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II. Maintenance of international peace and security

- B. Consideration of the revised proposal submitted by Libya with a view to strengthening the role of the United Nations in the maintenance of international peace and security
 - 1. During the general exchange of views held at the 297th and 298th meetings of the Special Committee, and at the 1st meeting of the Working Group of the Whole, on 16 February, the Special Committee considered the revised proposal submitted by Libya with a view to strengthening the role of the United Nations in the maintenance of international peace and security (A/53/33, para. 98).
 - 2. The sponsor delegation recalled the background to the proposal and highlighted that it had been considered by the Special Committee since 1998. It also recalled that the proposal was aimed at, inter alia, improving the methods of work between the Security Council and the General Assembly so that both organs could effectively fulfil their respective roles in the maintenance of international peace and security.
 - 3. Several delegations reiterated their support for the continued consideration of the proposal. The view was expressed that the proposal needed to be thoroughly debated and merited meaningful discussions with results-based deliberations.
 - 4. Other delegations were of the view that the proposal was among those that were duplicative of or inconsistent with revitalization efforts undertaken elsewhere within the Organization. It was emphasized that the proposal did not address a clear need, since the relationship between the different organs within the Organization was already defined in the Charter.



