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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, and in accordance with paragraph 7 of the note by the President dated 19 December 2007 (S/2007/749), the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The complete list of items of which the Security Council was seized as at 1 November 2008 is contained in document S/2008/10/Add.43 of 7 November 2008.

The present addendum lists the items on which the Security Council took action during the week ending 22 November 2008. The dates given for each item indicate when the item was first taken up by the Council at a formal meeting, and the most recent formal meeting of the Council held on that item.

Maintenance of international peace and security (25 June 2007; 19 November 2008)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 6017th meeting, held on 19 November 2008. The Council, under rule 37 of its provisional rules of procedure, invited the representatives of Algeria, Argentina, Armenia, Australia, Austria, Benin, Bolivia, Brazil, Canada, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Guatemala, Japan, Mexico, Morocco, Nigeria, Norway, Pakistan, Qatar, Spain, Switzerland and the United Republic of Tanzania, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote. Under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure, the Council extended invitations to Sergio Duarte, High Representative for Disarmament Affairs, and Archbishop Celestino Migliore, Apostolic Nuncio, Permanent Observer of the Holy See to the United Nations. The President, on behalf of the Council, made a statement (S/PRST/2008/43).

The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo (29 May 1997; 20 November 2008)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 6018th meeting, held on 20 November 2008. The Council, under rule 37 of its provisional rules of procedure, invited the representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo, at his request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote. The Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2008/716,



submitted by Belgium, Costa Rica, Croatia, France, Italy, South Africa, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1843 (2008).

The situation in Somalia (17 March 1992; 20 November 2008)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 6019th and 6020th meetings, held on 20 November 2008. At its 6019th meeting, the Council, under rule 37 of its provisional rules of procedure, invited the representative of Somalia, at his request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote. The Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2008/710, submitted by the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1844 (2008). At its 6020th meeting, the Council, under rule 37 of its provisional rules of procedure, invited the representative of Somalia, at his request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote. Under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure, the Council extended invitations to Haile Menkerios, Assistant Secretary-General for Political Affairs; Raisedon Zenenga, Director of the Africa II Division of the Department of Peacekeeping Operations; Efthimios Mitropoulos, Secretary-General of the International Maritime Organization; and Lila Ratsifandrihamanana, Permanent Observer of the African Union to the United Nations.

The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina (9 September 1992; 20 November 2008)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 6021st meeting, held on 20 November 2008. The Council, under rule 37 of its provisional rules of procedure, invited the representatives of Bosnia and Herzegovina and Germany, at their request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote. The Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2008/720, submitted by Belgium, Croatia, France, Germany, Italy, the Russian Federation, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1845 (2008).
