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SIX HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH MEETINGHeld at Headquarters, New York,  
on Wednesday, 18 December 1985, at 11.30 a.m.President: Mr. BASSOLE

(Burkina Faso)

Members: Australia  
China  
Denmark  
Egypt  
France  
India  
Madagascar  
Peru  
Thailand  
Trinidad and Tobago  
Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic  
Union of Soviet Socialist Republics  
United Kingdom of Great Britain and  
Northern Ireland  
United States of America

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Mr. OUDOVENKO  
Mr. TROYANOVSKY  
  
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The meeting was called to order at 12.10 p.m.

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

The agenda was adopted.

LETTER DATED 16 DECEMBER 1985 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL (S/17685)

The PRESIDENT (interpretation from French): The Security Council is meeting today pursuant to a request submitted in a letter dated 16 December 1985 addressed to the President of the Security Council by the Permanent Representative of the United States of America to the United Nations, document S/17685.

Council members have before them the text of draft resolution S/17686, submitted by Australia, Denmark, Egypt, France, Peru, Trinidad and Tobago, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

I take it that the Council is prepared to vote on the draft resolution before it. If there is no objection I shall now put that draft resolution to the vote.

It is so decided.

A vote was taken by show of hands.

In favour: Australia, Burkina Faso, China, Denmark, Egypt, France, India, Madagascar, Peru, Thailand, Trinidad and Tobago, Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic, Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America

The PRESIDENT (interpretation from French): There were 15 votes in favour. The draft resolution has therefore been adopted unanimously as resolution 579 (1985).

(The President)

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

The meeting rose at 12.15 p.m.