



# Security Council

Fifty-fourth Year

## 4044<sup>th</sup> Meeting

Monday, 13 September 1999, 11.15 a.m.

New York

*Provisional*


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<i>President:</i>	Mr. van Walsum . . . . .	(Netherlands)
<i>Members:</i>	Argentina . . . . .	Mr. Petrella
	Bahrain . . . . .	Mr. R. Al-Dosari
	Brazil . . . . .	Mr. Cordeiro
	Canada . . . . .	Mr. Fowler
	China . . . . .	Mr. Chen Xu
	France . . . . .	Mr. Teixeira da Silva
	Gabon . . . . .	Mr. Dangué Réwaka
	Gambia . . . . .	Mr. Jagne
	Malaysia . . . . .	Mr. Kamal
	Namibia . . . . .	Mrs. Ashipala-Musavyi
	Russian Federation . . . . .	Mr. Granovsky
	Slovenia . . . . .	Mr. Žbogar
	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland . . . . .	Mr. Eldon
	United States of America . . . . .	Mr. Burleigh

## Agenda

The situation concerning Western Sahara

Report of the Secretary-General on the situation concerning Western Sahara (S/1999/954)

*The meeting was called to order at 11.15 a.m.*

### **Adoption of the agenda**

*The agenda was adopted.*

### **The situation concerning Western Sahara Report of the Secretary-General on the situation concerning Western Sahara (S/1999/954)**

**The President:** The Security Council will now begin its consideration of the item on its agenda.

The Security Council is meeting in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

Members of the Council have before them the report of the Secretary-General on the situation concerning Western Sahara, document S/1999/954.

Members of the Council also have before them document S/1999/964, which contains the text of a draft resolution prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

It is my understanding that the Security Council is ready to proceed to the vote on the draft resolution before it. If I hear no objection, I shall now put the draft resolution to the vote.

There being no objection, it is so decided.

*A vote was taken by show of hands.*

*In favour:*

Argentina, Bahrain, Brazil, Canada, China, France, Gabon, Gambia, Malaysia, Namibia, Netherlands, Russian Federation, Slovenia, 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 1263 (1999).

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

*The meeting rose at 11.20 a.m.*