UN Entities

- **United Nations Support Office in Somalia (UNSOS):**  
  [https://unsos.unmissions.org/](https://unsos.unmissions.org/)
  The United Nations Support Office in Somalia (UNSOS) was established on 9 November 2015, through a UN Security Council Resolution 2245. UNSOS is a successor operation to the United Nations Support Office for AMISOM (UNSOA), which was established in 2009 (S/RES/1863 (2009)) to provide logistical field support to the African Union Mission in Somalia (AMISOM).

- **United Nations Assistance Mission in Somalia (UNSOM):**  
  [https://unsom.unmissions.org/](https://unsom.unmissions.org/)

- **Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 751 (1992) concerning Somalia:**  

- **UN Department of Political and Peacebuilding Affairs (DPPA) - UNSOM:**  

- **UN Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA) - Somalia:**  
  - [http://www.unocha.org/somalia/](http://www.unocha.org/somalia/)
  - [http://reliefweb.int/country/som](http://reliefweb.int/country/som)
  - [10 things you need to know about the looming famine in Somalia (22 March 2017):](https://unocha.exposure.co/ten-things-you-need-to-know-about-the-looming-famine-in-somalia)

- **Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights - Somalia:**  
  [http://www.ohchr.org/EN/Countries/AfricaRegion/Pages/SOIndex.aspx](http://www.ohchr.org/EN/Countries/AfricaRegion/Pages/SOIndex.aspx)
  - Report on the right to freedom of expression: Striving to widen democratic space in Somalia’s political transition (UNSOA / OHCHR, August 2016):  
    [https://un4.me/2lT7GYF](https://un4.me/2lT7GYF)

- **Independent Expert appointed by the Secretary-General on the situation of human rights in Somalia:**  
  [http://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/SP/CountriesMandates/SO/Pages/IESomalia.aspx](http://www.ohchr.org/EN/HRBodies/SP/CountriesMandates/SO/Pages/IESomalia.aspx)

- **Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Children and Armed Conflict – Developments in Somalia:**  

- **Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Sexual Violence in Conflict (SRSG-SVC) – Somalia:**  

- **International Maritime Organization (IMO) – Maritime Security and Piracy:**  

- **UN Development Programme (UNDP) in Somalia:**  
• UN High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) – Somalia: http://www.unhcr.org/somalia.html
• UN Children’s Fund (UNICEF) - Somalia: http://www.unicef.org/infobycountry/somalia.html
• World Food Programme (WFP) – Somalia: http://www.wfp.org/countries/somalia
• International Organization for Migration (IOM) - Somalia: https://www.iom.int/countries/somalia

Security Council Meetings on Somalia

• 2019: 31, 22 May, 27 March, 3 January
• 2018: 14, 6 November, 13 September, 30 July, 7 June, 15 May, 27 March, 24 January
http://research.un.org/en/docs/sc/quick/meetings/2018
• 2017: 14, 7 November, 13 September, 30 August, 14 June, 26, 17 May, 13 April,
23 March, 10 February, 27 January
http://research.un.org/en/docs/sc/quick/meetings/2017
• 2016: 10, 9 November, 27 September, 19 August, 7 July, 27 May, 19 April, 24 March,
18 February, 28 January
• 2015: 10 and 9 November, 23 and 14 October, 28 and 16 July, 26, 19 May, 4 February
• 2014: 12 November, 24, 22 and 14 October, 4 June, 29, 22 May, 11, 5 March
• 2013: 10 December, 18 and 12 November, 30 October, 12 September, 24 July, 6 June,
2 May, 25 April, 6 March, 14 February
• 2012: 21 and 7 November, 31 and 16 October, 18 September, 25 July, 15 May,
5 March, 22 February, 11 January
• 2011: 13 December, 22 November, 31 and 24 October, 30 and 14 September, 10 August, 29 July, 24 and 21 June, 11 May, 11 April, 17 and 10 March, 25 and 14 January
Earlier years: http://research.un.org/en/docs/sc/quick/meetings/
see also Repertoire of the Practice of the Security Council - The situation in Somalia

Selected UN Documents

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http://undocs.org/S/2019/393


  Transmits report on Somalia of the UN Monitoring Group on Somalia and Eritrea, pursuant to para. 48 of Security Council resolution 2385 (2017).


