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**Security Council Committee established pursuant to  
resolution [1591 \(2005\)](#) concerning the Sudan****Note verbale dated 22 December 2016 from the Permanent  
Mission of Italy to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of  
the Committee**

The Permanent Mission of Italy to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution [1591 \(2005\)](#) concerning the Sudan and has the honour to refer to paragraph 13 of Security Council resolution [2265 \(2016\)](#), in which the Council urged all States to report to the Committee on the actions they have taken to implement measures imposed by resolutions [1591 \(2005\)](#) and [1556 \(2004\)](#).

In this respect, the Permanent Mission of Italy to the United Nations has the honour to submit to the Committee the report of the Government of Italy on the implementation of Security Council resolutions [1591 \(2005\)](#) and [1556 \(2004\)](#) (see annex).



**Annex to the note verbale dated 22 December 2016 from the Permanent Mission of Italy to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Committee**

With reference to paragraph 13 of Security Council resolution [2265 \(2016\)](#), in which the Council urged all States, in particular those in the region, to report to the Committee on the actions they had taken to implement measures imposed by resolutions [1591 \(2005\)](#) and [1556 \(2004\)](#), please note the following:

(a) Resolutions [1591 \(2005\)](#) and [1556 \(2004\)](#) are implemented in Italy through the following mandatory and directly applicable European Union legislation:

(i) Council decision 2014/450/CFSP of 10 July 2014 concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in the Sudan and repealing decision 2011/423/CFSP;

(ii) Council regulation (EU) No. 747/2014 of 10 July 2014 concerning restrictive measures in view of the situation in the Sudan and repealing regulations (EC) No. 131/2004 and (EC) No. 1184/2005;

(b) The Italian Financial Security Committee has informed the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation that, to date, no assets or financial resources belonging to persons or entities listed in accordance with the aforementioned Security Council resolutions have been frozen in Italy;

(c) The travel restrictions provided by the above-mentioned resolutions are automatically implemented by Italy through the uploading of the relevant list to the national visa information system. According to article 32 of regulation (EC) No. 810/2009 (Visa Code), a visa is refused, among other reasons, if the applicant “is considered to be a threat to public policy, internal security or public health, ... in particular where an alert has been issued in member States’ national databases”;

(d) Measures to prevent the supply to embargoed countries, and thus to the Sudan, of all arms and related materiel are enshrined in Law 185/90, as modified by Legislative Decree 105/2012. In particular, article 1.6.c. forbids the supply of arms to countries on which a mandatory United Nations embargo is imposed, which is the case for the Sudan.

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