602	12 June 2018	Resolution 2231 (2015)
S/2018/1089 and S/2018/1089/Corr.1	6 December 2018	Resolution 2231 (2015)

Reports of the Security Council Facilitator

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/624	21 June 2018	Resolution 2231 (2015) and S/2016/44
S/2018/1106 and S/2018/1106/Corr.1	11 December 2018	Resolution 2231 (2015) and S/2016/44

Communications

S/2018/205	8 March 2018	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2018/453	11 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General
S/2018/495	23 May 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/511	29 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/540	6 June 2018	Note by the President of the Security Council

* Held pursuant to the note by the President of the Security Council dated 16 January 2016 ([S/2016/44](#)).

S/2018/601	12 June 2018	Letter from the Security Council Facilitator for the implementation of resolution 2231 (2015) to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/624	21 June 2018	Letter from the Security Council Facilitator for the implementation of resolution 2231 (2015) to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/634	26 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/835	12 September 2018	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2018/939	19 October 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/988	5 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1062	20 November 2018	Letter from the representatives of France, Germany and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1047	23 November 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1048	26 November 2018	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1061	28 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1073	29 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1070	30 November 2018	Letter from the Security Council Facilitator for the implementation of resolution 2231 (2015) to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1075	30 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1106 and S/2018/1106/Corr.1	11 December 2018	Letter from the Security Council Facilitator for the implementation of resolution 2231 (2015) to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1108	11 December 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1171	18 December 2018	Letter from the representatives of France, Germany and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General

Chapter 32

Peace consolidation in West Africa

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8156 (11 January); 8170 (30 January); 8313 (17 July); 8327 (10 August)

Consultations of the whole

11 January; 17 July 2018

Presidential statements

[S/PRST/2018/3](#); [S/PRST/2018/16](#)

Special political missions established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Office for West Africa and the Sahel

[S/2016/89](#)

Established

[S/2016/1129](#)

Mandate extended until 31 December 2019

Reports of the Secretary-General

Symbol

Date submitted

Pursuant to

[S/2018/649](#)

29 June 2018

[S/2016/1129](#) and resolution [2349 \(2017\)](#)

Chapter 33

The situation in Myanmar

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8179 (13 February); 8333 (28 August); 8381 (24 October)

(see also part II, chapter 24)

Consultations of the whole

13 February; 27 March; 14 May; 23 July 2018

Reports of Security Council missions

[S/PV.8255](#) 14 May 2018 Mission to Bangladesh and Myanmar
(28 April–2 May 2018)

Communications

S/2018/391	26 April 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/518	31 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Myanmar to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/638	27 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Myanmar to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/718	20 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Bangladesh to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/726	20 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Myanmar to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/748	30 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Myanmar to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/587	9 August 2018	Letter from the representative of Myanmar to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/585	10 August 2018	Letter from the representative of Myanmar to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/779	23 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Netherlands to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/596	24 August 2018	Letter from the representative of Myanmar to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/879	27 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the President of the Security Council

S/2018/880	1 October 2018	Letter from the representative of China to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/926	16 October 2018	Letter from the representatives of Côte d'Ivoire, France, Kuwait, the Netherlands, Peru, Poland, Sweden, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/929	16 October 2018	Letter from the representative of Myanmar to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/938	18 October 2018	Letter from the representatives of the Plurinational State of Bolivia, China, Equatorial Guinea and the Russian Federation to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 34

Non-proliferation/Democratic People's Republic of Korea

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8210 (21 March); 8353 (17 September); 8363 (27 September)

Consultations of the whole

10 January; 26 February; 30 May; 30 August; 8 and 21 November 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2407 \(2018\)](#)

Reports of the Panel of Experts on the Democratic People's Republic of Korea

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/171 and S/2018/171/Corr.1	5 March 2018	Resolution 2345 (2017)
Communications		
S/2018/171 and S/2018/171/Corr.1	5 March 2018	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2018/378	19 April 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/799	29 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1148	21 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006) to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 35

Maintenance of international peace and security

A. General issues

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8161 (18 January); 8213 (23 March); 8277 (6 June); 8365 (3 October); 8409* (26 November)

Consultations of the whole

12 April 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2419 \(2018\)](#); [2437 \(2018\)](#)

Presidential statements

[S/PRST/2018/1](#)

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/807	31 August 2018	Resolution 2380 (2017)
S/2018/1042	21 November 2018	Resolution 2388 (2017)

Communications

S/2018/937	19 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Netherlands to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/991	5 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Kuwait to the President of the Security Council

B. Building regional partnership in Afghanistan and Central Asia as a model to link security and development

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8162 (19 January)

Presidential statements

[S/PRST/2018/2](#)

Communications

S/2018/7	2 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Kazakhstan to the Secretary-General
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* The meeting was called to order but did not proceed because, as the result of a procedural vote, the agenda was not adopted.

C. Purposes and principles of the Charter of the United Nations in the maintenance of international peace and security

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8185 (21 February)

Communications

S/2018/85	1 February 2018	Letter from the representative of Kuwait to the Secretary-General
S/2018/130	16 February 2018	Letter from the representatives of Liechtenstein and Switzerland to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/318	5 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Kuwait to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/383	19 April 2018	Note verbale from the Permanent Mission of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela to the President of the Security Council

D. Youth, peace and security

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8241 (23 April)

Communications

S/2018/86	2 March 2018	Identical letters from the Secretary-General to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/324	6 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Peru to the Secretary-General

E. Upholding international law within the context of the maintenance of international peace and security

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8262 (17 May)

Communications

S/2018/417 and S/2018/417/Rev.1	3 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Poland to the Secretary-General
S/2018/560	24 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Poland to the Secretary-General

F. Comprehensive review of the situation in the Middle East and North Africa

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8293 (25 June)

Communications

S/2018/524	1 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
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G. Mine action

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8304 (29 June)

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/623	21 June 2018	Resolution 2365 (2017)

Communications

S/2018/671	5 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Argentina to the President of the Security Council
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H. Understanding and addressing climate-related security risks

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8307 (11 July)

Communications

S/2018/749	30 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Sweden to the Secretary-General
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I. Mediation and settlement of disputes

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8334 (29 August)

Communications

S/2018/586	3 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Secretary-General
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J. Corruption and conflict**Meetings of the Council in 2018**

8346 (10 September)

K. Non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction**Meetings of the Council in 2018**

8362 (26 September)

Communications

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| S/2018/166 | 26 February 2018 | Letter from the representative of Egypt to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council |
| S/2018/873 | 25 September 2018 | Letter from the representative of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela to the President of the Security Council |
| S/2018/1044 | 23 November 2018 | Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General |

L. Root causes of conflict – the role of natural resources**Meetings of the Council in 2018**

8372 (16 October)

Communications

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|----------------------------|----------------|---|
| S/2018/901 | 9 October 2018 | Letter from the representative of the Plurinational State of Bolivia to the Secretary-General |
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M. Strengthening multilateralism and the role of the United Nations**Meetings of the Council in 2018**

8395 (9 November)

Communications

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| S/2018/982 | 1 November 2018 | Letter from the representative of China to the Secretary-General |
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Chapter 36

Peace and security in Africa

A. General issues

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8212 (22 March); 8306 (10 July); 8433 (19 December)

Special political missions established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Office to the African Union

General Assembly resolution [64/288](#) Established

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/566	10 August 2018	General Assembly resolution 71/315

Communications

S/2018/196	6 March 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/302	2 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Netherlands to the Secretary-General
S/2018/645	25 June 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/646	27 June 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1095	5 December 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1096	7 December 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1165	26 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Ad Hoc Working Group on Conflict Prevention and Resolution in Africa to the President of the Security Council

B. Ebola

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8385 (30 October)

Resolutions adopted

[2439 \(2018\)](#)

C. Sahel region

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8266 (23 May); 8402 (15 November); 8435 (20 December)

Consultations of the whole

13 March 2018

Special political missions established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Office for West Africa and the Sahel

[S/2016/89](#) Established

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/432	8 September 2018	Resolution 2391 (2017)
S/2018/1006	12 November 2018	Resolution 2391 (2017)
S/2018/1175	28 December 2018	Resolution 2349 (2017)

D. Strengthening peacekeeping operations in Africa

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8407 (20 November)

Communications

[S/2018/1004](#) 9 November 2018 Letter from the representative of China to the Secretary-General

Chapter 37

Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and subregional organizations in maintaining international peace and security

