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Official communiqué of the 4874th (closed) meeting of the Security Council

**Held in private at Headquarters, New York, on Monday,
24 November 2003, at 5.10 p.m.**

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:

“At its 4874th meeting, held in private on 24 November 2003, the Security Council considered the item entitled ‘The situation in Côte d’Ivoire’.

“In accordance with the decision taken at the 4873rd meeting, the President, under rule 37 of the Council’s provisional rules of procedure, invited His Excellency Mr. Nana Akufo Addo, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Ghana, as well as members of the Ministerial delegation, to participate in the Council’s discussion.

“The President also invited Mr. Mohamed Ibn Chambas, Executive Secretary of the Economic Community of West African States (ECOWAS), in accordance with rule 39 of the Council’s rules of procedure.

“Members of the Council, the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Ghana and the Executive Secretary of ECOWAS had a constructive exchange of views.”