



**Joint Meeting of the Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC) and
the Peacebuilding Commission (PBC)**

The Situation in the Sahel

Wednesday, 28 June 2017

10:30 - 13:00

Conference Room 4

PROGRAMME

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- 10:30-11:00** **Opening of the session**
President of the Economic and Social Council, His Excellency Frederick Musiiwa Makamure Shava
Chair of the Peacebuilding Commission, His Excellency Cho Tae-yul
Deputy Secretary-General of the United Nations, Ms. Amina J. Mohammed
- 11:00-13:00** **The Situation in the Sahel**
Mr. Mohammed Ibn Chambas, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of United Nations Office for West Africa and the Sahel (UNOWAS) *(via videolink)*
Mr. Abdoulaye Mar Dieye, Assistant Administrator and Director, Regional Bureau for Africa, United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)
- Interactive Dialogue with Member States**
- Closing remarks**
Chair of the Peacebuilding Commission, His Excellency Cho Tae-yul
President of the Economic and Social Council, His Excellency Frederick Musiiwa Makamure Shava