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Letter dated 16 August 2013 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council

I have the honour to refer to Security Council resolution [2111 \(2013\)](#), adopted by the Council on 24 July 2013. In paragraph 27 of the resolution, the Council requested the Secretary-General to re-establish the Monitoring Group on Somalia and Eritrea, consisting of eight experts, for a period of 16 months, drawing, as appropriate, on the expertise of the members of the Monitoring Group established pursuant to resolutions [2060 \(2012\)](#), [2002 \(2011\)](#), and [1916 \(2010\)](#), and consistent with resolution [1907 \(2009\)](#), in order to fulfil its mandate.

Accordingly, I wish to inform you that, after consulting with the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions [751 \(1992\)](#) and [1907 \(2009\)](#) concerning Somalia and Eritrea, I have appointed the following experts:

Somalia

Ms. Déirdre Clancy, Ireland (humanitarian expert)

Mr. Dinesh Mahtani, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (finance expert)

Mr. Jörg Roofthoof, Belgium (transport/maritime expert)

Mr. Babatunde Taiwo, Nigeria (arms expert)

Eritrea

Mr. Nicholas Argeros, United States of America (finance expert)

Ms. Zeina Awad, Lebanon (transport expert)

Mr. Cornelis Steenken, Netherlands (arms expert)

I have also designated Mr. Jarat Chopra, Canada (regional expert), to serve as Coordinator of the Monitoring Group.

I should be grateful if you would bring this matter to the attention of the members of the Security Council.

(Signed) **BAN** Ki-moon

