



43rd Staff Union Council 2025-2026

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Executive Bureau Minutes of the 26th meeting

Held on 4 February 2026 at 1:30 p.m.
via MS Teams

Adopted on 12 February 2026

Members of the Executive Bureau:

ABDELLAOUI Naima	<i>Present</i>	LEWIS-LETTINGTON Nicole	<i>Present</i>
BALY Chiraz	<i>Absent</i>	OLINYUK Nataliya	<i>Present</i>
DUPARC Philippe	<i>Present</i>	THOMAS Philip	<i>Present</i>
JOHNSON Laura	<i>Present</i>		

President of the UNOG SU:

RICHARDS Ian *Absent*

Vice-President of the UNOG SU:

PUHALOVIC Janet *Absent*

The meeting began at 1.30 p.m.

1. Adoption of the agenda

The agenda was adopted without changes.

2. Adoption of the minutes

The minutes were adopted without changes.

3. DG's townhall

It was agreed to concentrate the questions on reassignment, early separation and downsizing as well as the next budget, but also to ask about the SHP, especially OHCHR's move to the Palais which staff had still not been informed about.

Issues of relations with host country police following the Palais incursion and the DG's support for road safety measures in the Nations area could also be raised.

4. SMC updates

The SMC staff side had produced a summary of the questions raised at the SG's townhall, which would be published on iSeek and sent to the SG with a request for further engagement, as he had stated he would be open to suggestions on improving communication.

The 3x3 contact group would later request management to reopen the staff position paper on the global reassignment paper as previously only questions had been answered. Performance management and the staff response on SPA would be discussed at the next non-UN80 session.

The meeting was adjourned at 1.45 p.m.