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8314 (18 July); 8340 (5 September); 8414 (6 December)

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/678	6 July 2018	Presidential statement S/PRST/2014/27 and resolution 2378 (2017)
S/2018/592	17 August 2018	General Assembly resolution 58/316 , Security Council resolution 1809 (2008) and presidential statement S/PRST/2013/12

Communications

S/2018/552	7 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Ethiopia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/645	25 June 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/646	27 June 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/736	19 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Ethiopia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/995	22 October 2018	Letter from the representative of Kazakhstan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1064	28 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Côte d'Ivoire to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1095	5 December 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1096	7 December 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Chapter 38

The situation in Libya

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8159 (17 January); 8211 (21 March); 8250 (9 May); 8263 (21 May); 8275 (6 June); 8282 (11 June); 8312 (16 July); 8341 (5 September); 8350 (13 September); 8388 (2 November); 8389 (5 November); 8394 (8 November)

Consultations of the whole

21 March; 30 May; 16 July; 8 November 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2420 \(2018\)](#); [2434 \(2018\)](#); [2441 \(2018\)](#)

Presidential statements

[S/PRST/2018/11](#)

Special political missions established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Support Mission in Libya

Resolution 2009 (2011)	Established
Resolution 2434 (2018)	Mandate extended until 15 September 2019

Reports of the Panel of Experts on Libya

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/812 and S/2018/812/Corr.1	5 September 2018	Resolution 2362 (2017)

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/140	12 February 2018	Resolution 2376 (2017)
S/2018/429	7 May 2018	Resolution 2376 (2017)
S/2018/451	11 May 2018	Resolution 2357 (2017)
S/2018/780	24 August 2018	Resolution 2376 (2017)

Communications

S/2018/13	4 January 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/87	1 February 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Report of the Security Council to the General Assembly for 2018

S/2018/526	1 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Libya to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/635	26 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Libya to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/812 and S/2018/812/Corr.1	5 September 2018	Letter from the Panel of Experts on Libya established pursuant to resolution 1973 (2011) to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/871	26 September 2018	Letter from the representative of Libya to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1067	29 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1176	28 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1970 (2011) concerning Libya to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 39

The situation in Mali

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8163 (23 January); 8229 (11 April); 8288 (14 June); 8298 (28 June); 8336 (30 August); 8376 (19 October)

(see also part II, chapter 21.I)

Consultations of the whole

18 April 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2423 \(2018\)](#); [2432 \(2018\)](#)

Peacekeeping operations established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali

Resolution 2100 (2013)	Established
Resolution 2423 (2018)	Mandate extended until 30 June 2019

Reports of the Panel of Experts on Mali

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/581	8 August 2018	Letter from the Panel of Experts established pursuant to resolution 2374 (2017) on Mali to the President of the Security Council

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/273	29 March 2018	Resolution 2364 (2017)
S/2018/541	6 June 2018	Resolution 2364 (2017)
S/2018/866	25 September 2018	Resolution 2423 (2018)
S/2018/1174	28 December 2018	Resolution 2423 (2018)

Communications

S/2018/57	19 January 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/58	22 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Mali to the President of the Security Council

S/2018/331	11 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Mali to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/658	27 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Algeria to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/581	8 August 2018	Letter from the Panel of Experts established pursuant to resolution 2374 (2017) on Mali to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/802	28 August 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/803	30 August 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/877	28 September 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/931	18 October 2018	Letter from the representative of Mali to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/945	19 October 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/946	22 October 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1124 and S/2018/1124/Rev.1	17 December 2018	Letter from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2374 (2017) to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 40

Items relating to Ukraine

A. Letter dated 28 February 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Ukraine to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council*

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8270 (29 May); 8276 (6 June); 8386 (30 October); 8410 (26 November)

Presidential statements

[S/PRST/2018/12](#)

Communications

S/2018/47	16 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/48	16 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/78	26 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/137	19 February 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/139	20 February 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/226	6 March 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/232	16 March 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/235	19 March 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/245	20 March 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/395	26 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/474	17 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General

* [S/2014/136](#).

S/2018/496	24 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the Netherlands to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/503	25 May 2018	Letter from the representatives of Australia and the Netherlands to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/554	7 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/721	13 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/714	18 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/719	19 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/722	19 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/570	1 August 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/576	6 August 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/582	8 August 2018	Letter from the representative of Canada to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/837	12 September 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/872	26 September 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1008	12 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1052	25 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1053	27 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1079	29 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1090	6 December 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1112	10 December 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1132	17 December 2018	Letter from the representative of Ukraine to the Secretary-General

B. Letter dated 13 April 2014 from the Permanent Representative of the Russian Federation to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council*

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8386 (30 October)

Communications

S/2018/559	7 June 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/712	17 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/984	1 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General

* [S/2014/264](#).

Chapter 41

Identical letters dated 19 January 2016 from the Permanent Representative of Colombia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council*

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8154 (10 January); 8238 (19 April); 8319 (26 July); 8351 (13 September); 8368 (10 October)

Consultations of the whole

10 January; 26 July 2018

Resolutions adopted

[2435 \(2018\)](#)

Special political missions established, functioning or terminated

United Nations Verification Mission in Colombia

Resolution 2366 (2017)	Established
Resolution 2435 (2018)	Mandate extended until 25 September 2019

Reports of the Secretary-General

<i>Symbol</i>	<i>Date submitted</i>	<i>Pursuant to</i>
S/2018/279	2 April 2018	Resolution 2366 (2017)
S/2018/723	20 July 2018	Resolution 2366 (2017)
S/2018/874	28 September 2018	Resolution 2366 (2017)
S/2018/1159	26 December 2018	Resolution 2435 (2018)

Communications

S/2018/498	21 May 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/499	24 May 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/801	30 August 2018	Letter from the representative of Colombia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1097	5 December 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1098	7 December 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

* [S/2016/53](#).

Chapter 42

Letter dated 13 March 2018 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council*

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8203 (14 March); 8224 (5 April); 8237 (18 April); 8343 (6 September)

Communications

S/2018/218	13 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/252	21 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General
S/2018/309	5 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/314	6 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/371	19 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the Russian Federation to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/375	20 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Czechia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/814	5 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the President of the Security Council

* [S/2018/218](#).

Part III

Other matters considered by the Security Council

Chapter 1

Annual report of the Security Council to the General Assembly

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8335 (30 August)

Communications

S/2018/797	31 August 2018	Note by the President of the Security Council
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Chapter 2

Election of a member of the International Court of Justice

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8193 (28 February); 8292 (22 June)

Resolutions adopted

[2403 \(2018\)](#)

Communications

S/2018/133	19 February 2018	Note by the Secretary-General concerning the date of an election to fill a vacancy in the International Court of Justice
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S/2018/487	22 May 2018	Memorandum by the Secretary-General
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S/2018/488	22 May 2018	Note by the Secretary-General
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S/2018/489	22 May 2018	Note by the Secretary-General
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Chapter 3

Items relating to Security Council documentation and working methods and procedure

A. Implementation of the note by the President of the Security Council ([S/2017/507](#))

Meetings of the Council in 2018

8173 (31 January); 8175 (6 February); 8339 (4 September)

Communications

S/2018/66	24 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Kuwait to the Secretary-General
S/2018/399	5 April 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Kuwait to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1024	13 November 2018	Letter from the representatives of Belgium, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, Côte d'Ivoire, the Dominican Republic, Equatorial Guinea, Ethiopia, Germany, Indonesia, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, the Netherlands, Peru, Poland, South Africa and Sweden to the President of the Security Council

B. General matters

Communications

S/2018/2 , S/2018/2/Rev.1 , S/2018/2/Rev.2 , S/2018/2/Rev.3 and S/2018/2/Rev.4	2 and 12 January, 13 July, 1 October and 15 November 2018	Note by the President of the Security Council
S/2018/3	2 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Pakistan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/5	3 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/9	3 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/10 and S/2018/10/Add.1–52	2 January and 8 January– 31 December 2018	Summary statement by the Secretary-General of matters of which the Security Council is seized and of the stage reached in their consideration
S/2018/21	8 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Georgia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/24	8 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Cuba to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/26	8 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Kuwait to the President of the Security Council

S/2018/29	10 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Tunisia to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/33	10 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/50	11 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the Netherlands to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/254	31 January 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/404	30 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Finland to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/957	26 October 2018	Letter from the representatives of France, the Netherlands, Sweden and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the United Nations to the President of the Security Council

Part IV

Report of the Military Staff Committee

I. Introduction

1. The present report of the Military Staff Committee covers the period from 1 January to 31 December 2018.

II. Background

2. The Military Staff Committee was established in accordance with Article 47 of the Charter of the United Nations and Security Council resolution 1 (1946). The Committee has a mandate to advise and assist the Security Council on all questions relating to the Council's military requirements for the maintenance of international peace and security, the employment and command of forces placed at its disposal, the regulation of armaments, and possible disarmament.

