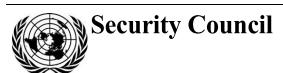
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Letter dated 27 June 2019 from the President of the Security Council addressed to the Secretary-General

Further to the letter dated 24 May 2019 from Ambassador Dian Triansyah Djani, I have the honour to confirm that the members of the Security Council have agreed to send a mission to Iraq and Kuwait from 27 June to 30 June 2019. The members have agreed on the terms of reference of the mission (see annex).

The mission will be co-led by Ambassador Mansour Alotaibi (Kuwait) and Ambassador Jonathan Cohen (United States of America).

Following consultations with the members, it has been agreed that the composition of the mission will be as follows:

Ambassador Marc Pecsteen de Buytswerve (Belgium)

Ambassador Wu Haitao (China)

Ambassador Gbolié Désiré Wulfran Ipo (Côte d'Ivoire)

Ambassador José Singer Weisinger (Dominican Republic)

Ambassador Job Obiang Esono Mbengono (Equatorial Guinea)

Ms. Anne Gueguen (France)

Ambassador Christoph Heusgen (Germany)

Ambassador Dian Triansyah Djani (Indonesia)

Ambassador Mansour Alotaibi (Kuwait)

Ambassador Gustavo Meza-Cuadra (Peru)

Ambassador Joanna Wronecka (Poland)

Mr. Vladimir Safronkov (Russian Federation)

Mr. Marthinus Van Schalkwyk (South Africa)

Ambassador Stephen Hickey (United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland)

Ambassador Jonathan Cohen (United States of America)

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter and its annex circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Mansour Alotaibi President of the Security Council





Annex

Terms of reference of the Security Council mission to Kuwait and Iraq, June 2019

- 1. The Security Council will carry out its mission to Kuwait and Iraq on 28 and 29 June 2019. The mission will travel to Kuwait City and Baghdad and will be co-led by the United States of America and Kuwait.
- 2. The objectives of the mission are as follows:
- (a) To demonstrate the Council's support for post-conflict recovery and reconstruction, and for the sovereignty, unity and territorial integrity of Iraq;
- (b) To observe and support the efforts of the United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq to implement its mandate in line with resolutions 2470 (2019) and 2107 (2013) and other related Security Council resolutions;
- (c) To observe and support the efforts of the United Nations Investigative Team to Promote Accountability for Crimes Committed by Da'esh/Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant, established in resolution 2379 (2017);
- (d) To address the humanitarian situation and to promote the safe, dignified, and voluntary return of all internally displaced persons affected by conflict;
- (e) To recognize the challenges in transitioning into a post-conflict environment, including the need for economic reform and attracting inward investment, and to better understand the aspirations and concerns of the Iraqi people as they continue the process of stabilizing and rebuilding their country.
- 3. The mission will seek to achieve these objectives through meetings with:
 - (a) The Government of Iraq, including its constitutional authorities;
- (b) Representatives of the United Nations in Iraq, including the United Nations country team;
- (c) Representatives of political parties and minority groups in the Iraqi Parliament and religious leaders;
 - (d) Representatives of the Kurdistan Regional Government;
 - (e) Members of civil society and non-governmental organizations.
- 4. The mission will seek to implement lessons learned from previous Security Council missions.

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