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t, in its PRST of 13 October 2010, the Security Council
to submit a report by October 2012 on further progress
da for action which he introduced in his 2009 report on
aftermath of conflict. The PRST has requested the SG to
s of the Peacebuilding Commission. The Chair then invited
tional Committee an overview of the emerging issues and

the upcoming report on peacebuilding which would offer
implementing the recommendations contained in the
peacebuilding in the immediate aftermath of conflict (2009)
peacebuilding (2010). Overall, progress toward fulfilling the
de, enabling the UN to provide better, faster and more
transitioning from conflict. On the issue of women's

participation in peacebuilding progress toward goals has been varied. There has been a strong interest within the UN system to implement the 2010 report's Seven Point Action Plan, but more needs to be done, including in the areas of acce

processes that may also overwhelm fragile institutions in post conflict states.

- Several Members noted the augmented attention and support that peacebuilding has gained in recent years. Some Members suggested that the UN—and the PBC in

assessment into a bureaucratic exercise.

- A few members welcomed the focus of the assessment on resource

authorities, should continue its mapping of resource flows to identify gaps in resources. Members also stressed the importance of enlarging the donor base by approaching non traditional donors in a more systematic way, including through national leaderships.

- A number of delegations noted that the assessment represents a useful opportunity to follow up on the interactive dialogue of 13 July between PBC and Security Council on finding ways to strengthen the relations between the two bodies.
- Several Members also emphasized the need for the PBC to pay particular attention to the upcoming Report of the SG on Civilian Capacities and to be prepared to contribute to the subsequent consideration of this Report at the General Assembly.
- With regard to the working methods of the Commission, one delegation noted that steering groups within various CSCs are useful but, in order to avoid the creation of additional layers in peacebuilding processes, they should not be institutionalized.

7. The Chair informed that, following the nomination by the African Group of Zambia as a Vice Chair of the PBC and, on the basis of silence procedure, Zambia has been elected as Vice Chair effective 10 July. The Chair extended warm congratulations to the African Vice Chair.

8. The Chair noted that Member States should have received invitation letters to and the concept note for the High level Event scheduled for 25 September (4:00 – 5:30 PM). He informed that invitations addressed by the Prime Minister of Bangladesh to her counterparts would follow shortly. The Chair also noted that strong recommendation of all members to their respective capitals on the need for highest level representation will be critical.
