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## Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization

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### Draft report

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## II. Maintenance of international peace and security

### C. Consideration of the revised proposal submitted by Libya with a view to strengthening the role of the United Nations in the maintenance of international peace and security

1. The revised proposal submitted by Libya with a view to strengthening the role of the United Nations in the maintenance of international peace and security ([A/53/33](#), para. 98) was referred to during the general exchange of views held at the 300th meeting of the Special Committee, on 22 February, and at the 1st meeting of the Working Group of the Whole, on 23 February.

2. The sponsor delegation recalled the background to the proposal and highlighted that it had been considered by the Special Committee since 1998. It stated that there was a need to reform the United Nations in order to make its main organs more effective when implementing their mandates in the maintenance of international peace and security. It also recalled that the proposal was aimed at, inter alia, considering the ways and means by which the role of the General Assembly could be strengthened, proposing means that could strengthen the relationship between the General Assembly and the Security Council, and establishing measures and criteria that would adequately reflect the membership of the United Nations in the Security Council based on geographical distribution. The sponsor delegation further expressed the view that there was no duplication or overlap between its proposal and revitalization efforts undertaken elsewhere within the Organization.

3. Several delegations reiterated their support for the continued consideration of the proposal and emphasized that the proposal merited meaningful discussions and results-based deliberations.

4. Other delegations were of the view that the proposal was among those that were duplicative of or inconsistent with revitalization efforts undertaken elsewhere within



the Organization, in particular in the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Revitalization of the Work of the General Assembly. Some delegations emphasized that the proposal did not address a clear need, since the relationship between the different organs within the Organization was already defined in the Charter.

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