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### Summary statement by the Secretary-General on matters of which the Security Council is seized and on the stage reached in their consideration

### Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/2001/15 of 19 March 2001, S/2001/15/Add.3 of 28 March 2001, S/2001/15/Add.5 of 2 April 2001, S/2001/15/Add.6 of 4 April 2001 and S/2001/15/Add.7 of 6 April 2001.

During the week ending 10 March 2001, the Security Council took action on the following items:

Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999) (see S/1999/25/Add.43 and 51; S/2000/40/Add.6, 9, 18, 22, 27, 33, 38, 45, 46 and 50; and S/2001/15/Add.3 and 7; see also S/1998/44/Add.13, 34, 38 and 42; and S/1999/25/Add.2, 3, 11, 18 and 22)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4286th meeting, held in private on 6 March 2001 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

At the close of the meeting, the following communiqué was issued by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Council:

"At its 4286th meeting, held in private at 4.15 p.m. on 6 March 2001, the Security Council considered the item entitled 'Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999)'.

"In accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure, the President extended invitations to His Excellency Mr. Zoran Zizić, Prime Minister of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, and to the representatives of Argentina, Bulgaria, Canada, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Japan, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sweden and Turkey.

"In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, and with the consent of the Council, the President extended an



invitation to the Permanent Observer of Switzerland to the United Nations to participate in the discussion, without the right to vote.

"In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, and with the consent of the Council, the President extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Mr. Richard Wyatt, Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the delegation of the European Commission to the United Nations.

"The members of the Council had a constructive discussion with the Prime Minister of the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia."

**The situation in Liberia** (*see* S/22110/Add.3 and Corr.1; S/23370/Add.18 and 46; S/25070/Add.12, 23, 32 and 38; S/1994/20/Add.15, 20, 27, 36 and 41; S/1995/40/Add.1, 14, 25, 36 and 44; S/1996/15/Add.3, 4, 14, 18, 21, 34 and 47; and S/1997/40/Add.12, 25 and 30)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4287th meeting, held on 7 March 2001 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

The President drew attention to a draft resolution (S/2001/188) that had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2001/188, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1343 (2001) (for the text, see S/RES/1343 (2001); to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-sixth Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 2001*).

## Ensuring an effective role of the Security Council in the maintenance of international peace and security, particularly in Africa (see S/2000/40/Add. 35)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4288th meeting, held on 7 March 2001 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it a letter dated 28 February 2001 from the Acting Permanent Representative of Ukraine to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General (S/2001/185). There was one suspension and one resumption of the meeting.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Algeria, Argentina, Australia, Belarus, Brazil, Canada, Croatia, Egypt, Japan, Namibia, Pakistan, Peru and Sweden, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

#### Letter dated 4 March 2001 from the Permanent Representative of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council

By a letter dated 4 March 2001 addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2001/191), the Permanent Representative of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia to the United Nations transmitted a letter of the same date from the Minister for Foreign Affairs of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, requesting that an emergency session of the Security Council be convened, at which the Foreign Minister would present an action plan of the Government of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia for measures for the cessation of violence and for lasting stabilization on the border with the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia (Kosovo section), and for the prevention of a spillover of violence into the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

The Security Council met to consider the item at its 4289th and 4290th meetings, held on 7 March 2001 in response to that request.

At the 4289th meeting, the President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Albania, Bulgaria, Croatia, Greece, Slovenia, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Turkey and Yugoslavia, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

At the 4290th meeting, the President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/2001/7; to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-sixth Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 2001*).

# **The situation along the borders of Guinea, Liberia and Sierra Leone** (see also S/2001/15/Add. 7)

The Security Council met to consider the item at its 4291st meeting, held on 8 March 2001 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Guinea and Sierra Leone, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Ruud Lubbers, United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees.

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