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## Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006)

## Note verbale dated 19 March 2018 from the Permanent Mission of Egypt to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Committee

The Permanent Mission of Egypt to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006) and, in accordance with paragraph 17 of Security Council resolution 2397 (2017), has the honour to transmit herewith the report of Egypt on the implementation of resolution 2397 (2017) (see annex).





## Annex to the note verbale dated 19 March 2018 from the Permanent Mission of Egypt to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Committee

## **Report of Egypt on the implementation of Security Council** resolution 2397 (2017)

Pursuant to paragraph 17 of Security Council resolution 2397 (2017), in which the Council calls on all States to report on the measures that they have taken in order to implement effectively the provisions of the resolution, the Government of Egypt has the honour to reaffirm that it took note of the above-mentioned paragraph and has informed all relevant ministries and State institutions of the provisions thereof, so that they might take the measures required to implement the resolution. The Egyptian authorities have, in fact, taken measures to implement those provisions whenever they have been applicable to any queries or notifications received in that regard.

The Government of Egypt has been taking the measures required to implement Security Council resolutions adopted under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations concerning sanctions. In that connection, on 18 February 2016, the Prime Minister of Egypt issued Decree No. 433 establishing the National Coordinating Committee for the Implementation of United Nations Security Council Sanctions. The Committee, the membership of which comprises the relevant ministries and national agencies, holds regular and, when necessary, extraordinary meetings in its capacity as the body that coordinates Government policies and efforts concerning compliance with sanctions imposed by the Security Council.

The National Coordinating Committee and the national subcommittee concerning sanctions imposed by the Security Council on the Democratic People's Republic of Korea have held meetings with a view to implementing the relevant Security Council resolutions. The members of the subcommittee have adopted several decisions concerning the investigation and review of any commercial or investment transactions involving Democratic People's Republic of Korea individuals or entities, and the Prime Minister has issued instructions in that regard.

The relevant governmental authorities of Egypt have taken the following measures to implement Security Council resolution 2397 (2017):

1. With respect to paragraph 3 of resolution 2397 (2017), in which the Council decides that the measures specified in paragraph 8 (d) of resolution 1718 (2006) shall apply also to the individuals and entities listed in Annexes I and II to resolution 2397 (2017), the relevant Egyptian authorities have added the names and personal data of the individuals listed in Annex I to the list of persons who are prohibited from entering the country that is circulated to all entry/exit points. The Central Bank of Egypt has informed all banks operating in Egypt to take all measures required to prevent the individuals and entities listed in Annexes I and II to the resolution from conduction any banking transactions. In addition, the Ministry of Investment and International Cooperation is in the process of creating control codes for all the individuals and entities listed in Annex II, with a view to suspending their ability to carry out transactions, whether purchase or sale. It should be noted that all the individuals and entities listed in the annexes have not been assigned codes in the database of the Egyptian stock exchange.

2. With respect to paragraphs 4 and 5 of resolution 2397 (2017), in which the Council decides that all Member States shall prohibit the direct or indirect supply, sale or transfer of all crude oil and refined petroleum products to the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, the Egyptian authorities have taken the necessary

measures to prohibit the supply and sale of all crude oil, as stipulated in paragraph 4, and all refined petroleum products, as stipulated in paragraph 5, including by circulating the provisions of the above-mentioned paragraphs to customs facilities in Egypt. The secretariat of the Cabinet has issued instructions to all ministries and affiliated national governmental agencies to use the official names of the Republic of Korea and the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, in order to avoid any confusion when entering or recording data regarding economic and commercial transactions with the Republic of Korea. In addition, the relevant ministries and national agencies are required to circulate those instructions to their subsidiary offices and bodies.

3. With respect to paragraphs 6 and 7 of resolution 2397 (2017), in which the Council decides that the Democratic People's Republic of Korea shall not import food and agricultural products, machinery, electrical equipment and earth and stone, and that Members States shall prohibit the supply, sale or transfer of all industrial machinery, transportation vehicles and iron, steel, and other metals to the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, the competent Egyptian authorities have the taken the necessary measures to circulate the provisions of the above-mentioned paragraphs to the relevant national bodies and customs facilities in Egypt, in order to prevent the supply of any of the above-mentioned items to the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

4. With respect to paragraph 8 of resolution 2397 (2017), in which the Council decides that Member States shall repatriate immediately, but no later than 24 months from the date of adoption of that resolution, to the Democratic People's Republic of Korea all Democratic People's Republic of Korea nationals earning income in the jurisdiction of a Member State, the Ministry of Manpower and the competent Egyptian authorities issued a decision prohibiting the granting of work permits to Democratic People's Republic of Korea nationals.