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### PROVISIONAL VERBATIM RECORD OF THE THREE THOUSAND AND FORTY-EIGHTH MEETING

Held at Headquarters, New York,  
on Wednesday, 5 February 1992, at 3.40 p.m.

**President:** Mr. PICKERING

(United States of America)

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The meeting was called to order at 3.40 p.m.

ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

The agenda was adopted.

ADMISSION OF NEW MEMBERS

LETTER DATED 20 JANUARY 1992 FROM THE PRESIDENT OF TURKMENISTAN ADDRESSED TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL (S/23489 and Corr.1)

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

In a letter dated 20 January 1992 addressed to the Secretary-General, the President of Turkmenistan submitted the application of his country for membership in the United Nations. That letter has been circulated in document S/23489 and Corr.1.

Under the provisions of rule 59 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, unless the Council decides otherwise, an application for membership shall be referred by the President of the Council to the Committee on the Admission of New Members. Accordingly, unless I hear a proposal to the contrary, I shall refer the application of Turkmenistan to the Committee on the Admission of New Members for examination and report.

As I hear no objection, it is so decided.

I would propose that the Committee on the Admission of New Members schedule a meeting on 6 February, at 10.30 a.m., in Conference Room 7 to consider the application of Turkmenistan for membership in the United Nations.

The meeting rose at 3.45 p.m.