III. Summary of the activities of the Committee

3. The Committee functioned continuously under its revised draft statute and revised draft rules of procedure, contained in document S/115 of 1 August 1946, during the period under review. The Committee held a total of 27 meetings and discussed a total of 37 topics (60 agenda items). During the reporting period, the Committee conducted two field missions to current United Nations peacekeeping operations.

4. Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council participated in all 27 meetings. Representatives of Secretariat departments participated in discussions: the Department of Peacekeeping Operations on 24 topics, the Department of Political Affairs on 8 topics and the Department of Field Support on one topic.

5. Current United Nations peacekeeping and special political missions were the focus of 27 meetings and 30 topics (see appendix IV. A).

6. Nine meetings included various thematic debates (see appendix IV. A).

7. The Committee conducted two missions to areas of current United Nations peacekeeping operations. Members of the Committee also visited the Peacekeeping Training Centre in China from 10 to 13 April 2018.

8. During the first mission, the Committee visited Pakistan from 13 to 16 April 2018. The primary purpose of the visit was to gain an in-depth understanding of the United Nations Military Observer Group in India and Pakistan (UNMOGIP) and its capabilities. Key recommendations from the visit were as follows:

(a) Conduct a military capability study of UNMOGIP with the aims of obtaining a troop-to-task analysis, evaluating the requirement to secure the Group's freedom of movement in India-administered Kashmir and identifying and evaluating the actions of the United Nations Secretariat upon receipt of confirmed investigations of cross-border violations;

(b) Conduct a review of the Secretariat's efforts and responsiveness to UNMOGIP, with an immediate focus on the Secretariat's actions upon receipt of UNMOGIP cross-border investigations and the timely approval of UNMOGIP standard operating procedures;

(c) Further review host nation in-kind contributions and their effect on UNMOGIP. Unfair or unnecessary expenditure of UNMOGIP resources results in fewer resources being available to the Group to fulfil the responsibilities under its mandate;

(d) The Secretariat should provide relevant documents, such as the concept of operations and standard operating procedures of UNMOGIP, to the Committee.

It is worth noting that the Department of Peacekeeping Operations subsequently refused to provide the concept of operations as requested above.

9. During the second mission, the Committee visited Mali from 12 to 15 November 2018. The primary objectives of the mission were to gain an in-depth understanding of the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali (MINUSMA) and to assess the Mission's military challenges and opportunities in executing mandates, the appropriate allocation of resources and infrastructure, plans for the future of the Mission and conditions that might prompt a change in force structure. During the trip, Committee members were accompanied by military representatives of elected members of the Security Council (from Côte d'Ivoire, the Netherlands and Sweden). Key recommendations from the visit were as follows:

(a) The Committee assesses that MINUSMA has the resources necessary to deliver the mandate, but that they are not coordinated and synchronized effectively, precluding full delivery against the mission mandate. The Mission seems to have reached its limit in its current configuration and needs to adapt to fulfil the mandate in its entirety;

(b) The Mission is trying to develop a comprehensive, overarching mission-wide strategy detailed in a mission concept. It would be helpful to reflect therein the presence of all actors, such as the Malian Defence and Security Forces, the European Union Training Mission in Mali, the Joint Force of the Group of Five for the Sahel and Operation Barkhane, in order to create a coherent strategy for the wider region. It would be beneficial if more coherence between the uniformed and civilian pillars could be achieved, especially in the central part of Mali, including through political dialogue. Malian State authorities need to increase their presence, but they need the support of MINUSMA to do so;

(c) Within the mission concept, emphasis should be put on the concept of operations of the police component, ensuring that its efforts are coherent with the mission mandate, as well as an evaluation of the current footprint in relation to the mandate. The formed police units should be tasked with supporting the civilian component by ensuring its security when there is a need to deploy and engage with the local population. Capacity-building, mentoring and support for the whole rule of law sector are crucial;

(d) Information-gathering capabilities and analysis should be improved in order to achieve a better situational understanding, using the draft peacekeeping intelligence handbook as a reference. There is a need for a more comprehensive approach to information-sharing between all MINUSMA actors, as well as with other United Nations organizations, the host nation and other entities. There also seems to be a discrepancy between analysis conducted at the force level and that of United Nations Headquarters in New York;

(e) The Committee concurs with the Force Commander that MINUSMA should be transformed into a more agile and flexible force. While force protection remains fundamental to the force, there are various tools that may make it possible to reconcile the competing requirements of protection and mobility through such means as training, the implementation of more secure operating procedures and tactics or innovative technologies;

(f) The use of air assets, both civilian and military, is crucial for the Mission. As with other missions with a high level of casualties, the authority to launch medical and casualty evacuations should be delegated to the Force Commander. Special Representatives of the Secretary-General should also consider further delegating authority for the use of military air assets to Force Commanders in other appropriate situations.

10. The Committee continued to announce all meetings and provisional agendas in the Journal of the United Nations and on its website (www.un.org/sc/suborg/en/subsidiary/msc), which is available in the six official languages of the United Nations and offers swift and easy access to the programme of work and current information on the Committee.

11. In accordance with paragraph 178 of General Assembly resolution 60/1 entitled “2005 World Summit Outcome”, the Committee continued to consider its composition, mandate and working methods.

12. As part of efforts to enhance the efficiency and transparency of the Committee’s work, as well as interaction and dialogue with the Secretariat and the military representatives of the non-permanent members of the Security Council, the members of the Committee, at its 1921st meeting, adopted a note by the Chair of the Committee and endorsed the handbook of working methods of the Military Staff Committee, annexed thereto.

13. According to available records, the 1918th meeting of the Committee, held on 5 October 2018, was the first meeting chaired by a woman, Senior Colonel Min Feng (China).

14. Military representatives of Equatorial Guinea and Kuwait have not yet been appointed.

15. The Committee remained prepared to carry out the functions assigned to it under the terms of Article 47 of the Charter.

Part V

Matters brought to the attention of the Security Council but not discussed at meetings of the Council during the period covered

Chapter 1

Communications concerning the India-Pakistan question

S/2018/308	4 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Pakistan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/659	28 June 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/660	2 July 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/695	11 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Pakistan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1120	17 December 2018	Letter from the representative of Pakistan to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 2

Communications concerning the Korean peninsula

S/2018/820	6 September 2018	Letter from the representatives of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea and the Republic of Korea to the Secretary-General
S/2018/944	22 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 3

Communications concerning the letter dated 20 February 1958 from the representative of the Sudan to the Secretary-General

S/2018/44	16 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Egypt to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/153	14 February 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/215	9 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the Sudan to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/258	19 March 2018	Letter from the representative of Egypt to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/270	26 March 2018	Letter from the representative of Egypt to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

Chapter 4

Communications concerning the situation relating to Nagorny Karabakh and relations between Armenia and Azerbaijan

S/2018/36	12 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/45	15 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Armenia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/77	30 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/114	8 February 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/115	13 February 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/122	13 February 2018	Letter from the representative of Armenia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/129	15 February 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/150	20 February 2018	Letter from the representative of Armenia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/200	6 March 2018	Letter from the representative of Armenia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/217	12 March 2018	Letter from the representative of Armenia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/227	15 March 2018	Letter from the representative of Armenia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/290	29 March 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/312	5 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Armenia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/361	16 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/363	17 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/364	17 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/433	3 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Armenia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/446	9 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Armenia to the Secretary-General

S/2018/486	18 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Armenia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/494	22 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/558	29 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/546	7 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/553	7 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Armenia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/631	20 June 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/689	9 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Armenia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/738	24 July 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/843	11 September 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/842	12 September 2018	Letter from the representative of Armenia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/925	15 October 2018	Letter from the representative of Armenia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/948	19 October 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/951	19 October 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General
S/2018/993	2 November 2018	Letter from the representative of Armenia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1085	4 December 2018	Letter from the representative of Armenia to the Secretary-General
S/2018/1167	26 December 2018	Letter from the representative of Azerbaijan to the Secretary-General

