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SUMMARY RECORD OF THE 397th MEETING

Held at the Palais des Nations, Geneva,  
on Wednesday, 16 October 1985, at 3 p.m.

Chairman: Mr. CHIBA (Japan)

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The meeting was called to order at 3.40 p.m.

ADOPTION OF THE DRAFT REPORT OF THE THIRTY-SIXTH SESSION (agenda item 17)  
(A/AC.96/XXXVI/CRP.1 to 15)

1. The CHAIRMAN said that he intended to suspend the meeting immediately to enable delegations to submit last-minute amendments to the draft report.

The meeting was suspended at 3.40 p.m. and resumed at 4.30 p.m.

2. At the invitation of the Chairman, Mr. LUKE (Secretary of the Committee) read out a number of amendments to the draft report.

3. At the invitation of the Chairman, Mr. MPANGO (United Republic of Tanzania), Rapporteur, submitted the draft report including the amendments which it had been agreed to make.

4. Mr. DOWEK (Israel) and Mr. JOHNSON (United States of America), speaking on a point of order, said that a more rational and effective procedure would be for the Rapporteur to submit all the amendments in writing, so that delegations could study them properly.

5. The CHAIRMAN said that he would prefer to keep to the procedure already decided upon. At the next meeting, delegations would have before them, the revised draft report, including all the amendments which had been submitted, and would then be free to submit further oral amendments if they so desired.

The meeting rose at 6.30 p.m.