



Trusteeship Council

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1713th meeting
Monday, 7 March 2011, 3 p.m.
New York

Temporary President: Mr. Shaaban (Under-Secretary-General for
General Assembly and Conference
Management)

The meeting was called to order at 3.05 p.m.

Opening of the sixty-eighth session

The Temporary President: I declare open the sixty-eighth session of the Trusteeship Council.

Adoption of the agenda (T/1993)

The provisional agenda was adopted.

Election of the President and the Vice-President

The Temporary President: I understand that, as a result of consultations among the members of the Council, Mr. Philip John Parham of the United Kingdom is a candidate for the post of President of the Council and Mr. Martin Briens of the France is a candidate for the post of Vice-President.

If I hear no objection, I shall take it that it is the wish of the Council to dispense with the secret ballot and to elect Mr. Philip John Parham of the United

Kingdom as President of the Council and Mr. Martin Briens of France as Vice-President by acclamation.

By acclamation, Mr. Parham (United Kingdom) was elected President and Mr. Briens (France) was elected Vice-President.

The Temporary President: I declare Mr. Philip John Parham of the United Kingdom President of the Council and Mr. Martin Briens of France Vice-President. I wish to extend my congratulations to both of them on their election.

I now invite Mr. Parham to take the Chair.

Mr. Parham took the Chair.

The President: I thank the secretariat for its support for this meeting and the Council. I pay tribute to my predecessor and thank my colleagues for their confidence.

The meeting rose at 3.10 p.m.

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