Chapter 5

Communications concerning the situation in Georgia

S/2018/74	30 January 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Georgia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/101	7 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Georgia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/158	24 February 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Georgia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/236	19 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Georgia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/508	29 May 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Georgia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/665	2 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/666	5 July 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General
S/2018/583	8 September 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Georgia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/997	7 November 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Georgia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

Chapter 6

Communications concerning relations between Cameroon and Nigeria

S/2018/1130	12 December 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1131	17 December 2018	Letter from the President of the Security Council to the Secretary-General

Chapter 7

Communication concerning the situation between Eritrea and Ethiopia

S/2018/716	17 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
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Chapter 8

Communication concerning the situation in Côte d'Ivoire

S/2018/958	29 October 2018	Special report of the Secretary-General on the role of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire
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Chapter 9

Communication concerning security sector reform

[S/2018/680](#) 27 June 2018 Letter from the representatives of Slovakia
and South Africa to the Secretary-General

Chapter 10

Communication concerning the International Criminal Court

[S/2018/810](#) 31 August 2018 Letter from the representative of the
Netherlands to the President of the Security
Council

Chapter 11

Communication from the Chair of the Coordination Committee of Special Procedures

[S/2018/280](#) 28 March 2018 Note verbale from the Permanent Mission of
the Netherlands to the President of the
Security Council

Chapter 12

Communications concerning the Collective Security Treaty Organization

[S/2018/354](#) 14 April 2018 Letter from the representative of
Kazakhstan to the Secretary-General

[S/2018/995](#) 22 October 2018 Letter from the representative of
Kazakhstan to the Secretary-General

Chapter 13

Communications concerning the League of Arab States

[S/2018/423](#) 3 May 2018 Letter from the representative of Saudi
Arabia to the President of the Security
Council

[S/2018/878](#) 26 September 2018 Letter from the representative of the Sudan
to the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/1141](#) 20 December 2018 Letter from the representative of Kuwait to
the Secretary-General and the President of
the Security Council

Chapter 14

Communication concerning the Shanghai Cooperation Organization

[S/2018/405](#) 30 April 2018 Letter from the representative of China to
the Secretary-General

Chapter 15

Communication concerning relations between the Democratic People's Republic of Korea and the United States of America

[S/2018/81](#) 31 January 2018 Letter from the representative of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea to the Secretary-General

Chapter 16

Communication concerning relations between Djibouti and Eritrea

[S/2018/687](#) 11 July 2018 Letter from the representative of Djibouti to the Secretary-General

Chapter 17

Communication concerning relations between Guyana and the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela

[S/2018/1168](#) 27 December 2018 Letter from the representative of Guyana to the Secretary-General

Chapter 18

Communications concerning relations between the Islamic Republic of Iran and Israel

[S/2018/111](#) 10 February 2018 Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/142](#) 20 February 2018 Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/349](#) 13 April 2018 Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/445](#) 9 May 2018 Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/443](#) 10 May 2018 Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/459](#) 14 May 2018 Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

[S/2018/495](#) 23 May 2018 Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/692	11 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/859	19 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General
S/2018/967	29 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1046	22 November 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Israel to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1156	24 December 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

Chapter 19

Communications concerning relations between the Islamic Republic of Iran and Saudi Arabia

S/2018/891	3 October 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/888	5 October 2018	Letter from the representative of Saudi Arabia to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/994	6 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1054	27 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1056	27 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

Chapter 20

Communications concerning relations between the Islamic Republic of Iran and the United States of America

S/2018/8	3 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General
S/2018/696	11 July 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/899	4 October 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1057	27 November 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1081	3 December 2018	Letter from the representative of the United States of America to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1155	24 December 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/1164	26 December 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

Chapter 21

Communications concerning relations between Qatar and Bahrain, Egypt, Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates

S/2018/6	2 January 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Qatar to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/23	5 January 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Qatar to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/41	15 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/56	16 January 2018	Letter from the representative of Bahrain to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/46	18 January 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/185	5 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Qatar to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/207	7 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Qatar to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/213	9 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Qatar to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/228	15 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Qatar to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

S/2018/269	27 March 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Qatar to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/291	29 March 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/310	4 April 2018	Letter from the representative of Bahrain to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/376	19 April 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/434	3 May 2018	Letter from the representative of Bahrain to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/425	4 May 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/441	9 May 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Qatar to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/461	14 May 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Qatar to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/504	25 May 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Bahrain to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/536	5 June 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Bahrain to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/562	26 July 2018	Identical letters from the representative of Qatar to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council
S/2018/590	15 August 2018	Letter from the representative of the United Arab Emirates to the President of the Security Council
S/2018/755	30 July 2018	Letter from the Secretary-General to the President of the Security Council

Chapter 22

Communication from the Islamic Republic of Iran

S/2018/830	11 September 2018	Letter from the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the President of the Security Council
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Appendices

I **Membership of the Security Council during the year 2018**

Bolivia (Plurinational State of)

China

Côte d'Ivoire

Equatorial Guinea

Ethiopia

France

Kazakhstan

Kuwait

Netherlands

Peru

Poland

Russian Federation

Sweden

United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland

United States of America

II Representatives and deputy, alternate and acting representatives accredited to the Security Council

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Mr. Sacha Sergio Llorentty Solíz

Mrs. Verónica Cordova Soria

Mr. Pedro Luis Inchauste Jordán

Mr. Juan Marcelo Zambrana Torrelio

Mr. Luis Mauricio Arancibia Fernández

Ms. Carla Cecilia Cardona Moscoso

Mr. Ricardo José Miranda Rivero

Mr. Eduardo Fernando León Peñaranda

Ms. Maira Mariela Macdonal Álvarez

China

Mr. Wang Yi²
(State Councillor and Minister for Foreign Affairs)

Mr. Ma Zhaoxu

Mr. Wu Haitao

Mr. Shen Bo

Mr. Yao Shaojun

Mr. Li Yongsheng

Mr. Sun Lei

Mr. Zhang Dianbin

Mr. Cheng Lie

Mr. Liu Song

Mr. Guo Jiakun

Côte d'Ivoire**

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(President)

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Mr. Léon Houadja Kacou Adom

Mr. Alcide Ilhari Djédjé

Mr. Bernard Tanoh-Boutchoué

Mr. Gbolié Désiré Wulfran Ipo

Mr. Tiémoko Moriko

Mr. Théodore Dah

Mr. Adjoumani Yao

Mr. François Xavier Zabavy

Mr. Ibrahima Touré

Mr. Antonin Benjamin Biéké

Mr. Virgile N'Cho Akiapo

Mr. Abdoulaye Essy

Mr. Michel Kouadjo Kouakou

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Mr. Damoua Guillaume Angora

Mr. Check Ibrahim Bakayoko

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Ms. Mari Carmen Ecoro

Mr. Angel Mokara Moleila

Mr. Narciso Sipaco Ribala
Mr. Protasio Edu Edjang Nnanga
Ms. Susana Edjang
Mr. Aristides Mevian Miaga
Mr. Victor Manuel Ele Ela
Mr. Juan Mbomio Ndong Mangué
Mr. Vincente Mba Asumu Abem
Mr. Marcelino Sima Mangué
Mr. Sergio Ela Mico
Mr. Armando Ikaka Banganga
Mr. Severo Mba Ondo Nzang
Mr. Domingo Nsue Maye
Ms. Estela Nsze Mansogo
Ms. Esther Nchama Bico Mbasogo
Ms. Marisa Niang Engonga
Ms. Josefina Oyana Mbana Makina
Mr. Francisco Javier Toichoa Nduo
Ms. Sinforsosa Nzang Obama
Mr. Domingo Mituy Alene
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Ms. Isabel Avomo Sima
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Ms. Mahlet Hailu Guadey
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Mr. Biruk Mekonnen Demissie
Mr. Haileselassie Subba Gebru
Mr. Nebiyu Tedla Negash
Mr. Leulseged Tadese Abebe

Mr. Belachew Gujubo
Mr. Yidnekachew Gutulo Meskel Zewdu
Mr. Semungus Habtegiyorgis Gebrehiwot
Mrs. Huda Mohamed Yusuf
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Mr. Tareq Mohammed Albanai
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Mr. Fawaz Abdullah Bourisly
Ms. Jawaher E. Alsabah
Mr. Jarrah Jaber Alahmad Alsabah
Mr. Bashar Ali Alduwaisan
Mr. Mohammad H.M.S. Alajmi
Mr. Fahad M.E. Hajji Mohammad
Mr. Abdullah Ahmed Alsharrah
Mr. Bashar Abdullah Almowaizri
Mr. Ibrahim Faisal Aldai
Mr. Ali Abdullatif Alyahya
Mrs. Saba Masoud Alfuhaid
Ms. Sarah Saleh Alzouman
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Mr. Enri Ciprian Prieto Tica

