



THE PRESIDENT
OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY

21 April 2010

Excellency,

In continuation of my previous letters, I have the honour to inform you that on 19 April, I met with the President of the Security Council for the current month, H.E. Mr. Yukio Takasu, Permanent Representative of Japan.

We had a useful exchange on important issues on the agendas of the two organs. We underlined that the thematic debate on disarmament held in the General Assembly on 19 April was significant and timely.

The President of the Security Council briefed me on the open debates held by the Council during the month, including on the situation in the Middle East and post-conflict peacebuilding and the forthcoming debates on the working methods of the Security Council, an issue of great interest for the general membership, and on Women and Peace and Security.

Referring to the grave situation in the Occupied Palestinian Territories, I stressed the need for continuous close watch on the developments both in the Security Council and the General Assembly. We also exchanged views on the situation in Africa, including Chad and Sudan, and the scheduled renewal of mandates of United Nations Missions during the current month.

I will continue to keep Member States informed of these meetings with the President of the Security Council, which advance the constructive spirit of cooperation between the two organs and contribute to a strengthened and effective United Nations.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A. Treki', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Ali Abdussalam Treki

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