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*President: Mr. Stanisław TREPCZYŃSKI (Poland).*

*Procedure regarding the election of officers of the Main Committees*

1. The PRESIDENT (*interpretation from French*): I should like to make a statement regarding the election of officers of the Main Committees before we hold consecutive meetings of each Main Committee in the Assembly hall to elect the Committee Chairmen.
2. Rule 105 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, as amended, provides that each Main Committee shall elect a Chairman, two Vice-Chairmen and a Rapporteur on the basis of equitable geographical distribution, experience and personal competence. The elections shall be held by secret ballot unless the Committee decides otherwise in an election where only one candidate is standing. The nomination of each candidate shall be limited to one speaker, after which the Committee shall immediately proceed to the vote.
3. Furthermore, rule 112 provides that:  
  
"Congratulations to the officers of a Main Committee shall not be expressed except by the Chairman of the previous session—or, in his absence, by a member of his delegation—after all the officers of the Committee have been elected."
4. We shall proceed accordingly.

*The meeting rose at 10.45 a.m.*