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Official communiqué of the 8594th (closed) meeting of the Security Council

**Held in private at Headquarters, New York, on Thursday,
8 August 2019, at 3 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:

“On 8 August 2019, the Security Council, pursuant to annex II, sections A and B of resolution [1353 \(2001\)](#), held its 8594th meeting in private with the troop- and police-contributing countries to the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon.

“The President invited Mr. Mohamed Khaled Khiari, Assistant Secretary-General for Middle East, Asia and the Pacific in the Departments of Political and Peacebuilding Affairs and Peace Operations, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council’s provisional rules of procedure.

“The Security Council and the troop- and police-contributing countries heard a briefing by Mr. Khiari.

“Members of the Council, Mr. Khiari and representatives of participating contributing countries had an exchange of views.”

