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Speaker: Jean-Pierre Francois Renaud Lacroix Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations United Nations



Mr. Lacroix was appointed as Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations on 1 April 2017. A national of France, he brings to his post over 25 years of political and diplomatic experience, mostly handling multilateral organizations, United Nations activities and programmes. Mr. Lacroix served from 2014 to 2017 as Director for United Nations, International Organizations, Human Rights and Francophonie at the French Ministry of Foreign

Affairs. Previous appointments include Ambassador of France to Sweden, Chief of Protocol of France, Deputy Permanent Representative at the Permanent Mission of France to the United Nations in New York, Deputy Chief of Mission at the French Embassy in Prague and First Secretary then Second Counsellor at the French Embassy in Washington. He also served as Advisor at the Cabinet of the French Prime Minister. Born on 2 May 1960, Mr. Lacroix holds BAs from the Institute of Economic and Commercial Sciences (ESSEC), the Institute for political studies - Sciences Po Paris and the National School of Administration (ENA) Class « Michel de Montaigne ».

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