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Provisional

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Monday, 6 May 2002, 12.45 p.m.

New York

<i>President:</i>	Mr. Mahbubani	(Singapore)
<i>Members:</i>	Bulgaria	Mr. Raytchev
	Cameroon	Mr. Tidjani
	China	Mr. Zhang Yishan
	Colombia	Mr. Franco
	France	Mr. Doutriaux
	Guinea	Mr. Cheick Ahmed Tidiane Camara
	Ireland	Mr. Clare
	Mauritius	Mr. Jingree
	Mexico	Ms. Lajous
	Norway	Mr. Brattskar
	Russian Federation	Mr. Gatilov
	Syrian Arab Republic	Mr. Atieh
	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	Mr. Eldon
	United States of America	Mr. Cunningham

Agenda

The situation in Liberia

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Third report of the Secretary-General pursuant to resolution 1343 (2001) regarding Liberia (S/2002/494).

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The meeting was called to order at 12.45 p.m.

Adoption of the agenda

The agenda was adopted.

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The President: The Security Council will now begin its consideration of the item on its agenda. The Council is meeting in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

Members of the Council have before them document S/2002/514, which contains the text of a

draft resolution prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

It is my understanding that the Security Council is ready to proceed to the vote on the draft resolution before it. Unless I hear any objection, I shall put the draft resolution to the vote now.

There being no objection, it is so decided.

A vote was taken by show of hands.

In favour:

Bulgaria, Cameroon, China, Colombia, France, Guinea, Ireland, Mauritius, Mexico, Norway, Russian Federation, Singapore, Syrian Arab Republic, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America

The President: There were 15 votes in favour. The draft resolution has been adopted unanimously as resolution 1408 (2002).

The Security Council has thus concluded the present stage of its consideration of the item on its agenda.

The meeting rose at 12.50 p.m.