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President: Mr. Kuzmin ........................................ (Russian Federation)

Members: Belgium ............................................... Mrs. Van Vlierberge
China ............................................................... Mr. Yao Shaojun
Dominican Republic ............................. Mr. Singer Weisinger
Estonia ............................................................. Mr. Jürgenson
France ............................................................ Mr. Benaabou
Germany .......................................................... Mr. Sautter
Indonesia .......................................................... Mr. Djani
Niger ................................................................. Mr. Aougi
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines ........ Ms. King
South Africa ...................................................... Mr. Matjila
Tunisia ............................................................... Mr. Ladeb
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland Ms. Farrey
United States of America .......................... Mr. Turner
Viet Nam ............................................................ Mr. Dang

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Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of resolution 2491 (2019)
(S/2020/876)

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The meeting was called to order at 10.05 a.m.

Expression of thanks to the outgoing President

The President (spoke in Russian): I should like to take this opportunity to pay tribute, on behalf of the Council, to His Excellency Mr. Abdou Abarry, Permanent Representative of the Niger, for his service as President of the Council for the month of September. I am sure I speak for all members of the Council in expressing deep appreciation to Ambassador Abarry and his team for the great diplomatic skill with which they conducted the Council’s business last month.

Adoption of the agenda

The agenda was adopted.

Maintenance of international peace and security

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The President (spoke in Russian): In accordance with rule 37 of the Council’s provisional rules of procedure, I invite the representatives of Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain and Sweden to participate in this meeting.

The Security Council will now begin its consideration of the item on its agenda.

Members of the Council have before them document S/2020/957, which contains the text of a draft resolution submitted by Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain and Sweden.

I wish to draw the attention of Council members to document S/2020/876, which contains the report of the Secretary-General pursuant to resolution 2491 (2019).

The Council is ready to proceed to the vote on the draft resolution before it. I shall put the draft resolution to the vote now.

A vote was taken by show of hands.

In favour:

Belgium, China, Dominican Republic, Estonia, France, Germany, Indonesia, Niger, Russian Federation, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, South Africa, Tunisia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America, Viet Nam

The President (spoke in Russian): The draft resolution received 15 votes in favour. The draft resolution has been adopted unanimously as resolution 2546 (2020).

The meeting rose at 10.10 a.m.