

7. The situation in the Central African Republic

During the period under review, the Security Council held twenty meetings in connection with the situation in the Central African Republic, including one closed meeting with troop- and police-contributing countries to the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in the Central African Republic (MINUSCA),²⁵ and adopted two presidential statements and six resolutions under Chapter VII of the Charter. The Council, working with the African Union, the Economic Community of Central African States (ECCAS), the European Union and other regional and international partners gave sustained consideration to this item, focusing on constraining intercommunal confrontations between anti-Balaka and ex-Séléka to advance reconciliation process; promoting inclusive political dialogue and assisting with the constitutional referendum, and the legislative and presidential elections to complete the transition and restore peace and security; facilitating the delivery of and strengthening international action on humanitarian assistance to civilians affected by armed conflict, the displaced and refugees; and proceeding to disarmament, demobilization, reintegration and repatriation and preparing for security-sector reform.

By resolution [2149 \(2014\)](#), the Council established the United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in the Central African Republic (MINUSCA)²⁶ and requested the Secretary-General to subsume the presence of the United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in the Central African Republic (BINUCA)²⁷ into MINUSCA via a seamless transition. The Council further decided to transfer authority from the African-led International Support Mission to the Central African Republic (MISCA) to MINUSCA, which took place on 15 September 2014. By

²⁵ For private meeting with troop- and police-contributing countries to MINUSCA, see [S/PV.7427](#).

²⁶ For more information on the mandate of MINUSCA, see part X, sect. I with regard to peacekeeping operations.

²⁷ For more information on the mandate of BINUCA, see part X, sect. II with regard to political and peacebuilding missions.

resolution [2217 \(2015\)](#), the Council extended the mandate of MINUSCA for a period of one year until 30 April 2016.

By resolution [2134 \(2014\)](#), the sanctions regimes were further strengthened through applying a travel ban and assets freeze against individuals and entities designated by the Committee established pursuant to resolution [2127 \(2013\)](#).²⁸ By resolution [2196 \(2015\)](#), the Council decided to extend the sanctions measures until 29 January 2016. The mandate of the Panel of Experts established pursuant to resolution [2127 \(2013\)](#) was extended twice for one year each, in resolutions [2134 \(2014\)](#) and [2196 \(2015\)](#), respectively.²⁹

²⁸ For more information on the sanctions measures concerning the Central African Republic, see Part VII, section III, with regard to measures in accordance with Article 41.

²⁹ For more information on the Committee established pursuant to resolution [2127 \(2013\)](#) and the mandate of the Panel of Experts established pursuant to resolution [2127 \(2013\)](#), see Part IX, section I, with regard to committees established under Chapter VII of the Charter.

Meetings: the situation in the Central African Republic

<i>Meeting and date</i>	<i>Sub-item</i>	<i>Other documents</i>	<i>Rule 37 invitations</i>	<i>Rule 39 and other invitations</i>	<i>Speakers</i>	<i>Decision and vote (for-against- abstaining)</i>
S/PV.7092 6 January 2014	Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in the Central African Republic (S/2013/787)		Central African Republic (Minister for Foreign Affairs, African Integration, Francophonie and Central Africans Abroad)	Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs, Permanent Observer of the African Union to the United Nations	Chad (on behalf of the Economic Community of Central African States) and all invitees	
S/PV.7098 22 January 2014				Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Children and Armed Conflict, Special Advisor to the Secretary-General on the Prevention of Genocide, Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Sexual Violence in Conflict, Assistant Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Deputy Emergency Relief Coordinator	Rule 39 invitees	
S/PV.7103 28 January 2014	Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in the Central African Republic (S/2013/787)	Draft resolution (S/2014/54) submitted by 11 Member States ^a	Central African Republic	Head of the Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations	Russian Federation and rule 39 invitee	Resolution 2134 (2014) (15-0-0) (adopted under Chapter VII)
S/PV.7114 20 February 2014			Central African Republic	Commissioner for Peace and Security of the African Union	Secretary-General and all invitees	
S/PV.7128 6 March 2014	Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in the Central African Republic pursuant to paragraph 48 of Security Council resolution 2127		Central African Republic (Minister for Foreign Affairs, African Integration, Francophonie and Central Africans	Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations, Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator, United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees,	All invitees	

