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Spécial.

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Faisant suite aux correspondances citées en référence, j'ai l'honneur de vous faire parvenir ci-joint, la lettre que le Secrétaire Général vient d'adresser aux membres du Conseil de Sécurité, les informant de son intention de nommer Mme Kim Bolduc (Canada), au poste de Représentant Spécial et Chef de la MINURSO, en remplacement de M. Wolfgang Weisbrod-Weber, qui terminera son mandat le 31 Juillet 2014.

Cette intention de nomination est sous une procédure de non objection des membres du Conseil, jusqu'à Jeudi 8 Mai 2014, à 1h30 pm.

Le CV de Mme Bolduc est joint à cette lettre.

Haute Considération
Représentant Permanent Adjoint
Abderrazzak LAASSEL



6 May 2014

Dear Mr. President,

I have the honour to refer to the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara (MINURSO), established by Security Council resolution 690 (1991) of 29 April 1991, and most recently extended by resolution 2152 (2014) of 29 April 2014.

Following the usual consultations, I would like to inform you of my intention to appoint Ms. Kim Bolduc (Canada) as my Special Representative for Western Sahara and Head of MINURSO. She replaces Mr. Wolfgang Weisbrod-Weber (Germany) who will complete his assignment on 31 July 2014. I would like to take this opportunity to express my gratitude to Mr. Weisbrod-Weber for his dedication and effective leadership of MINURSO.

I should be grateful if you would bring this matter to the attention of the members of the Security Council.

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

BAN Ki-moon

His Excellency

Mr. Oh Joon

President of the Security Council

New York

Biographical Note

Ms. Kim Bolduc (Canada)

Ms. Kim Bolduc of Canada most recently served as United Nations Resident Coordinator and United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) Resident Representative in Panama from 2010 to 2014. From November 2009 to April 2010, she served as the Deputy Special Representative of the Secretary-General/Humanitarian Coordinator for the United Nations Stabilization Mission in Haiti (MINUSTAH). From 2006 to 2009, Ms. Bolduc served as the Resident Coordinator and UNDP Resident Representative in Brazil.

Previously, she held various appointments within the United Nations system in the field, including in Honduras from 2004 to 2006; in Iraq in 2003, in Peru from 1997 to 2002 and in Ecuador from 1992 to 1997. She joined the United Nations in 1987 and served in Africa for eight years.

Ms. Bolduc obtained her Masters degree in International Development and Cooperation from Ottawa University in Canada and was trained in Conflict Resolution and Humanitarian Action at Ottawa University and the University of Geneva.

Born in 1952, Ms. Bolduc is married with one son.

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May 2014

Dear Mr. Secretary-General,

I have the honour to inform you that your letter dated 6 May 2014 concerning your intention to appoint Ms. Kim Bolduc (Canada) as your Special Representative for Western Sahara and Head of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara (MINURSO) has been brought to the attention of the members of the Security Council. They take note of the intention expressed in your letter.

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Please accept, Mr. Secretary-General, the assurances of my highest consideration.

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Mr. Ban Ki-moon
Secretary-General