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Wednesday, 13 June 2001, 10.30 a.m.  
New York

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<i>President:</i>	Mr. Chowdhury . . . . .	(Bangladesh)
<i>Members:</i>	China . . . . .	Mr. Wang Yingfan
	Colombia . . . . .	Mr. Franco
	France . . . . .	Mr. Levitte
	Ireland . . . . .	Mr. Cooney
	Jamaica . . . . .	Mr. Ward
	Mali . . . . .	Mr. Kassé
	Mauritius . . . . .	Mr. Jingree
	Norway . . . . .	Mr. Kolby
	Russian Federation . . . . .	Mr. Gatilov
	Singapore . . . . .	Mr. Yap
	Tunisia . . . . .	Mr. Tekaya
	Ukraine . . . . .	Mr. Kuchinsky
	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland . . . .	Mr. Taylor
	United States of America . . . . .	Mr. Hume

## Agenda

### Strengthening cooperation with troop-contributing countries

Letter dated 31 May 2001 from the Chairman of the Security Council Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2001/546).

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*The meeting was called to order at 10.50 a.m.*

**Adoption of the agenda**

*The agenda was adopted.*

**Strengthening cooperation with troop-contributing countries**

**Letter dated 31 May 2001 from the Chairman of the Security Council Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2001/546)**

**The President:** The Security Council will now begin its consideration of the item on its agenda. The Council is meeting in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

Members of the Council have before them document S/2001/546, letter dated 31 May 2001 from the Chairman of the Security Council Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations addressed to the President of the Security Council, submitting the first report of the Security Council Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations.

I should like to draw the attention of the members of the Council to document S/2001/535, letter dated 30 May 2001 from the representatives of Argentina, Canada, Ghana, India, Jordan, the Netherlands and New Zealand to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council.

Members of the Council also have before them document S/2001/573, which contains the text of a draft resolution prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations. I would like to take this opportunity to commend again the excellent leadership provided by Ambassador Curtis Ward of Jamaica, as Chairman of the Security Council Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations, which negotiated this text.

It is my understanding that the Council is ready to proceed to the vote on the draft resolution before it. Unless I hear any objection, I shall put the draft resolution to the vote now.

There being no objection, it is so decided.

*A vote was taken by a show of hands.*

*In favour:*

Bangladesh, China, Colombia, France, Ireland, Jamaica, Mali, Mauritius, Norway, Russian Federation, Singapore, Tunisia, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America

**The President:** There were 15 votes in favour. The draft resolution has been adopted unanimously as resolution 1353 (2001).

The Security Council has thus concluded the present stage of its consideration of the item on the agenda.

*The meeting rose at 10.55 a.m.*