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Wednesday, 30 June 2010, 4.45 p.m.
New York

President: Mr. Heller ........................................ (Mexico)

Members: Austria ........................................ Mr. Mayr-Harting
Bosnia and Herzegovina ........................ Ms. Čolaković
Brazil ......................................... Mr. Moretti
China ........................................ Mr. Wang Min
France ........................................ Mr. Araud
Gabon ......................................... Mr. Lembouma
Japan ........................................ Mr. Takasu
Lebanon ...................................... Mr. Salam
Nigeria ........................................ Mr. Edokpa
Russian Federation ............................. Mr. Dolgov
Turkey ......................................... Mr. Apakan
Uganda ........................................ Mr. Mugoya
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland ... Mr. Quarrey
United States of America ......................... Ms. Rice

Agenda

The situation in the Middle East

The meeting was called to order at 4.45 p.m.

Adoption of the agenda

The agenda was adopted.

The situation in the Middle East


The President (spoke in Spanish): The Security Council will now begin its consideration of the item on its agenda. The Council is meeting in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

Members of the Council have before them document S/2010/346, which contains the text of a draft resolution prepared in the course of the Council’s prior consultations.

I wish to draw the attention of Council members to document S/2010/296, which contains the report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force for the period from 1 January to 30 June 2010.

It is my understanding that the Council is ready to proceed to the vote on the draft resolution before it. Unless I hear any objection, I shall put the draft resolution to the vote now.

There being no objection, it is so decided.

A vote was taken by a show of hands.

In favour:
Austria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, China, France, Gabon, Japan, Lebanon, Mexico, Nigeria, Russian Federation, Turkey, Uganda, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America.

The President (spoke in Spanish): There were 15 votes in favour. The draft resolution has been adopted unanimously as resolution 1934 (2010).

In connection with the resolution just adopted on the renewal of the mandate of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force, I have been authorized to make the following complementary statement on behalf of the Security Council:

“As is known, the report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force (S/2010/296) states in paragraph 13 that ‘the situation in the Middle East is tense and is likely to remain so, unless and until a comprehensive settlement covering all aspects of the Middle East problem can be reached’. That statement of the Secretary-General reflects the view of the Security Council.”

This statement will be issued as a document of the Security Council under the symbol S/PRST/2010/12.

As Mexico’s presidency of the Security Council draws to an end today, all that remains is for me to express my gratitude for the cooperation I received from all delegations in the course of the month. I hope that we have achieved good results, given the very complex agenda before the Council. While we were able to take up some issues and come to some conclusions, other matters remain pending for the Security Council to follow up on and bring some closure to.

Again, I am deeply grateful for the cooperation of all delegations. I also wish to express my gratitude for the cooperation of the Secretariat and the interpreters who were with us in the course of our work throughout the month.

The Security Council has thus concluded the present stage of its consideration of the item on its agenda.

The meeting rose at 4.50 p.m.