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UNOCI CHIEF MEETS WITH THE HEAD OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL COUNCIL AND THE INTERIOR MINISTER

Abidjan, 2 December 2010... The Special Representative of the UN Secretary-General for Côte d'Ivoire, Y.J. Choi, had separate meetings on Thursday with the President of the Constitutional Council, Paul Yao Ndré, and Interior Minister Désiré Tagro.

The meetings gave rise to exchanges of views on current political developments, following the holding of the second round of the presidential election on 28 November 2010.

During the week, the head of the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire (UNOCO) has had many consultations with leading Ivorian personalities. These include President Laurent Gbagbo, who is seeking re-election, his challenger Alassane Dramane Ouattara, leader of the Rally of Republicans (RDR) and the Chairman of the Independent Electoral Commission (IEC), Yousouf Bakayoko.

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