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Chair: Mr. Amorín (Uruguay)

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The meeting was called to order at 11.25 a.m.

Agenda item 5: Election of the officers of the Main Committees

- 1. **The Chair** said that, in accordance with rule 99 (a) of the rules of procedure, the meeting had been convened for the purpose of electing the Chair and other members of the Bureau of the Committee for the seventy-sixth session of the General Assembly.
- 2. The nomination of Mr. Margaryan (Armenia) for the post of Chair had been endorsed by the Group of Eastern European States . In the absence of further nominations, and in accordance with rule 103 of the rules of procedure, he would take it that the Committee wished to elect Mr. Margaryan (Armenia) Chair.
- 3. Mr. Margaryan (Armenia) was elected Chair by acclamation.
- 4. **Mr. Margaryan** (Armenia) said that he and the Bureau would work to enhance the efficiency of the administration of the Organization in the most objective and inclusive manner.
- 5. The Chair said that, in accordance with rule 103 of the rules of procedure, the nominations of Mr. Elmahs (Egypt) and Mr. Ammann (Switzerland) for two of the three posts of Vice-Chair had been endorsed by the Group of African States and the Group of Western European and other States, respectively, and that, in the case of the Group of Latin American and Caribbean States, Ms. Austin (Guyana) had been nominated for the post of Rapporteur.
- 6. Mr. Elmahs (Egypt) and Mr. Ammann (Switzerland) were elected Vice-Chairs, and Ms. Austin (Co-operative Republic of Guyana) was elected Rapporteur, by acclamation.
- 7. The Chair said that the election of the remaining Vice-Chair, to be nominated by the Group of Asia-Pacific States, would be held at a later date.

The meeting rose at 11.35 a.m.

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