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# Budget for the support account for peacekeeping operations for the period from 1 July 2011 to 30 June 2012

## **Report of the Secretary-General**

Corrigendum

1. Page 55

Under expected accomplishment 1.1, the first output should read

• 5 visits to Member States and regional organizations to discuss contributions to peacekeeping operations, addressing the requirement for peacekeeping missions to be able to deter, through the posture they adopt and actions they take, threats to the implementation of mandates, safety and security of peacekeeping personnel, and ongoing peace processes, the protection of civilians and evolving operational requirements, as well as the implementation of modularization for force generation in accordance with the global field support strategy

## 2. Page 64

Under Office of the Assistant Secretary-General, the fourth output should read

• 2 technical guidance materials on the coordination of security sector reform support

## 3. Paragraph 158

For the existing text substitute

158. During the 2008/09 budget period, while work on several current initiatives continued and work on several new ones commenced, no policy, guidance or training materials could be completed. During the 2010/11 period, it is anticipated that three or four products will be released, although after significant delay.

<sup>\*</sup> Reissued for technical reasons on 20 June 2011.





Furthermore, a donor-funded project for the development of professional working tools, including a programme review of methodology and an operational policy to guide the work of the justice components of United Nations peacekeeping operations and other field missions, has been delayed for several years owing to the lack of staff capacity. To address this problem, the Service has developed a small policy cell, staffed by one Judicial Officer, to expedite the production, review and dissemination of policy, guidance and training materials. The incumbent of the existing Officer post serves as a focal point for only one mission, freeing up the Officer's time to engage in guidance work. This has improved the ability of the Service to finalize guidance materials, including the working tools on justice policy referred to above. Nonetheless, this solution was only the first step in addressing the current demands.

#### 4. Paragraph 159

#### For the existing text substitute

159. The Corrections Team of the Service supports up to 275 Corrections Officers in 8 DPKO-led missions (MINUSTAH, MONUSCO, UNAMID, UNOCI, UNMIL, UNMIS, UNMIT and UNAMA). This figure includes up to an additional 100 seconded Corrections Officers authorized for Haiti in the context of the enhanced police strength following the earthquake on 12 January 2010. In addition to other support functions, the Corrections Team interacts with Member States that provide seconded Corrections Officers to peacekeeping operations; solicits offers of secondment; screens, interviews and selects the Officers proposed; and otherwise manages the selection and rotation of this category of seconded staff. The Justice Team supports 175 Judicial Officers in 9 DPKO-led missions (UNOCI, UNAMID, MONUSCO, MINUSTAH, UNMIK, UNMIL, UNMIS, UNMIT and UNAMA).