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Mr. Glauco Javier Seoane Byrne

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Mr. Walter Ronnie Habich Morales

Mr. Humberto Martín Velásquez Guevara
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Mr. Krzysztof Marcinek
Ms. Bogna Ruminowicz
Mr. Tomasz Tokarski
Mr. Piotr Zawieja
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Mr. Mikhail D. Beznosenko
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Mr. Vladimir Y. Gusarov
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Mr. Igor V. Kuzmin
Ms. Elena A. Melikbekyan
Mr. Vadim V. Sergeev
Mr. Vadim A. Sokolov
Ms. Larisa B. Chernysheva
Mr. Aleksandr N. Dorokhov
Ms. Guzal M. Khusanova
Mr. Boris S. Lukshin
Mr. Alexey D. Militskiy
Mr. Egor S. Shulgin

Mr. Mikhail I. Shabaltas
Mr. Stepan Yurevich Kuzmenkov
Mr. Taras Pronin
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(Minister for Policy Coordination and Energy)
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Ms. Annika Söder³¹
(State Secretary for Foreign Affairs)
Mr. Olof Skoog
Ms. Irina Schoulgin-Nyoni
Mr. Carl Skau
Mr. Joakim Vaverka
Ms. Sigrun Rawet
Ms. Camilla Nevstad Bruzelius
Ms. Karin Berlin
Mr. Mattias Chu
Mr. Fredrick Lee-Ohlsson
Mr. Hilding Lundkvist
Mr. Fredrik Nivaeus
Ms. Karin Seydlitz
Mr. Ola Sohlström
Ms. Teresa Carlsson Szlezak
Ms. Cecilia Vaverka
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Ms. Kajsa Blomberg
Ms. Lina Bunis
Ms. Amelie Coyet
Mr. Per-Axel Frielingsdorf
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Mr. Victor Sandberg
Mr. Dag Sjöögren
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Ms. Agnes Julin
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Ms. Karen Pierce
Mr. Matthew Rycroft
Mr. Jonathan Guy Allen
Mr. Stephen Hickey
Ms. Ruth Andreyeva
Ms. Susan Dickson
Mrs. Rosemary Gieves
Group Captain Timothy O'Brien
Mr. Charles Reeve
Mr. David Clay
Lieutenant Colonel Andrew Norris
Ms. Ahila Sornarajah
Ms. Amy Lois Townsend
Mr. Mark Power
Ms. Catherine Carr
Mr. Craig Mills
Ms. Caroline Quinn
Mr. Matthew Moody
Mr. Martin Cooles

Ms. Rebecca Rose
Ms. Clelia Lucy Uhart
Ms. Senay Bulbul
Ms. Jessica Philips
Mr. Colin McDonald
Mr. Benjamin Roberts
Ms. Asima Ghazi-Bouillon
Ms. Alice Hyde
Mr. David Kinna
Ms. Cristal Downing
Ms. Naureen Fink
Ms. Natalie Elizabeth Palmer
Mr. Charles Collins
Ms. Amy Quantrill
Mrs. Anna Knight
Mrs. Nerys Cross Smith
Ms. Caroline Vent
Mr. Thomas Wheeler
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Mr. Michael R. Pompeo³⁵
(Secretary of State)
Mr. John Sullivan⁷
(Deputy Secretary of State)
Mr. James Jeffrey³⁶
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Mr. Mark A. Green³⁷
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Ms. Kelley A. Eckels-Currie
Ms. Cherith Norman Chalet
Ms. Amy Tachco
Mr. Rodney Hunter
Mr. Mark A. Simonoff

Mr. Christopher Klein

Mr. Stephen Gee

Mr. Walter Miller

Ms. Elaine French

Notes

- ¹ Participated in the 8362nd meeting, on 26 September 2018.
- ² Participated in the 8362nd and 8363rd meetings, on 26 and 27 September 2018.
- ³ Presided at the 8413th meeting, on 5 December 2018.
- ⁴ Participated in the 8185th, 8243rd and 8363rd meetings, on 21 February, 25 April and 27 September 2018, and presided at the 8414th meeting, on 6 December 2018.
- ⁵ Participated in the 8218th meeting, on 28 March 2018.
- ⁶ Participated in the 8262nd meeting, on 17 May 2018.
- ⁷ Participated in the 8162nd meeting, on 19 January 2018.
- ⁸ Participated in the 8363rd meeting, on 27 September 2018.
- ⁹ Presided at the 8160th meeting, on 18 January 2018.
- ¹⁰ Presided at the 8160th, 8161st and 8162nd meetings, on 18 and 19 January 2018, and participated in the 8362nd and 8363rd meetings, on 26 and 27 September 2018.
- ¹¹ Participated in the 8183rd, 8184th and 8185th meetings, on 20 and 21 February 2018.
- ¹² Participated in the 8307th meeting, on 11 July 2018.
- ¹³ Participated in the 8264th meeting, on 22 May 2018.
- ¹⁴ Participated in the 8314th meeting, on 18 July 2018.
- ¹⁵ Participated in the 8162nd, 8362nd and 8363rd meetings, on 19 January and 26 and 27 September 2018, and presided at the 8184th, 8185th and 8186th meetings, on 20, 21 and 22 February 2018.
- ¹⁶ Presided at the 8218th meeting, on 28 March 2018, and participated in the 8362nd meeting, on 26 September 2018.
- ¹⁷ Participated in the 8305th meeting, on 9 July 2018.
- ¹⁸ Participated in the 8342nd meeting, on 6 September 2018.
- ¹⁹ Presided at the 8215th, 8216th and 8217th meetings, on 27 March 2018, and participated in the 8262nd, 8270th, 8363rd, 8422nd and 8423rd meetings, on 17 and 29 May, 27 September and 13 December 2018.
- ²⁰ Participated in the 8382nd meeting, on 25 October 2018.
- ²¹ Participated in the 8162nd and 8243rd meetings, on 19 January and 25 April 2018.
- ²² Presided at the 8199th and 8213th meetings, on 8 and 23 March 2018, and participated in the 8413th meeting, on 5 December 2018.
- ²³ Presided at the 8243rd meeting, on 25 April 2018, and participated in the 8363rd meeting, on 27 September 2018.
- ²⁴ Participated in the 8160th and 8362nd meetings, on 18 January and 26 September 2018, and presided at the 8262nd meeting, on 17 May 2018.
- ²⁵ Participated in the 8162nd, 8185th and 8363rd meetings, on 19 January, 21 February and 27 September 2018, and presided at the 8264th and 8270th meetings, on 22 and 29 May 2018.
- ²⁶ Participated in the 8160th, 8162nd, 8362nd and 8363rd meetings, on 18 and 19 January and 26 and 27 September 2018.
- ²⁷ Presided at the 8293rd meeting, on 25 June 2018.
- ²⁸ Presided at the 8305th meeting, on 9 July 2018.
- ²⁹ Participated in the 8243rd, 8362nd, 8363rd and 8382nd meetings, on 25 April, 26 and 27 September and 25 October 2018, and presided at the 8306th and 8307th meetings, on 10 and 11 July 2018.
- ³⁰ Participated in the 8234th meeting, on 16 April 2018.
- ³¹ Participated in the 8199th and 8200th meetings, on 8 March 2018, and presided at the 8314th meeting, on 18 July 2018.
- ³² Participated in the 8160th and 8162nd meetings, on 18 and 19 January 2018.
- ³³ Presided at the 8333rd and 8334th meetings, on 28 and 29 August 2018.
- ³⁴ Presided at the 8362nd meeting, on 26 September 2018.
- ³⁵ Presided at the 8363rd meeting, on 27 September 2018, and participated in the 8418th meeting, on 12 December 2018.
- ³⁶ Presided at the 8355th meeting, on 18 September 2018.
- ³⁷ Participated in the 8207th meeting, on 19 March 2018.
- ³⁸ Participated in the 8185th, 8218th and 8262nd meetings, on 21 February, 28 March and 17 May 2018, as a member of President Trump's Cabinet.

III

Presidents of the Security Council

The following representatives served as President of the Security Council in 2018.

