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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 document S/13033 of 9 January 1979.

During the week ending 15 September 1979, the Security Council took action on the following item:

Admission of new Members (see S/7382, S/7564, S/8301, S/8555, S/8815, S/8896, S/9961, S/10121, S/10296, S/10327, S/10351, S/10462, S/10762, S/10770/Add.1, S/10855/Add.25, S/10855/Add.29, S/11185/Add.22, S/11185/Add.23, S/11185/Add.24, S/11185/Add.31, S/11185/Add.32, S/11593/Add.31, S/11593/Add.32, S/11593/Add.33, S/11593/Add.38, S/11593/Add.39, S/11593/Add.41, S/11593/Add.48, S/11935/Add.25, S/11935/Add.33, S/11935/Add.36, S/11935/Add.45, S/11935/Add.46, S/11935/Add.47, S/11935/Add.48, S/12269/Add.27, S/12269/Add.29, S/12520/Add.32 and S/12520/Add.48).

By a note dated 6 September 1979 (S/13530), the Secretary-General circulated the application of Saint Lucia for admission to membership in the United Nations contained in a letter dated 28 August 1979 from the Prime Minister of Saint Lucia addressed to the Secretary-General.

The Security Council considered the application at its 2166th and 2167th meetings on 12 September 1979.

At the 2166th meeting, the President, in accordance with the provisions of rule 59 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure and in the absence of a proposal to the contrary, referred the application of Saint Lucia to the Committee on the Admission of New Members for consideration and report. The Council further agreed to waive the deadline set out in the last sentence of that rule for submission of the Committee's report.

At the 2167th meeting, the President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Barbados and Liberia, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

At that meeting, the Council had before it the report of the Committee on the Admission of New Members (S/13535), unanimously recommending to the Council a draft resolution concerning the application of Saint Lucia.

The Security Council voted on the draft resolution contained in paragraph 4 of the report and adopted it unanimously as resolution 453 (1979).

Resolution 453 (1979) reads as follows:

The Security Council,

Having examined the application of Saint Lucia for admission to the United Nations (S/13530),

Recommends to the General Assembly that Saint Lucia be admitted to membership in the United Nations.
