

UNITED NATIONS SECURITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM
Policy Manual

Chapter



APPLICABILITY

**Applicability of United Nations
Security Management System**

A. Introduction:

1) Policies, procedures, standards and other arrangements of the United Nations Security Management System are applicable to the following categories of individuals:

a) United Nations personnel:

- (i) All United Nations system staff members, including temporary staff, in posts subject to international or local recruitment (except those who are both locally-recruited and paid by the hour);
- (ii) United Nations Volunteers (UNVs);
- (iii) Individually deployed military and police personnel in DPKO- or DPA-led missions¹, including, but not limited to:
 - (a) United Nations police officers, military observers, military liaison officers, military advisors and staff officers; and
 - (b) Military members of national contingents or members of formed police units when not deployed with their contingent or unit.
- (iv) Consultants, individual contractors and experts on mission when actually employed by an organization of the United Nations system; and
- (v) Officials other than United Nations Secretariat staff members and similar non-staff officials of other organizations of the United Nations system with a direct contractual agreement with a United Nations System organization;

b) Other Individuals Covered:

- (i) Eligible family members (as determined by the staff rules and regulations of the organizations comprising the United Nations System);
- (ii) Eligible family members (who are authorized to be at the duty station) of United Nations Volunteers;
- (iii) United Nations fellows, either non-resident fellows studying in the country, or nationals who are on leave from the country of study;
- (iv) Personnel and their eligible family members of Intergovernmental Organizations that have signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with an organization of the United Nations system to cooperate on security matters.

¹ It does not cover military members of national contingents or members of formed police units when deployed with their contingent or unit nor does it cover any spouses or other family members of the military and police personnel listed in subparagraphs (a) and (b).