

**United Nations
Operation Mozambique**

The Control and Supervision Commission:

Considering that the minimum period required for positioning the United Nations contingents in Mozambique would be at least three months from the date of Security Council approval of the United Nations Operation in Mozambique (UNOMOZ);

Also considering that there may be further delays due to the process of budget approval by the General Assembly's Consultative Commission on Budgetary Questions (CCBQ), thus restricting the budgetary capacity of UNOMOZ until at least mid-February;

Taking into account that, in these circumstances, the forces would not be able to begin concentrating before April, which would cause serious problems for them given that they have been waiting to be demobilised for some time and are showing growing signs of impatience;

Also considering the risks that could arise from the negative effect on troop morale and discipline caused by the prolongation of this situation;

Expressing concern that the delays in concentrating the forces could affect the progress of the whole peace process, and especially of the electoral campaign, which will not be able to begin until the demobilisation of the armed forces of both Parties is complete and the new unified army is constituted;

Considering the desire expressed by both Parties in informal meetings to use all the human and financial resources currently available to speed up the concentration of the forces at the assembly and billeting points;

Taking into consideration the readiness shown by the United Nations Secretary-General's Special Representative to proceed with the concentration of forces at the assembly and billeting points in stages, at a pace that is compatible with the United Nations' existing level of control and support capacity, which will increase as the various components of the UNOMOZ contingents arrive in Mozambique;

1. Decides to accept the proposals of the Secretary-General's Special Representative and implement them in accordance with the following plan:

a) complete, in the space of 30 days from the date of approving this document, the reconnaissance of the 49 assembly and billeting points identified by both Parties, in accordance

with the arrangements established by the Cease-fire Commission (CCF);

b) identify the 49 assembly and billeting points in four phases, based on their ease of access and quality of available infrastructures, and complete the logistic plans for equipping these places with all the basic needs for accommodating the forces;

c) as soon as the first 12 assembly and billeting points have been identified and equipped, continue in the same way with the identification, installation and equipping of another 12 assembly and billeting points, at a pace compatible with the human and financial resources that the United Nations has available at the time, advancing at the same pace until all the 49 assembly and billeting points are equipped;

d) begin the concentration of forces in accordance with the arrangements to be defined by the Control and Supervision Commission later on;

e) coordinate and guarantee implementation so that through its personnel the United Nations may ensure effective supervision of control of order and stability in the areas abandoned by the forces of both Parties during the concentration process.

2. Authorises the Cease-fire Commission (CCF) to begin the operations needed to implement this document's decisions.

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