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**Official communiqué of the 4608th (closed) meeting
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**Held in private at Headquarters, New York, on Friday,
13 September 2002, at 12.15 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 4608th meeting, held in private on 13 September 2002, the Security Council considered the item entitled “The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo”.

“Their Excellencies Mr. Joseph Kabila, President of the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Mr. Paul Kagame, President of the Rwandese Republic, and Dr. Nkosazana Dlamini Zuma, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of South Africa, were invited to participate in the discussion in accordance with rule 37 of the Council’s provisional rules of procedure.

“The Secretary-General, the members of the Council, the President of the Democratic Republic of the Congo, the President of the Rwandese Republic, and the Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of South Africa had a constructive discussion.”