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## UN APPOINTS MOHAMED AL HASSAN AS SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE IN IRAQ AND HEAD OF UNAMI

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United Nations Secretary-General António Guterres announced on Monday, the appointment of Mohamed Al Hassan of the Sultanate of Oman as his new Special Representative for Iraq and Head of the United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq - UNAMI, succeeding Jeanine Hennis-Plasschaert of the Netherlands, "to whom the Secretary-General is grateful for her commitment and leadership of UNAMI."

"Al Hassan brings to the position a broad range of diplomatic experience with a career spanning over thirty years working on preventive diplomacy, peacebuilding and development. Most recently, he has served as the Permanent Representative of the Sultanate of Oman to the United Nations in New York (since 2019). Prior to that, he held various assignments at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Muscat, including Acting Undersecretary for Diplomatic Affairs (2016), Chief of Staff (2015) and Head of the Ministers Department (2012)," according to a statement by UN - received by the Iraqi News Agency - INA.

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