



Security Council

Fifty-fourth Year

4006th Meeting

Wednesday, 19 May 1999, 1.35 p.m.

New York

Provisional

<i>President:</i>	Mr. Dange Réwaka	(Gabon)
<i>Members:</i>	Argentina	Mr. Petrella
	Bahrain	Mr. Al-Dosari
	Brazil	Mr. Cordeiro
	Canada	Mr. Duval
	China	Mr. Chen Xu
	France	Mr. Doutriaux
	Gambia	Mr. Touray
	Malaysia	Mr. Misran
	Namibia	Mr. Andjaba
	Netherlands	Mr. Kooijmans
	Russian Federation	Mr. Lavrov
	Slovenia	Mr. Žbogar
	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	Mr. Richmond
	United States of America	Mr. Burleigh

Agenda

International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States

Letter dated 17 May 1999 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/1999/566)

The meeting was called to order at 1.35 p.m.

Adoption of the agenda

The agenda was adopted.

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Letter dated 17 May 1999 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/1999/566)

The President (*spoke in French*): The Security Council will now begin its consideration of the item on its agenda.

The Security Council is meeting in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

Members of the Council have before them a letter dated 17 May 1999 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council, document S/1999/566.

Members of the Council also have before them document S/1999/576, which contains the text of a draft resolution prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

It is my understanding that the Security Council is ready to proceed to the vote on the draft resolution before it. If I hear no objection, I shall now put the draft resolution to the vote.

There being no objection, it is so decided.

A vote was taken by show of hands.

In favour:

Argentina, Bahrain, Brazil, Canada, China, France, Gabon, Gambia, Malaysia, Namibia, Netherlands, Russian Federation, Slovenia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America

The President (*spoke in French*): There were 15 votes in favour. The draft resolution has been adopted unanimously as resolution 1241 (1999).

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

The meeting rose at 1.40 p.m.