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### **19. The situation in Cyprus**

During the period under review, the Security Council held eight meetings, including four private/closed meetings with the troop-contributing countries,<sup>1</sup> and adopted four resolutions on the situation in Cyprus. The Council in its deliberations focused on the various political developments in Cyprus, including the relevant role and mandate of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus (UNFICYP).<sup>2</sup> In addition, the Council continued to support the good offices mission of the Secretary-General, his efforts to assist the parties in the negotiation process and his appointment of a new Special Adviser of the Secretary-General on Cyprus and force commander of UNFICYP. The Council also welcomed the Joint Declaration adopted by the Greek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriot leaders on 11 February 2014, including the resumption of negotiations, and encouraged both sides to continue to work with UNFICYP to reach a comprehensive settlement.

The Council on four occasions extended the mandate of UNFICYP,<sup>3</sup> with the last extension for the period ending on 31 January 2016, in accordance with the relevant recommendations contained in the reports of the Secretary-General.<sup>4</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> See [S/PV.7097](#), [S/PV.7223](#), [S/PV.7363](#) and [S/PV.7486](#).

<sup>2</sup> For more information, see part X, sect. I, with regard to the mandate of UNFICYP.

<sup>3</sup> Resolutions [2135 \(2014\)](#), [2168 \(2014\)](#), [2197 \(2015\)](#) and [2234 \(2015\)](#).

<sup>4</sup> See [S/2013/781](#), [S/2014/461](#), [S/2015/17](#) and [S/2015/517](#).

### Meetings: the situation in Cyprus

<i>Meeting and date</i>	<i>Sub-item</i>	<i>Other documents</i>	<i>Rule 37 invitations</i>	<i>Rule 39 and other invitations</i>	<i>Speakers</i>	<i>Decision and vote (for-against-abstaining)</i>
<a href="#">S/PV.7097</a> (closed) 21 January 2014				Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of UNFICYP	Invitee	
<a href="#">S/PV.7106</a> 30 January 2014	Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations operation in Cyprus ( <a href="#">S/2013/781</a> )	Draft resolution submitted by United Kingdom, United States ( <a href="#">S/2014/60</a> )				Resolution <a href="#">2135 (2014)</a> 15-0-0
<a href="#">S/PV.7223</a> (closed) 23 July 2014				Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of UNFICYP	Rule 39 invitee (via video-teleconference)	
<a href="#">S/PV.7229</a> 30 July 2014	Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations operation in Cyprus ( <a href="#">S/2014/461</a> )	Draft resolution submitted by United Kingdom, United States ( <a href="#">S/2014/536</a> )				Resolution <a href="#">2168 (2014)</a> 15-0-0
<a href="#">S/PV.7363</a> (closed) 21 January 2015				Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of UNFICYP	Rule 39 invitee	
<a href="#">S/PV.7370</a> 29 January 2015	Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations operation in Cyprus ( <a href="#">S/2015/17</a> )	Draft resolution submitted by United Kingdom, United States ( <a href="#">S/2015/60</a> )			France, Russian Federation, Spain	Resolution <a href="#">2197 (2015)</a> 15-0-0
<a href="#">S/PV.7486</a> (closed) 16 July 2015				Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of	Rule 39 invitee	

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				UNFICYP		
<a href="#">S/PV.7496</a> 29 July 2015	Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations operation in Cyprus ( <a href="#">S/2015/517</a> )	Draft resolution submitted by Angola, France, Lithuania, New Zealand, Russian Federation, Spain, United Kingdom, United States. ( <a href="#">S/2015/564</a> )				Resolution <a href="#">2234 (2015)</a> 15-0-0

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