Kazakhstan Mr. Kairat Umarov	January ¹
Kuwait Mr. Mansour Ayyad Al-otaibi	February ²
Netherlands Mr. Karel J. G. van Oosterom	March ³
Peru Mr. Gustavo Meza-Cuadra	April ⁴
Poland Ms. Joanna Wronecka	May
Russian Federation Mr. Vassily A. Nebenzia	June ⁵
Sweden Mr. Olof Skoog	July ⁶
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland Mr. Matthew Rycroft	August ⁷
United States of America Mrs. Nikki R. Haley	September ⁸
Bolivia (Plurinational State of) Mr. Sacha Sergio Llorentty Solíz	October
China Mr. Ma Zhaoxu	November
Côte d'Ivoire Mr. Léon Houadja Kacou Adom	December ⁹

¹ Mr. Kairat Abdrakhmanov, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Kazakhstan, presided at the 8160th, 8161st and 8162nd meetings, on 18 and 19 January 2018.

² Sheikh Sabah Khalid Al Hamad Al Sabah, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of Kuwait, presided at the 8184th, 8185th and 8186th meetings, on 20, 21 and 22 February 2018.

³ Ms. Sigrid Kaag, Minister for Foreign Trade and Development Cooperation of the Netherlands, presided at the 8199th and 8213th meetings, on 8 and 23 March 2018; Mr. Stephanus Abraham Blok, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands, presided at the 8215th, 8216th and 8217th meetings, on 27 March 2018; and Mr. Mark Rutte, Prime Minister of the Netherlands, presided at the 8218th meeting, on 28 March 2018.

⁴ Mr. Néstor Popolizio Bardales, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Peru, presided at the 8243rd meeting, on 25 April 2018.

⁵ Mr. Sergey Vershinin, Deputy Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation, presided at the 8293rd meeting, on 25 June 2018.

⁶ Mr. Stefan Löfven, Prime Minister of Sweden, presided at the 8305th meeting, on 9 July 2018; Ms. Margot Wallström, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Sweden, presided at the 8306th and 8307th meetings, on 10 and 11 July 2018; and Ms. Annika Söder, State Secretary for Foreign Affairs of Sweden, presided at the 8314th meeting, on 18 July 2018.

⁷ Lord Tariq Mahmood Ahmad of Wimbledon, Minister of State for the Commonwealth and the United Nations of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, presided at the 8333rd and 8334th meetings, on 28 and 29 August 2018.

⁸ Mr. Donald J. Trump, President of the United States of America, presided at the 8362nd meeting, on 26 September 2018; and Mr. Michael R. Pompeo, Secretary of State of the United States of America, presided at the 8363rd meeting, on 27 September 2018.

⁹ Mr. Alassane Ouattara, President of Côte d'Ivoire, presided at the 8413th meeting, on 5 December 2018.

IV Military Staff Committee

A. Meetings of the Military Staff Committee held in 2018

<i>Meeting</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>	<i>Briefers</i>	<i>Participants</i>
1898	12 January	The situation in Afghanistan (United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan)	Mr. Robert Peszkowski, Senior Political Affairs Officer, Middle East and West Asia Division, Department of Political Affairs	Committee members (China, France, Russian Federation, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and United States of America)
		The situation in Liberia (United Nations Mission in Liberia)	Major General Hugh Van Roosen, Deputy Military Adviser for Peacekeeping Operations, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Côte d'Ivoire, Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
		Military Staff Committee annual report 2017 (MS/3544)		
		Military Staff Committee missions		
1899	26 January	The situation in Somalia (United Nations Assistance Mission in Somalia (UNSOM) and African Union Mission in Somalia (AMISOM))	Mr. Vincent Pasquini, Senior Political Affairs Officer, Africa I Division, Department of Political Affairs	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Côte d'Ivoire, Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Peru, Poland and Sweden
		The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo (United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUSCO))	Brigadier General El Hadji Babacar Faye, Chief of Staff, Office of Military Affairs, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	
1900	1 February	European Union Common Security and Defence Policy operations and missions	Lieutenant General Esa Pulkkinen, Director General, European Union Military Staff	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Côte d'Ivoire, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden Military representatives of the European Union Military Staff

Note: Documents listed in appendix IV are on file with the Military Staff Committee.

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<i>Meeting</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>	<i>Briefers</i>	<i>Participants</i>
1901	9 February	The question concerning Haiti: military to police transition (United Nations Mission for Justice Support in Haiti)	Mr. Luis Carrilho, Police Adviser, Police Division, Office of Rule of Law and Security Institutions, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Côte d'Ivoire, Ethiopia, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
		Letter dated 25 January 2018 from the representative of Equatorial Guinea to the Chair of the Military Staff Committee (MS/2018/07)	Colonel (retired) Vadim Pivovar, Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	
1902	22 February	The situation concerning Western Sahara (United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara)	Lieutenant General Carlos Loitey, Military Adviser for Peacekeeping Operations, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Côte d'Ivoire, Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
		The situation in Côte d'Ivoire (United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire)	Mr. Abdel-Fatau Musah, Director, Africa II Division, Department of Political Affairs	
1903	9 March	United Nations operational readiness assurance and performance improvement policy	Brigadier General El Hadji Babacar Faye, Chief of Staff, Office of Military Affairs, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
1904	23 March	Implementation of the policy framework for intelligence in United Nations peacekeeping operations	Mr. Guillaume Darmé, Senior Peacekeeping Intelligence Coordinator, Office of the Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Côte d'Ivoire, Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
		Preparation for the Heads of Military Components Conference	Colonel Dariusz Kacperczyk, military representative of Poland	
		Military Staff Committee mission to Kashmir (United Nations Military Observer Group in India and Pakistan (UNMOGIP))	Colonel (retired) Vadim Pivovar, Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	

<i>Meeting</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>	<i>Briefers</i>	<i>Participants</i>
1905	5 April	The situation in Darfur (African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur)	Brigadier General El Hadji Babacar Faye, Chief of Staff, Office of Military Affairs, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Côte d'Ivoire, Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
		Strategic Force Generation Capability and Planning Cell	Brigadier General El Hadji Babacar Faye, Chief of Staff, Office of Military Affairs, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	
1906	20 April	The situation in Mali (United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali (MINUSMA))	Major General Hugh Van Roosen, Deputy Military Adviser for Peacekeeping Operations, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru and Sweden
		Implementation plan for the Explosive Ordnance Disposal Military Unit Manual	Mr. Paul Heslop, Chief of Programmes, Mine Action Service	
1907	4 May	The situation in Iraq (United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq)	Mr. Darko Mocibob, Deputy Director, Middle East and West Asia Division, Department of Political Affairs	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Côte d'Ivoire, Ethiopia, Netherlands, Poland and Sweden
		Preparation for the Heads of Military Components Conference	Colonel Dariusz Kacperczyk, military representative of Poland	
		Military Staff Committee mission report (UNMOGIP)	Colonel (retired) Vadim Pivovar, Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	
1908	18 May	The situation in the Central Africa region (United Nations Regional Office for Central Africa)	Mr. Philip Helminger, Senior Political Affairs Officer, Africa II Division, Department of Political Affairs	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Côte d'Ivoire, Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
		The situation in Cyprus (United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus (UNFICYP))	Brigadier General El Hadji Babacar Faye, Chief of Staff, Office of Military Affairs, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	

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		Preparation for the Heads of Military Components Conference (letter dated 3 May 2018 from the President of the Security Council (MS/2018/32))	Colonel Dariusz Kacperczyk, military representative of Poland	
		Military Staff Committee mission report (UNMOGIP)	Colonel (retired) Vadim Pivovar, Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	
1909	31 May	The situation in Somalia (UNSOM and AMISOM)	Ms. Jikang Kim, Political Affairs Officer, Africa I Division, Department of Political Affairs	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council:
		The situation in the Golan (United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (UNDOF))	Lieutenant General Carlos Loitey, Military Adviser for Peacekeeping Operations, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
1910	14 June	The situation in Lebanon (United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon)	Major General Hugh Van Roosen, Deputy Military Adviser for Peacekeeping Operations, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council:
		Military Staff Committee mission	Colonel (retired) Vadim Pivovar, Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	Côte d'Ivoire, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
1911	29 June	Medical support to United Nations peacekeepers in high-risk environments	Mr. Jolly Abu, Officer-in-Charge, Medical Section, Strategic Support Service, Logistics Support Division, Department of Field Support;	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Côte d'Ivoire, Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
		History of the Military Staff Committee	Ms. Adarsh Tiwathia, Senior Medical Officer, Peacekeeping Operations Support Section, Medical Services Division, Office of Human Resources Management, Department of Management	
			Ms. Alexandra Novosseloff, Senior Visiting Fellow, Brian Urquhart Center for Peace Operations, International Peace Institute	

