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Belgium and other members of the Security Council are concerned about the deterioration of the situation in Zimbabwe. Therefore, we request that a senior official of the Secretariat formally brief Member States on the situation in a meeting of the Security Council. The meeting could take place in the coming days and would be an opportunity for Council members to receive a briefing on the recent visit to Zimbabwe by Assistant Secretary-General Haïle Menkerios.

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