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SEVEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FOURTH MEETINGHeld at Headquarters, New York,  
on Monday, 19 October 1987, at 4 p.m.President: Mr. BUCCI

(Italy)

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Germany, Federal Republic of  
Ghana  
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The meeting was called to order at 4 p.m.

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

The agenda was adopted.

REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS CONCERNING THE CONDITIONS ON WHICH THE REPUBLIC OF NAURU MAY BECOME A PARTY TO THE STATUTE OF THE INTERNATIONAL COURT OF JUSTICE (S/19213)

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

At its 2753rd meeting, on 15 October 1987, the Council referred the application of the Republic of Nauru to become a party to the Statute of the International Court of Justice to the Committee of Experts for consideration and report. The report of the Chairman of the Committee of Experts is before the Council in document S/19213. Paragraph 2 of the report contains the text of the recommendation which the Committee advises the Council to send to the General Assembly concerning the conditions on which the Republic of Nauru may become a party to the Statute of the International Court of Justice.

If there is no objection, I shall now put the Committee's recommendation to the vote. There being no objection, it is so decided.

A vote was taken by show of hands.

In favour: Argentina, Bulgaria, China, Congo, France, Germany, Federal Republic of, Ghana, Italy, Japan, Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, United Arab Emirates, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America, Venezuela, Zambia

The PRESIDENT: The result of the voting is as follows: there were 15 votes in favour. The recommendation has therefore been unanimously adopted as resolution 600 (1987).

I shall immediately convey this decision to the President of the General Assembly.

The Security Council has thus concluded its business for this meeting.

The meeting rose at 4.05 p.m.