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THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Security Council

23 May 2002

Dear Mr. President,

I have the honour to refer to resolution 1407 (2002), adopted by the Security Council on 3 May 2002 concerning Somalia. Paragraph 1 of the resolution requests that I establish within one month from the date of adoption of the resolution, in preparation for a Panel of Experts, a team of experts consisting of two members, for a period of 30 days, to provide the Committee with an action plan detailing the resources and expertise that the Panel of Experts will require to be able to generate independent information on violations and for improving the enforcement of the weapon and military equipment embargo established by paragraph 5 of resolution 733 (1992).

Accordingly, I wish to inform you that, after consultation with the Chairman of the Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) concerning Somalia, I have appointed the following experts:

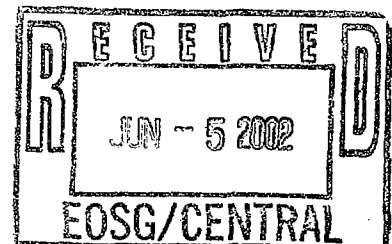
Mr. Ian Anthony (Stockholm International Peace Research Institute, SIPRI, expert on arms)

Mr. Harjit Singh Sandhu (expert with Interpol investigative experience)

Please accept, Mr. President, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Kofi A. Annan

His Excellency
Mr. Kishore Mahbubani
President of the Security Council
New York



**Security Council**

Distr.: General

3 May 2002

Resolution 1407 (2002)**Adopted by the Security Council at its 4524th meeting, on
3 May 2002***The Security Council,**Recalling* its relevant resolutions concerning the situation in Somalia, in particular resolution 733 (1992) of 23 January 1992,*Further recalling* the statement of its President of 28 March 2002 (S/PRST/2002/8),*Noting* with serious concern the continued flow of weapons and ammunition supplies to Somalia from other countries, undermining peace and security and the political efforts for national reconciliation in Somalia,*Welcoming* the forthcoming visit of the Chairman of the Committee established pursuant to resolution 751 (1992) of 24 April 1992 (hereinafter referred to as "the Committee") to Somalia and States in the region in June 2002 and looking forward to his report in this regard,*Acting* under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations,

1. *Requests* the Secretary-General to establish, within one month from the date of adoption of this resolution, in preparation for a Panel of Experts, a team of experts consisting of two members for a period of 30 days, to provide the Committee with an action plan detailing the resources and expertise that the Panel of Experts will require to be able to generate independent information on violations and for improving the enforcement of the weapon and military equipment embargo established by paragraph 5 of resolution 733 (1992) (hereinafter referred to as "the arms embargo"), including by:

- investigating the violations of the arms embargo covering access to Somalia by land, air and sea, in particular by pursuing any sources that might reveal information related to violations, including relevant States, intergovernmental organizations and international law enforcement cooperation bodies, non-governmental organizations, financial institutions and intermediaries, other brokering agencies, civil aviation companies and authorities, members of the Transitional National Government, local authorities, political and traditional leaders, civil society and the business community;

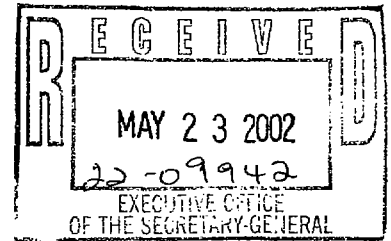


9. *Calls upon* all States, in particular those in the region, to provide the Committee with all available information on violations of the arms embargo;

10. *Decides* to remain actively seized of the matter.

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Note to Mr. Riza



TEAM OF EXPERTS ON SOMALIA

Please find attached, for the approval and signature of the Secretary-General, a self-explanatory letter to the President of the Security Council conveying the Secretary-General's appointment of the team of experts on Somalia.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "K. Prendergast".

Kieran Prendergast
22 May 2002