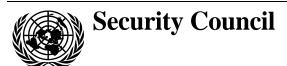
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In accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the following communiqué was issued through the Secretary-General in place of a verbatim record:

"On 16 May 2003, the Security Council, pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B, held its 4755th meeting in private with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission of Support in East Timor (UNMISET).

"The Security Council and the troop-contributing countries heard a briefing under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure by Major-General Patrick Cammaert, Military Adviser in the Department of Peacekeeping Operations.

"The members of the Council had a constructive exchange of views with representatives of participating troop-contributing countries."

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