  Submitted by Independent Expert Bahame Tom Nyanduga pursuant to Human Rights Council resolution 36/27.


  Transmits report of the Committee’s activities for 2017.


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"Annex: Contributions of Member States in relation to combating piracy and armed robbery off the coast of Somalia."
  Submitted by Independent Expert Bahame Tom Nyanduga pursuant to Human Rights Council resolution 33/17.


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• **S/2012/74** (31 January 2012): Special report of the Secretary-General on Somalia: [http://undocs.org/S/2012/74](http://undocs.org/S/2012/74)


• **Further documents:**
  o Secretary-General’s Reports: [https://unsom.unmissions.org/secretary-generalReports](https://unsom.unmissions.org/secretary-generalReports)
    [https://unpos.unmissions.org/secretary-general-reports](https://unpos.unmissions.org/secretary-general-reports)
    [https://unsom.unmissions.org/security-council-resolutions](https://unsom.unmissions.org/security-council-resolutions)
    [https://unpos.unmissions.org/security-council-resolutions](https://unpos.unmissions.org/security-council-resolutions)

• **UN Member States on the Record: Somalia**
  UN Member States on the Record provides access to information about membership and statements of Member States at the UN.

**Selected Statements and Speeches by UN Officials**

- **Assistant Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Deputy Emergency Relief Coordinator, Ursula Mueller Briefing to the Security Council on the humanitarian situation in Somalia, 22 May 2019:** [https://reliefweb.int/node/3139008](https://reliefweb.int/node/3139008)


• Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator, Mark Lowcock: Opening Remarks at the Launch of the 2018 Somalia Humanitarian Response Plan and the Resilience and Recovery Framework (30 January 2018): [https://reliefweb.int/node/2439454](https://reliefweb.int/node/2439454)


• UN News Centre Interview: Architecture around Somalia’s electoral process is finitely more robust than in 2012 – UN envoy (7 November 2016): [https://un4.me/2nWmPre](https://un4.me/2nWmPre)

• Supporting Somalia as it emerges from decades of conflict - Interview with Special Representative for Somalia Michael Keating (Politically Speaking, September 2016): [https://un4.me/2BXiBIE](https://un4.me/2BXiBIE)


Further Information


• Audiovisual Library of International Law

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https://peacekeeping.un.org/sites/default/files/past/unosomi.htm

UNOSOM II - UN Operation in Somalia II (March 1993 - March 1995):
https://peacekeeping.un.org/sites/default/files/past/unosom2.htm

United Nations Political Office for Somalia (UNPOS):
http://unpos.unmissions.org/
UNPOS was established on 15 April 1995 to advance the cause of peace and reconciliation through contacts with Somali leaders, civic organizations and the States and organizations concerned. UNPOS completed its mandate on 2 June 2013.

Selected Non-UN Sources

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  http://amisom-au.org/

- Contact Group on Piracy off the Coast of Somalia:
  http://www.lessonsfrompiracy.net/

- European Union Naval Force Somalia (EU NAVFOR):
  http://www.eunavfor.eu/

- NATO - North Atlantic Treaty Organization
  - Counter-piracy operations ( Archived):
    http://www.nato.int/cps/en/natolive/topics_48815.htm
  - NATO assistance to the African Union:
    http://www.nato.int/cps/en/natolive/topics_8191.htm

- Global Policy Forum - Somalia

- Security Council Report – Somalia
  http://www.securitycouncilreport.org/somalia/

- IRIN (originally the "Integrated Regional Information Networks") – Somalia:
  http://www.irinnews.org/country/so/somalia

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