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Letter dated 8 April 2019 from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) addressed to the President of the Security Council

On behalf of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) and in accordance with paragraph 7 of the eighteenth programme of work of the Committee (S/2019/127, annex), I have the honour to transmit herewith the indicative timetable of regular meetings of the Committee for the period from 1 February 2019 to 31 January 2020 (see annex).

I would appreciate it if the present letter and its annex were brought to the attention of the members of the Security Council and issued as a document of the Council.

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Annex to the letter dated 8 April 2019 from the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) addressed to the President of the Security Council

Indicative timetable of regular meetings of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) for the period from 1 February 2019 to 31 January 2020

I. Background

1. In paragraph 7 of the eighteenth programme of work of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) (S/2019/127, annex), and in accordance with paragraph 2 of Security Council resolution 2325 (2016), it was determined that the Committee, with the support of its Group of Experts and the Secretariat, would propose, by the end of February 2019, an indicative timetable of regular meetings in the form of an annex to the programme of work schedule to ensure that its work across all four main areas would be conducted throughout the year in an appropriate and timely manner and that there would be due consideration of and action in the areas agreed upon.

2. Set out below is a provisional and non-exhaustive list of activities and meetings of the Committee and its working groups, which can be amended. The Chair and the Coordinators of the working groups reserve the right to convene additional meetings of the Committee and working groups, as necessary.

II. List of meetings and activities

March

- Second week: first meetings of working groups 1-4

- 19 March: Chair's briefing to the Security Council
- Estimated dispatch of the following letters:
 - From working group 1: (1) to non-reporting States; (2) to request additional information; (3) to request submission of the points of contact; and (4) to request an update of the points of contact
 - From working group 2: (1) to assistance-requesting States; (2) to regular assistance providers; and (3) to potential assistance providers
 - From working group 3: (1) to request submission of the points of contact; and (2) to request an update of the points of contact

April

- Informal expert-level meeting on the work of the Committee with briefings by the Group of Experts, the Office for Disarmament Affairs and the Security Council Affairs Division
- 15 April: meeting of working group 4
- Estimated dispatch of invitations to international and regional organizations for meeting in September or October
- Estimated dispatch of letters to Member States inviting views on the issue of specificity of States (with an indication that national working papers are to be

submitted in the middle of 2019 (tentatively June) and an open consultation is to be held in the third quarter (tentatively October))

May

- Mid-month: meeting of working group 2
- Week of 27 May: meeting of working group 4

June

 Meeting of working group 3 on organizing the meeting with international and regional organizations in September or October

July

- Early July: meeting of working group 2
- 8 July: meeting of working group 4

August

- Informal expert-level meeting on the work of the Committee with briefings by the Group of Experts, the Office for Disarmament Affairs and the Security Council Affairs Division
- 19 August: meeting of working group 4

September

- Early September: meeting of working group 2
- 30 September: meeting of working group 4

October

- Closed expert-level meeting on accounting for and securing related materials
- Open consultation on the specificity of States¹
- Meeting with international and regional organizations (subject to the schedule of the First Committee)
- Joint briefing to the Security Council by the Chairs of the Committee, 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 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism
- End of October: meeting of working group 2

November

- 11 November: meeting of working group 4
- End of November: meeting of working group 2

¹ The scope of this meeting could be broadened to cover other priorities under resolution 2325 (2016), such as intangible transfers of technology or national control lists. An open meeting could also be dedicated to the upcoming comprehensive review, with the participation of relevant stakeholders.

December

- Committee to consider a working paper on the specificity of States
- Committee meeting on the annual review and its recommendations
- 23 December: meeting of working group 4
- To be confirmed: meeting of working group 3