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Programme planning

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Corrigendum

1. Paragraph 2.6

The second sentence *should read*

The Office will support the work of the Commission by preparing analytical background documents and briefing notes to facilitate its engagement and its interaction with the United Nations system and other stakeholders.

2. Subprogramme 1: prevention, management and resolution of conflicts

(a) Expected accomplishment of the Secretariat (a)

For the existing text *substitute*

(a) Improved capacity and capability of Member States to identify, prevent and address conflict situations

(b) Paragraph 2.8

For the existing text *substitute*

2.8 Substantive responsibility for this subprogramme is vested in the six regional divisions: Africa I Division, Africa II Division, Asia and the Pacific Division, Americas Division, Europe Division and Middle East and West Asia Division. Conflict prevention, management and resolution, as well as post-conflict peacebuilding, are central objectives of the Organization under the Charter. The Department will promote a more effective and cohesive response to help achieve

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these goals by: (a) responding in a timely manner to conflict situations; (b) providing timely and accurate information, analysis and policy options; (c) formulating recommendations on measures that could be undertaken by the United Nations system; (d) making available and providing substantive support to the Secretary-General's good offices, where appropriate; (e) providing substantive, political and technical support to the Secretary-General in the discharge of his functions and in his relationships with Member States; (f) enhancing the capacity of regional and subregional organizations; (g) strengthening the Department's capacity, expertise and partnerships with other United Nations and subregional, regional and international organizations in order to address more effectively peace and security challenges, especially in non-mission settings; (h) developing coherent strategies for crisis prevention and post-conflict peacebuilding, linking diplomatic, security, humanitarian, human rights and developmental efforts by the United Nations system and other international and regional actors; and (i) empowering women in peacebuilding and mediation efforts. To that end, the Department will provide political guidance and substantive support to the various operational mechanisms of the United Nations for the prevention, management and resolution of conflicts, as well as for peacebuilding. These include the special envoys and advisers of the Secretary-General, United Nations regional offices and centres, and other types of special political missions.

3. Paragraph 2.18

For the existing text *substitute*

2.18 In support of the above-mentioned legislative bodies, especially the Special Committee, advice and substantive assistance will be provided to the Committee, including in its deliberations on the situation in the remaining 17 Non-Self-Governing Territories at the annual sessions; during the preparation and conduct of its seminars held alternately in the Caribbean and the Pacific regions; during visiting missions; and in any other activity carried out to implement the mandated programme of work of the Committee. Assistance will also be provided in improving the Committee's cooperation with the administering Powers, maintaining contacts with the representatives of the Non-Self-Governing Territories and developing relations with the organizations and agencies of the United Nations system, in accordance with the relevant General Assembly resolutions, aimed at achieving further progress in decolonization and bringing a complete end to colonialism. Supportive actions will include closely following the developments in the Non-Self-Governing Territories, conducting research and preparing working papers, reports and analytical and briefing materials. In addition, in cooperation with the Department of Public Information, information material, including publications and audio and visual programmes related to decolonization, will be prepared and disseminated to a wide audience, with a view to increasing the awareness of the international community with regard to the decolonization issues as well as in mobilizing international support for the achievement of the complete eradication of colonialism.

4. Subprogramme 6: question of Palestine

(a) Indicator of achievement (iii)

For the existing text *substitute*

(iii) Increase in international awareness of the question of Palestine, including through an increased number of quality briefing notes, informational materials and resources provided by the Division for Palestinian Rights

(b) Paragraph 2.19

After the second sentence, insert a new sentence *reading*

Supportive action by the United Nations will continue until all aspects of the question of Palestine are resolved in a satisfactory manner in accordance with international law.

5. Legislative mandates

Subprogramme 1: prevention, management and resolution of conflicts

Security Council resolutions/presidential statements and other documents

[S/PRST/2011/4](#)

For the existing text *substitute*

[S/PRST/2011/4](#) Maintenance of international peace and security: the interdependence between security and development