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Letter dated 5 October 2015 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council

I have the honour to refer to the United Nations Organization Stabilization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (MONUSCO), established by Security Council resolution 1925 (2010) as at 1 July 2010 and most recently extended by resolution 2211 (2015) of 26 March 2015.

Following the usual consultations, I would like to inform you of my intention to appoint Maman Sambo Sidikou (Niger) as my Special Representative for the Democratic Republic of the Congo and Head of MONUSCO. He replaces Martin Kobler (Germany), who will complete his assignment on 31 October 2015. I would like to take this opportunity to express my gratitude to Mr. Kobler for his dedication and leadership of MONUSCO.

I should be grateful if you could bring the present letter to the attention of the members of the Security Council.

(Signed) **BAN** Ki-moon

