

Summary of the informal meeting

especially to help promote national dialogue across the Central African civil society, including with the refugee population. SRSB Bathily warned that Boko Haram is a further source of instability for the CAR and requires close attention.

The Assistant Secretary-General (ASG) for Peacebuilding Support, Oscar Fernandez-Taranco informed the meeting that the Central African Republic will be one of the case studies undertaken by the Peacebuilding architecture review in 2015. He further recalled that the PBF had been actively supporting three strategic interventions in CAR, such as paying salaries of civil servants, supporting the voluntary relocation of ex-Séléka combatants from camps in Bangui to their communities of origin or choice, while providing support to receiving communities and facilitating reconciliation and political dialogue, including through funding for the organization of the Bangui Forum. Furthermore, in 2015 the Fund aims to provide additional support for the restoration of state authority in collaboration with MINUSCA, UNDP and the World Bank.

The Ambassador of the Central African Republic exhorted international partners to help the Central African authorities meet its obligations in the political transition and to continue providing long term support and accompaniment. Some Member States commented with concern on the unstable situation and the impact of the tight calendar of event leading to August general elections. The European Union stressed the importance of transparency and legitimacy of the electoral process, while France elicited a role for the PBC to mobilize partners to meet financial and other needs. Angola, the Republic of