<i>Meeting</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Subject</i>	<i>Briefers</i>	<i>Participants</i>
		Military Staff Committee mission	Colonel (retired) Vadim Pivovar, Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	
1912	13 July	The situation in Libya (United Nations Support Mission in Libya)	Ms. Jian Pak, Political Affairs Officer, Africa II Division, Department of Political Affairs	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Côte d'Ivoire, Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
1913	27 July	Fifth Committee and its effect on peacekeeping operations	Ms. Maria Costa, Director, Peacekeeping Financing Division, Office of Programme Planning, Budget and Accounts, Department of Management	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Côte d'Ivoire, Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
		The situation in Colombia (United Nations Verification Mission in Colombia)	Ms. Laura Elena Flores, Director, Americas Division, Department of Political Affairs	
		Letter dated 26 July 2018 from the Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations to the Military Staff Committee (MS/2018/55)	Ms. Donna Anderson, Assistant to the Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	
1914	10 August	The situation in the Middle East (United Nations Truce Supervision Organization)	Brigadier General El Hadji Babacar Faye, Chief of Staff, Office of Military Affairs, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Ethiopia, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
		Letter dated 1 August 2018 from the representative of Sweden (coordinator of the elected ten) to the Military Staff Committee (MS/2018/56)	Colonel (retired) Vadim Pivovar, Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	

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1915	24 August	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUSCO)	Major General Hugh Van Roosen, Deputy Military Adviser for Peacekeeping Operations, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
		Letter dated 24 August 2018 from the Chair of the Military Staff Committee to the representative of Sweden (coordinator of the elected ten) (MS/2018/57)	Colonel (retired) Vadim Pivovar, Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	
1916	7 September	The situation in the Central African Republic (United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in the Central African Republic)	Lieutenant General Carlos Loitey, Military Adviser for Peacekeeping Operations, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Côte d'Ivoire, Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
		Proposed Security Council resolution on peacekeeping performance	Colonel Jonathan Neumann, representative of the delegation of the United States of America	
1917	21 September	The situation in South Sudan (United Nations Mission in South Sudan)	Lieutenant General Carlos Loitey, Military Adviser for Peacekeeping Operations, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Côte d'Ivoire, Ethiopia, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
		Implementation of the policy framework for intelligence in United Nations peacekeeping operations	Colonel Lucian Andrei, Chief, Assessment Team, Office of Military Affairs, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	
1918	5 October	The situation in Abyei (United Nations Interim Security Force for Abyei)	Major General Hugh Van Roosen, Deputy Military Adviser for Peacekeeping Operations, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
		Military Staff Committee mission to Mali	Colonel (retired) Vadim Pivovar, Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	

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1919	19 October	The situation in the Middle East (UNDOF) Military Staff Committee mission to Mali	Lieutenant General Carlos Loitey, Military Adviser for Peacekeeping Operations, Department of Peacekeeping Operations Colonel (retired) Vadim Pivovar, Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
1920	2 November	The situation in Mali (MINUSMA) Military Staff Committee working methods and procedures (MS/2018/68)	Major General Hugh Van Roosen, Deputy Military Adviser for Peacekeeping Operations, Department of Peacekeeping Operations Colonel (retired) Vadim Pivovar, Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Poland and Sweden
1921	15 November	The situation in Mali (MINUSMA)	Lieutenant General Dennis Gyllensporre, Force Commander, MINUSMA; Ms. Lizbeth Cullity, Chief of Staff, MINUSMA; Mr. Anton Antchev, Acting Director of Mission Support, MINUSMA; Ms. Mbaranga Gasarabwe, Deputy Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs, MINUSMA; Ms. Joanne Adamson, Deputy Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Political Affairs, MINUSMA; Ms. Ute Kollies, Head of the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs in Mali;	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Côte d'Ivoire, Netherlands and Sweden

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			General Hanena Ould Sidi, Force Commander, Joint Force of the Group of Five for the Sahel;	
			General M'Bemba Moussa Keita, Chief of Staff, Malian Armed Forces;	
			Brigadier General Jean-Pierre Fritsch, Operation Barkhane;	
			Brigadier General Peter Mirow, Force Commander, European Union Training Mission in Mali	
		Military Staff Committee working methods and procedures (MS/2018/68)	Colonel (retired) Vadim Pivovar, Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	
1922	30 November	The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUSCO)	Lieutenant General Carlos Loitey, Military Adviser for Peacekeeping Operations, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Côte d'Ivoire, Ethiopia, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru, Poland and Sweden
		Report on the Military Staff Committee mission to Mali (MS/3599)	Colonel (retired) Vadim Pivovar, Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	
1923	14 December	The situation in Jammu and Kashmir (UNMOGIP)	Brigadier General El Hadji Babacar Faye, Chief of Staff, Office of Military Affairs, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Committee members Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Côte d'Ivoire, Ethiopia, Netherlands, Poland and Sweden
		The situation in Cyprus (UNFICYP)	Brigadier General El Hadji Babacar Faye, Chief of Staff, Office of Military Affairs, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	Newly elected members of the Security Council participating as observers: Belgium, Germany and South Africa
		Report on the Military Staff Committee mission to Mali (MS/3599)	Colonel (retired) Vadim Pivovar, Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	
		Military Staff Committee programme of work 2019 (MS/3600, MS/2018/69)	Colonel (retired) Vadim Pivovar, Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	

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		Military Staff Committee annual report 2018 (MS/3601)	Colonel (retired) Vadim Pivovar, Principal Secretary and Liaison Officer, Military Staff Committee	
1924	28 December	End-of-year assessment for 2018 and projections for 2019	Brigadier General El Hadji Babacar Faye, Chief of Staff, Office of Military Affairs, Department of Peacekeeping Operations	<p>Committee members</p> <p>Military representatives of elected members of the Security Council: Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Côte d'Ivoire, Kazakhstan, Netherlands, Peru and Sweden</p> <p>Newly elected members of the Security Council participating as observers: Belgium, Germany, Indonesia and South Africa</p>

B. Representatives who served on the Military Staff Committee in 2018

<i>Delegation</i>	<i>Period of service</i>
China	
Major General Bo Hua, Head of Delegation	Since 5 October 2017
Senior Colonel Min Feng, Army Representative	Since 25 March 2017
Senior Captain Zhiyong Zhao, Navy Representative	Since 25 July 2017
Senior Colonel Wei Lin, Air Force Representative	Since 10 March 2018
Senior Colonel Jiali Zhang, Deputy Air Force Representative	Since 28 October 2017
Lieutenant Colonel Guoxi Gong, Deputy Army Representative	Since 20 July 2014
Lieutenant Colonel Zhaohua Yu, Assistant to the Head of Delegation	Since 10 December 2015
Lieutenant Colonel Xian Zhu, Assistant to the Head of Delegation	Since 25 December 2016
France	
Brigadier General Thierry Lion, Head of Delegation	Since 1 August 2016
Colonel Vincent de Kytspotter, Military Adviser	Since 1 August 2016
Lieutenant Colonel Stéphane Minart, Deputy Military Adviser	1 August 2015 to 1 August 2018
Lieutenant Colonel Messaoud Merah, Deputy Military Adviser	Since 1 August 2018
Major Nadia Riffi, Deputy Military Adviser	Since 1 August 2018
Russian Federation	
Rear Admiral Evgeny Senkin, Head of Delegation	Since 5 July 2013
Colonel Vladimir Skorikov, Deputy Representative	Since 9 September 2016
Captain Dmitry Bogachev, Deputy Representative	29 August 2014 to 3 August 2018
Colonel Pavel Kuznetsov, Chief of Secretariat	Since 4 December 2015
Colonel Sergey Dutov, Assistant Representative	15 June 2014 to 10 June 2018
Colonel Vladimir Akopov, Assistant Representative	Since 3 June 2018
Lieutenant Colonel Maxim Dudzenko, Assistant Representative	Since 19 February 2016
Lieutenant Colonel Aleksandr Mikhailov, Assistant Representative	Since 12 February 2016
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	
Air Vice-Marshal Gavin Parker, Head of Delegation	Since 1 September 2017
Group Captain Tim O'Brien, Military Adviser	Since 31 July 2016
Lieutenant Colonel Andy Norris, Deputy Military Adviser	13 June 2014 to 4 June 2018

