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<i>President:</i>	Mr. Bessho	(Japan)
<i>Members:</i>	Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	Mr. Llorentty Solíz
	China	Mr. Lie Cheng
	Egypt	Mr. Aboulatta
	Ethiopia	Mr. Alemu
	France	Mrs. Gueguen
	Italy	Mr. Cardi
	Kazakhstan	Mr. Sadykov
	Russian Federation	Mr. Iliichev
	Senegal	Mr. Seck
	Sweden	Mr. Vaverka
	Ukraine	Mr. Yelchenko
	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland . .	Mr. Clay
	United States of America	Ms. Tachco
	Uruguay	Mr. Bermúdez Álvarez

Agenda

The situation concerning Iraq

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The meeting was called to order at 9.45 a.m.

Adoption of the agenda

The agenda was adopted.

The situation concerning Iraq

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

Members of the Council have before them document S/2017/1013, which contains the text of a draft resolution submitted by the United States of America.

The Council is ready to proceed to the vote on the draft resolution before it. I shall put the draft resolution to the vote now.

A vote was taken by show of hands.

In favour:

Bolivia (Plurinational State of), China, Egypt, Ethiopia, France, Italy, Japan, Kazakhstan, Russian Federation, Senegal, Sweden, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America and Uruguay

The President: The draft resolution received 15 votes in favour. The draft resolution has been adopted unanimously as resolution 2390 (2017).

I shall now give the floor to those members of the Council who wish to make statements following the voting.

Ms. Tachco (United States of America): The United States joins the rest of the Security Council in applauding Iraq's complete implementation of the measures imposed by the Council under Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations in the oil-for-food resolutions. That programme started more than 20 years ago, when Iraq was facing grave humanitarian challenges. Iraq continues to confront many challenges, but we are encouraged that it has nonetheless been able to close out this chapter in its history.

We look forward to continuing our close multilateral cooperation with Iraq through the United Nations and other organizations, as well as bilaterally, in support of the Iraqi Government, its citizens and its democracy. We want nothing more than a unified, federal, democratic and prosperous Iraq that embraces all of its people and their values.

Again, we congratulate the Iraqis on this milestone and wish them continued success as a valued member of the international community.

The meeting rose at 9.50 a.m.