UNITED NATIONS POLITICAL AND PEACE-BUILDING MISSIONS

NUMBER OF MISSIONS ....................................................................................................................................... 10

PERSONNEL
International civilian personnel ....................................................................................................................................... 657
Military and police advisors and liaison officers ........................................................................................................ 109
Local civilian personnel .........................................................................................................................................1,502
UN Volunteers .............................................................................................................................................................. 81
Total number of personnel serving in political and peacebuilding missions ............................................ 2,349

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United Nations
CURRENT POLITICAL AND PEACE-BUILDING MISSIONS

**UNAMA*** Since 28 March 2002
United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan
Special Representative of the Secretary-General: Jean Arnault (France)
Strength: international civilian 198; local civilian 754; military observer 12; civilian police 6; UN volunteer 43

**BONUCA** Since 15 February 2000
United Nations Peace-building Office in the Central African Republic
Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of BONUCA: Lamine Cissé (Senegal)
Strength: international civilian 24; military advisers 5; police 6; local civilian 44; UN volunteer 1

**Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for the Great Lakes Region** Since 19 December 1997
Special Representative of the Secretary-General: Ibrahima Fall (Senegal)
Strength: international civilian 8; local civilian 8

**UNOGBIS** Since 3 March 1999
United Nations Peace-building Support Office in Guinea-Bissau
Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of UNOGBIS: João Bernardo Honwana (Mozambique)
Strength: international civilian 11; military adviser 2; police adviser 1; local civilian 13

**UNSCO** Since 1 October 1999
Office of the United Nations Special Coordinator for the Middle East
Special Coordinator for the Middle East Peace Process and Personal Representative of the Secretary-General to the Palestine Liberation Organization and the Palestinian Authority: Alvaro de Soto (Peru)
Strength: international civilian 25; local civilian 23

**UNPOS** Since 15 April 1995
United Nations Political Office for Somalia
Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of UNPOS: Francois Lonseny Fall (Guinea)
Strength: international civilian 5; local civilian 3

**UNTOP** Since 1 June 2000
United Nations Tajikistan Office of Peace-building
Representative of the Secretary-General for Tajikistan: Vladimir Sotirov (Bulgaria)
Strength: international civilian 10; police adviser 1; local civilian 18

**Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for West Africa** Since 29 November 2001
Special Representative of the Secretary-General: Ahmedou Ould-Abdallah (Mauritania)
Strength: international civilian 7; local civilian 7

**UNAMI** Since 14 August 2003
United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq
Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Iraq: Ashraf Jehangir Qazi (Pakistan)
Authorized strength: 816 (344 international, 472 local)
Current strength (staff based in Iraq, Jordan and Kuwait): international civilian 211; local civilian 351; military advisor 3

**UNOTIL*** Since 21 May 2005
United Nations Office in Timor-Leste
Special Representative of the Secretary General and Head of Office: Sukehiro Hasegawa (Japan)
Strength: international civilian 158; local civilian 281; military advisor 15; police 58; UN volunteer 37

* Political mission directed and supported by the Department of Peacekeeping Operations. All other political and peace-building missions are directed by the Department of Political Affairs. For information on political and peace-building missions, visit the United Nations website at http://www.un.org/Depts/dpa/prev_dip/fst_prev_dip.htm

Mission completed in 2005:

**UNOMB** 1 January 2004 - 30 June 2005
United Nations Observer Mission in Bougainville

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