<i>Delegation</i>	<i>Period of service</i>
Lieutenant Colonel Andrew Higgs, Deputy Military Adviser	Since 4 June 2018
Captain Joe Carvill, Deputy Military Adviser	12 March to 17 September 2018
United States of America	
Lieutenant General Richard Clark, Head of Delegation	Since 1 August 2017
Major General Glen Vanherck, Vice-Head of Delegation	Since 1 July 2017
Major General Hugh Hegtvedt, Deputy Head of Delegation	Since 1 July 2017
Colonel Jonathan Neumann, Military Adviser	Since 1 August 2017
Lieutenant Colonel Brian Dunn, Deputy Military Adviser	Since 1 August 2016
Lieutenant Colonel Christopher Kuzio, Army Representative	Since 1 July 2016
Lieutenant Colonel Hank McKibban, Air Force Representative	1 July 2016 to 1 June 2018
Commander Suzanne Meyers, Navy Representative	1 August 2016 to 1 September 2018
Commander David Mrosek, Navy Representative	Since 1 September 2018
Lieutenant Colonel Glenn Sadowski, Marine Corps Representative	Since 1 January 2007

C. Chairs of the meetings of the Military Staff Committee held in 2018

<i>Meeting</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Chair</i>	<i>Delegation</i>
1898	12 January	Brigadier General Thierry Lion	France
1899	26 January	Lieutenant Colonel Stéphane Minart	France
1900	1 February	Captain Evgeny Senkin	Russian Federation
1901	9 February	Captain Evgeny Senkin	Russian Federation
1902	22 February	Captain Evgeny Senkin	Russian Federation
1903	9 March	Group Captain Tim O'Brien	United Kingdom
1904	23 March	Air-Vice Marshall Gavin Parker; Group Captain Tim O'Brien	United Kingdom
1905	5 April	Colonel Jonathan Neumann	United States
1906	20 April	Colonel Jonathan Neumann	United States
1907	4 May	Senior Colonel Bo Hua	China
1908	18 May	Senior Colonel Bo Hua	China
1909	31 May	Senior Colonel Bo Hua	China
1910	14 June	Brigadier General Thierry Lion	France
1911	29 June	Brigadier General Thierry Lion	France
1912	13 July	Rear Admiral Evgeny Senkin	Russian Federation
1913	27 July	Rear Admiral Evgeny Senkin	Russian Federation
1914	10 August	Group Captain Tim O'Brien	United Kingdom
1915	24 August	Group Captain Tim O'Brien	United Kingdom
1916	7 September	Colonel Jonathan Neumann	United States
1917	21 September	Colonel Jonathan Neumann	United States
1918	5 October	Senior Colonel Min Feng	China
1919	19 October	Major General Bo Hua	China
1920	2 November	Brigadier General Thierry Lion	France
1921	15 November	Brigadier General Thierry Lion	France
1922	30 November	Brigadier General Thierry Lion	France
1923	14 December	Rear Admiral Evgeny Senkin	Russian Federation
1924	28 December	Rear Admiral Evgeny Senkin	Russian Federation

D. Correspondence sent by the Chair of the Military Staff Committee in 2018

<i>Document number</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Sent to</i>	<i>Contents</i>
MS/2018/01	12 January	President of the Security Council (Kazakhstan)	Transmitting the annual report of the Military Staff Committee containing an account of its activities from 1 January to 31 December 2017 (MS/3544)
MS/2018/08	9 February	Lieutenant General Carlos Loitey, Military Adviser, Office of Military Affairs	Tanzanian peacekeeper
MS/2018/09	9 February	Secretary-General	Informing the Secretary-General of the forthcoming mission of the Committee to Kashmir (United Nations Military Observer Group in India and Pakistan (UNMOGIP)) and requesting assistance with Secretariat support for the Committee
MS/2018/10	12 February	Mr. Syed Akbaruddin, Permanent Representative of India	Providing information on the forthcoming Committee mission to Kashmir (UNMOGIP)
MS/2018/11	12 February	Ms. Maleeha Lodhi, Permanent Representative of Pakistan	Providing information on the forthcoming Committee mission to Kashmir (UNMOGIP)
MS/2018/13	16 February	Mr. Anatolio Ndong Mba, Permanent Representative of Equatorial Guinea, coordinator of the elected ten for the month of January Mr. Tekeda Alemu, Permanent Representative of Ethiopia, coordinator of the elected ten for the month of February	Formal answer to the letter dated 25 January 2018 (MS/2018/07; see appendix IV.E)
MS/2018/19	28 February	Secretary-General	Transmitting the report of the Committee on its mission to the Mediterranean region, 14–22 November 2017 (MS/3542)
MS/2018/20	14 March	Mr. Syed Akbaruddin, Permanent Representative of India	Providing information on the forthcoming mission of the Committee to UNMOGIP
MS/2018/25	5 April	Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations	Request for documents
MS/2018/30	7 May	Secretary-General	Transmitting the report of the Committee on its mission to UNMOGIP, 13–16 April 2018 (MS/3566)
MS/2018/31	7 May	President of the Security Council (Poland)	Transmitting the report of the Committee on its mission to UNMOGIP (MS/3566)
MS/2018/37	7 May	President of the Security Council (Poland)	Reply to the letter dated 3 May 2018 (MS/2018/32; see appendix IV.E)

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MS/2018/42	14 June	President of the Security Council (Russian Federation)	Draft of the note by the President of the Security Council
MS/2018/50	29 June	Secretary-General	Informing the Secretary-General of the forthcoming mission of the Committee to the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in Mali (MINUSMA)
MS/2018/51	16 July	Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations	Request for documents
MS/2018/57	24 August	Mr. Olof Skoog, Permanent Representative of Sweden	Reply to the letter dated 1 August 2018 (MS/2018/56; see appendix IV.E)
MS/2018/64	19 October	Military representatives of the newly elected members of the Security Council	Invitation to observe Committee meetings in December 2018
MS/2018/68	15 November	Military representatives of the newly elected members of the Security Council	Note by the Chair on the working methods of the Committee
MS/2018/69	18 December	President of the Security Council (Côte d'Ivoire)	Note by the Chair on the working principles of the Committee
MS/2018/74	18 December	President of the Security Council (Côte d'Ivoire)	Transmitting the provisional programme of work of the Committee for 2019 (MS/3600)
MS/2018/75	18 December	Secretary-General	Transmitting the provisional programme of work of the Committee for 2019 (MS/3600)
MS/2018/76	14 December	President of the Security Council (Côte d'Ivoire)	Transmitting the report on the Committee on its mission to MINUSMA, 12–15 November 2018 (MS/3599)
MS/2018/77	14 December	Secretary-General	Transmitting the report on Committee on its mission to MINUSMA (MS/3599)
MS/2018/81	28 December	Lieutenant General Carlos Loitey, Military Adviser, Office of Military Affairs	Transmitting the report of the Committee on its mission to MINUSMA (MS/3599)
MS/2018/82	28 December	Lieutenant General Dennis Gyllensporre, Force Commander, MINUSMA	Transmitting the report of the Committee on its mission to MINUSMA (MS/3599)

E. Correspondence received by the Chair of the Military Staff Committee in 2018

<i>Document number</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Received from</i>	<i>Contents</i>
MS/2018/07	25 January	Mr. Anatolio Ndong Mba, Permanent Representative of Equatorial Guinea	Engagement of the elected ten in the work of the Military Staff Committee
MS/2018/32	3 May	Ms. Joanna Wronecka (Poland), President of the Security Council for the month of May	Invitation to attend the Security Council meeting with heads of military components
MS/2018/55	26 July	Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations	Reply to request for documents (MS/2018/51; see appendix IV.D)
MS/2018/56	1 August	Mr. Olof Skoog, Permanent Representative of Sweden	Engagement of the elected ten in the work of the Committee
MS/2018/83	1 November	Permanent Mission of Germany	Credentials letter (ref.: MS/2018/71)
MS/2018/84	27 November	Permanent Mission of Belgium	Credentials letter (ref.: MS/2018/71)
MS/2018/85	7 December	Permanent Mission of South Africa	Credentials letter (ref.: MS/2018/71)
MS/2018/86	12 December	Permanent Mission of Indonesia	Credentials letter (ref.: MS/2018/71)

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