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PSC AMBASSADORS AND AMBASSADORS OF CONTRIBUTING THIRD STATES

SUBJECT:

SECOND ORDINARY CALL 2013 FOR CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THE EUROPEAN UNION AVIATION SECURITY CSDP MISSION IN SOUTH SUDAN (EUAVSEC-SOUTH

SUDAN)

REFERENCE: COUNCIL DECISION 2012/312/CFSP of 18 June 2012 on the EUAVSEC-South Sudan

Dear Ambassador,

1. Background

The Council Decision 2012/312/CFSP of 18 June 2012 established the European Union Aviation Security Mission in South Sudan (EUAVSEC South Sudan)

The Director of the Civilian Planning and Conduct Capability, CPCC, kindly invites EU Member States and Third Contributing States to put forward qualified candidates for the positions as listed in Annex 1 within the EUAVSEC South Sudan.

2. Methodology

- a) Member/Contributing States are requested to examine the personal profile and job description to ensure that:
 - proposed candidates meet the listed criteria described in the essential requirements and in the job descriptions (Annex 1).

- each candidate completes the standard job application form in English (Annex 2). Applications will be considered only when using this form and indicating which position(s) the candidate is applying for.
- b) Proposed candidates should satisfy in full the criteria set out in the job description. The main criteria for suitability for posts are professional and specific skills and experience.
- c) We would appreciate it if Member/Contributing States would submit offers of personnel at their earliest convenience, but not later than close of business on Friday 28 June 2013.

Member/Contributing States should submit their personnel offers, by e-mail to the following address:

Eeas-cpcc-euavsec-south-sudan@eeas.europa.eu

- d) CPCC will be responsible for notifying Member/Contributing States of the outcome of the selection process. Communication of the selection results is expected to take place in July 2012.
- e) Selected personnel should be ready for deployment to South Sudan as soon as possible.
- f) Subject to the adoption of another Council Decision extending the Mission mandate and approving the appropriate Budgetary Impact Statement, the duration of the deployment should be of 12 months.

3. General Information

- a) For seconded positions, only personnel nominations received through official channels from Member/Contributing States will be considered. Member/Contributing States will bear all personnel-related costs for seconded personnel, including salaries, medical coverage, travel expenses to and from the Mission area (including home leave) and allowances other than those paid according to the Council Document 7291/09 (10 March 2009). Personnel seconded from Third Contributing States is not entitled to receive allowances paid according to document 7291/09 (10 March 2009) and 9084/13 (30 April 2013).
- b) Seconded personnel will work in their uniforms. Hats and insignia(s) will be provided to the participants.
- c) The EU strives for improved gender balance in CSDP operations in compliance with UNSCR 1325. CPCC encourages Contributing States to take this into account when offering contributions.
- d) The selected candidate will have to be in possession of the necessary level of security clearance, as indicated in the requirements of the relevant job description. The original certificate of the national security clearance must accompany deployed seconded personnel.
- e) Any further information required relating to the selection and deployment of EU staff may be obtained from the CPCC, by contacting:

Mr. Jørn Laursen cpcc.cfc@eeas.europa.eu

Phone: +32 (0) 2 584 3289

f) It is moreover expected that all new Mission Members have undergone pre-deployment training before joining the Mission. Hence, we draw your attention to the pre-deployment training courses regularly organised, free of charge, under the ENTRi project. All information is available on the website: http://www.entriforccm.eu.

Yours sincerely,

Hansjörg HABER

cc.: CivCom delegates

<u>ANNEXES</u>

- Requirements and Job Descriptions (Annex 1)
- Standard Application Form (Annex 2)