

25. The situation concerning Iraq

During the period under review, the Security Council held twelve meetings, adopted two resolutions and issued two presidential statements in connection with the situation in Iraq. The Council heard regular briefings by the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Iraq and Head of the United Nations Assistance Mission in Iraq (UNAMI) on the situation on the ground, activities of UNAMI and developments pertaining to the search for missing Kuwaiti and third-country nationals and missing Kuwaiti property, including its national archives. The Council also heard briefings by the Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator on the humanitarian dimensions of the conflict and by the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights on the human rights situation in Iraq and serious human rights crimes reportedly being committed by the terrorist organizations known as “Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant” (ISIL). The Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs briefed the Council on the tensions arising from increased deployment of the Turkish troops in the northern Iraq.

By resolutions [2169 \(2014\)](#) and [2233 \(2015\)](#), the Council extended the mandate of UNAMI⁹⁶ for one year each time.

⁹⁶For more information on the mandate of UNAMI, see part X, sect. II with regard to political and peacebuilding missions.

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S/PV.7093 10 January 2014			Iraq		Iraq	S/PRST/2014/1
S/PV.7149 27 March 2014	Second report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 6 of resolution 2110 (2013) (S/2014/190)		Iraq	Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Iraq and Head of UNAMI	All invitees	
S/PV.7224 23 July 2014	Second report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013) (S/2014/191) Third report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013) (S/2014/480)		Iraq	Special Representative of the Secretary-General	All invitees	
S/PV.7230 30 July 2014	Third report of the Secretary-General submitted pursuant to paragraph 6 of resolution 2110 (2013) (S/2014/485) Third report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013) (S/2014/480)	Draft resolution submitted by the United States (S/2014/540)				Resolution 2169 (2014) 15-0-0
S/PV.7271 19 September 2014	Third report of the Secretary-General submitted pursuant to paragraph 6 of resolution 2110 (2013) (S/2014/485)		25 Member States ^a	Special Representative of the Secretary-General	All Council members ^b and invitees ^c	S/PRST/2014/20
S/PV.7314 18 November 2014	First report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 6 of resolution 2169 (2014) (S/2014/774) Fourth report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013) (S/2014/776)		Iraq	Special Representative of the Secretary-General, Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator and United Nations High Commissioner for Human	All invitees	

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S/PV.7383 17 February 2015	Fifth report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013) (S/2015/70)		Iraq	Special Representative of the Secretary-General	All invitees	
	Second report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 6 of resolution 2169 (2014) (S/2015/82)					
S/PV.7443 14 May 2015	Sixth report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013) (S/2015/298)		Iraq	Special Representative of the Secretary-General, Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator	All invitees	
	Third report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 6 of resolution 2169 (2014) (S/2015/305)					
S/PV.7489 22 July 2015	Seventh report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013) (S/2015/518)		Iraq	Special Representative of the Secretary-General	All invitees	
	Fourth report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 6 of resolution 2169 (2014) (S/2015/530)					
S/PV.7495 29 July 2015	Seventh report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013) (S/2015/518)	Draft resolution submitted by Angola, France, Jordan, Spain, United Kingdom and United States (S/2015/570)				Resolution 2233 (2015) 15-0-0
	Fourth report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 6 of resolution 2169 (2014) (S/2015/530)					
S/PV.7556 11 November 2015	First report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 7 of resolution 2233 (2015) (S/2015/819)		Iraq	Special Representative of the Secretary-General	All invitees	
	Eighth report of the Secretary-General pursuant to					

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	paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013) (S/2015/826)					
S/PV.7589 18 December 2015	Letter dated 11 December 2015 from the Permanent Representative of Iraq to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2015/963)		Iraq, Turkey	Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs	All invitees ^d	

^a Albania, Bahrain, Belgium, Canada, Denmark, Egypt, Finland, Germany, Georgia, Iraq, Iran, Italy, Japan, Lebanon, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Oman, Poland, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Spain, Syrian Arab Republic, Turkey and United Arab Emirates.

^b11 Council members were represented at the Ministerial level: Argentina (Secretary of Foreign Affairs), Australia (Minister for Foreign Affairs), Chad (Minister of Foreign Affairs and African Integration), Chile (Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs), Iraq and France (Minister for Foreign Affairs), Jordan (Minister for Foreign Affairs and Expatriates Affairs), Luxembourg (Minister of Foreign and European Affairs), Rwanda (Minister for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation), United Kingdom (Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for the Foreign and Commonwealth Office), United States (Secretary of State).

^c Bahrain (Minister for Foreign Affairs), Belgium (Minister of State), Canada (Minister of Foreign Affairs), Denmark (Permanent Secretary of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs), Egypt (Minister of Foreign Affairs), Finland (Secretary of State at the Ministry for Foreign Affairs), Georgia (Minister of Foreign Affairs), Germany (Minister of Foreign Affairs), Islamic Republic of Iran (Deputy Foreign Minister for International and Legal Affairs), Iraq (Minister of Foreign Affairs), Italy (Minister of Foreign Affairs), Netherlands (Minister for Foreign Affairs), Japan (Parliamentary Vice-Minister for Foreign Affairs), Norway (Minister of Foreign Affairs), Qatar (Minister of Foreign Affairs), Spain (Minister for Foreign Affairs), Turkey (Minister of Foreign Affairs), Oman (Minister responsible for Foreign Affairs), United Arab Emirates (Minister of Foreign Affairs).

^d Iraq was represented by the Minister for Foreign Affairs.