

SECURITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED
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CONCERNING LIBYA

Chairman's sixth report pursuant to paragraph 24(e) of
Security Council resolution 1970 (2011)

1. In accordance with paragraph 24(e) of Security Council resolution 1970 (2011) of 26 February 2011, I have the honour to report to the Security Council on the work of the Committee established by the same resolution. The report covers the period from 1 March to 10 May 2012.

2. Mr. President, I began my last briefing to the Council by noting that two important documents were before the Committee. The first was a working document, put together by the

OPCW and IAEA, on the threats and challenges of arms proliferation from Libya to the region. The second was a final report by the Panel on its monitoring of the implementation of the relevant measures, including the arms embargo, the travel ban and the asset freeze. Today I am pleased to

and consultation with the transitional Government of Libya, assist and support Libyan national efforts, taking into account, among other things, this particular document as adopted by the Committee.

4. Let me now turn to the final report of the Panel of Experts under resolution 1973 (2011). This report serves as the culmination of the work produced by the Panel over a period of eight

since the imposition of the arms embargo, cases of non-compliance with the travel ban, and cases of non-compliance with the asset freeze. Under the first category – that is, the provision of military material to Libya – the Panel has distinguished between three types of transfers, which it described

and related materiel of all types intended solely for security or disarmament assistance to the Libyan authorities.

10. With respect to the asset freeze, the Committee approved one request for exemption under the extraordinary expenses provision set out in paragraph 19(b) of resolution 1970 (2011). It also received one notification under paragraph 21 of the same resolution in connection with a contract entered into prior to the listing of an individual. Lastly, the Committee has responded to two requests for guidance, one in relation to each sanctions measure.

11. I would like to conclude by noting that, to date, the Committee has received reports from 57 Member States on their implementation of the relevant measures. On 2 April, I dispatched a note verbale to all Member States which contained a reminder for those that had not yet submitted their implementation reports to the Committee to do so without delay. This constituted follow-up action on a recommendation made by the Panel of Experts. As also recommended by the Panel, again on 2 April, the Committee updated its list of individuals and entities subject to the travel ban and asset freeze, incorporating the new information provided by the Panel.

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