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	(2013) (S/2014/142)		Abroad)	Permanent Observer of the African Union to the United Nations		
S/PV.7153 10 April 2014	Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in the Central African Republic pursuant to paragraph 48 of Security Council resolution 2127 (2013) (S/2014/142)	Draft resolution (S/2014/252) submitted by 10 Member States ^b	Central African Republic (Minister for Foreign Affairs, African Integration, Francophonie and Central Africans Abroad)		Chad and Central African Republic	Resolution 2149 (2014) (15-0-0) (adopted under Chapter VII)
S/PV.7206 24 June 2014			Central African Republic (Minister for Public Health, Social Affairs, Gender and Humanitarian Action)	Acting Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of MINUSCA, Executive Director of the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women	All invitees	
S/PV.7215 11 July 2014	Letter dated 26 June 2014 from the Panel of Experts on the Central African Republic established pursuant to Security Council resolution 2127 (2013) addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/452)				Lithuania (as Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2127 (2013))	
S/PV.7246 19 August 2014	Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in the Central African Republic (S/2014/562)		Central African Republic	Special Representative of the Secretary-General, Chair of the Central African Republic Configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission and Permanent Representative of Morocco	Rule 39 invitees	

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S/PV.7280 21 October 2014		Draft resolution submitted by France (S/2014/745)				Resolution 2181 (2014) (15-0-0) (adopted under Chapter VII)
S/PV.7329 9 December 2014	Letter dated 28 October 2014 from the Panel of Experts on the Central African Republic established pursuant to Security Council resolution 2127 (2013) addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/762) Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in the Central African Republic (S/2014/857) Letter dated 5 December 2014 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/870)			Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations	Lithuania (as Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2127 (2013)) and rule 39 invitee	
S/PV.7349 18 December 2014	Letter dated 28 October 2014 from the Panel of Experts on the Central African Republic established pursuant to Security Council resolution 2127 (2013) addressed to the President of the Security Council					S/PRST/2014/28

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	(S/2014/762)					
	Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in the Central African Republic (S/2014/857)					
	Letter dated 5 December 2014 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/870)					
S/PV.7366 22 January 2015	Letter dated 28 October 2014 from the Panel of Experts on the Central African Republic established pursuant to Security Council resolution 2127 (2013) addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/762)	Draft resolution submitted by France (S/2015/43)				Resolution 2196 (2015) (15-0-0) (adopted under Chapter VII)
S/PV.7416 26 March 2015	Letter dated 29 January 2015 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2015/85)	Draft resolution submitted by France (S/2015/210)				Resolution 2212 (2015) (15-0-0) (adopted under Chapter VII)
S/PV.7424 (closed) 8 April 2015				Special Representative of the Secretary-General		

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S/PV.7427 14 April 2015	Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in the Central African Republic (S/2015/227) Letter dated 10 April 2015 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2015/248)			Special Representative of the Secretary-General	Rule 39 invitee	
S/PV.7434 28 April 2015	Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in the Central African Republic (S/2015/227) Letter dated 10 April 2015 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2015/248)	Draft resolution (S/2015/290) submitted by 10 Member States ^c	Central African Republic		Central African Republic	Resolution 2217 (2015) (15-0-0) (adopted under Chapter VII)
S/PV.7500 5 August 2015	Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in the Central African Republic (S/2015/576)		Central African Republic	Special Representative of the Secretary-General, representative of the Chair of the Central African Republic Configuration of the Peacebuilding Commission and Deputy Permanent Representative of Morocco	Rule 39 invitees	
S/PV.7537 20 October 2015						S/PRST/2015/17
S/PV.7578 14 December 2015	Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in the Central African Republic (S/2015/918)			Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations	Lithuania (as Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant	

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	Letter dated 10 December 2015 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2015/943)					to resolution 2127 (2013)) and rule 39 invitee

^a Australia, Chad, Chile, France, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Nigeria, Republic of Korea, Rwanda, United Kingdom and United States.

^b Australia, France, Jordan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Nigeria, Republic of Korea, Rwanda, United Kingdom and United States.

^c Angola, Chad, Chile, France, Jordan, Lithuania, Nigeria, Spain, United Kingdom and United States.