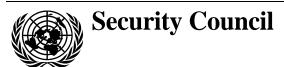
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Summary statement by the Secretary-General on matters of which the Security Council is seized and on the stage reached in their consideration

Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/2004/20 of 14 February 2004, S/2004/20/Add.4 of 5 March 2004, S/2004/20/Add.12 of 7 May 2004, S/2004/20/Add.15 of 28 May 2004, S/2004/20/Add.16 of 4 June 2004, S/2004/20/Add.20 of 2 July 2004, S/2004/20/Add.21 of 9 July 2004, S/2004/20/Add.23 of 23 July 2004, S/2004/20/Add.25 of 6 August 2004, S/2004/20/Add.29 of 18 August 2004, S/2004/20/Add.38 of 28 September 2004, S/2004/20/Add.43 of 4 November 2004, S/2004/20/Add.46 of 26 November 2004 and S/2004/20/Add.47 of 3 December 2004.

During the week ending 11 December 2004, the Security Council took action on the following items:

Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan (*see* S/2004/20/Add.23, 30, 35, 37, 39, 40, 44 and 46; *see also* S/2003/40/Add.40; and S/2004/20/Add.21)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5094th meeting, held on 7 December 2004 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General on the Sudan pursuant to paragraphs 6, 13 and 16 of resolution 1556 (2004), paragraph 15 of resolution 1564 (2004), and paragraph 17 of resolution 1574 (2004) (S/2004/947).

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Kieran Prendergast, Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs.

The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo (*see* S/1997/40/Add.21; S/1998/44/Add.35 and 49; S/1999/25/Add.10, 13, 24, 30, 43, 47 and 49; S/2000/40/Add.3, 7, 16, 17, 19, 21, 23, 30, 33, 40, 47 and 49; S/2001/15/Add.5, 8, 18, 24, 30, 35, 36, 43, 45, 50 and 51; S/2002/30/Add.4, 8, 11, 20, 22, 23, 29, 31, 32, 36, 41, 42, 44 and 48; S/2003/40/Add.3, 6, 11, 19, 21, 25, 27, 28, 30, 32, 34 and 46; and S/2004/20/Add.2, 10, 19, 23, 25, 30 and 39; *see also* S/1996/15/Add.43-45; S/1997/40/Add.5, 7, 9, 13, 16 and 17; S/1998/44/Add.28; S/2001/15/Add.42 and 43; S/2002/30/Add.9, 23 and 37; S/2003/40/Add.22 and 46; and S/2004/20/Add.29 and 34)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5095th meeting, held on 7 December 2004 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo, at her request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/2004/45; to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2004-31 July 2005*).

Security Council mission (*see* S/2003/40/Add.24, 27, 29 and 45; and S/2004/20/Add.3, 7, 26, 28 and 48)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5096th meeting, held on 8 December 2004 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Security Council mission to Central Africa, 21 to 25 November 2004 (S/2004/934).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Burundi, the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Japan, the Netherlands, Rwanda and Uganda, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

Non-proliferation of weapons of mass destruction (see S/2004/20/Add.16 and 17)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5097th meeting, held on 9 December 2004 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it a letter dated 8 December 2004 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004) addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2004/958).

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mihnea Ioan Motoc, Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004).

Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the **United Nations Disengagement Observer Force pursuant to resolution 1353** (2001), annex II, sections A and B (see S/2001/15/Add.47; S/2002/30/Add.20 and 50; S/2003/40/Add.25 and 49; and S/2004/20/Add.25; see also S/7913, S/7923, S/7976, S/8000, S/8048, S/8066, S/8215, S/8242, S/8252, S/8269, S/8502, S/8525, S/8534, S/8564, S/8575, S/8584, S/8595, S/8747, S/8753, S/8807, S/8815, S/8828, S/8836, S/8885, S/8896, S/8960, S/9123, S/9135, S/9319, S/9382, S/9395, S/9406, S/9427 and Corr.1, S/9449, S/9452, S/9805, S/9812, S/9930, S/10327, S/10341, S/10554, S/10557, S/10703, S/10721, S/10729, S/10743, S/10770/Add.4, S/10855/Add.15, 16, 23, 24, 29, 30, 33, 41, 43 and 44; S/11185/Add.14-16, 21, 42/Rev.1 and 47; S/11593/Add.15, 21, 29, 42 and 49; S/11935/Add.21, 42 and 48; S/12269/Add.12, 13, 21, 42 and 48; S/12520/Add.10, 11, 17, 21, 37, 39, 42, 47 and 48; S/13033/Add.2, 16, 19, 21, 23, 34, 47 and 50; S/13737/Add.15, 16, 21, 24-26, 33, 47 and 50; S/14326/Add.10, 11, 20, 24, 28, 29, 47 and 50; S/14840/Add.8, 21-25, 27, 30-33, 37, 42 and 48; S/15560/Add.3, 21, 29, 37, 42, 45, 47 and 48; S/16270/Add.6-8, 15, 20, 21, 34, 35, 40 and 47; S/16880/Add.8-10, 15, 20, 21, 41 and 46; S/17725/Add.2, 15, 21, 28, 35, 38, 43 and 47; S/18570/Add.2, 21, 30 and 47; S/19420/Add.2-4, 18, 19, 22 and Corr.1, 30, 48 and 50; S/20370/Add.4, 12, 16, 21, 30, 32, 37, 44, 46, 47 and 51; S/21100/Add.4, 21, 30 and 47; S/22110/Add.4, 21, 30 and 47; S/23370/Add.4, 7, 21, 30 and 47; S/25070/Add.4, 21, 30 and 48; S/1994/20/Add.3, 20, 29 and 47; S/1995/40/Add.4, 21, 29 and 47; S/1996/15/Add.4, 15, 21, 30 and 47; S/1997/40/Add.4, 21, 30 and 46; S/1998/44/Add.4, 21, 30 and 47; S/1999/25/Add.3, 20, 29 and 46; S/2000/40/Add.4, 15, 20, 21, 24, 29 and 47; S/2001/15/Add.5, 22, 31 and 48; S/2002/30/Add.4, 21, 30 and 50; S/2003/40/Add.4, 25, 30 and 51; and S/2004/20/Add.4, 26, 30, 35, and 42)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5098th (private) meeting, held on 10 December 2004 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

At the close of the meeting, in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the following communiqué was issued through the Secretary-General in place of a verbatim record:

"On 10 December 2004, the Security Council, pursuant to annex II, sections A and B, of resolution 1353 (2001), held its 5098th meeting in private with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (UNDOF).

"The Security Council and the troop-contributing countries heard a briefing under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure by Lisa Buttenheim, Director of the Asia and Middle East Division of the Department of Peacekeeping Operations.

"Members of the Council, Ms. Buttenheim and representatives of participating troop-contributing countries had a constructive exchange of views."