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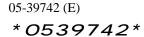
President:	Mr. De La Sablière	(France)
Members:	Algeria Argentina Benin Brazil	Mr. García Moritán Mr. Zinsou
	China Denmark Greece	Mr. Zhang Yishan Ms. Løj
	Japan	Mr. Kitaoka Mr. Baja
	Russian FederationUnited Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern IrelandUnited Republic of TanzaniaUnited States of America	Sir Emyr Jones Parry Mrs. Taj

Agenda

The situation in Côte d'Ivoire

Fifth progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire (S/2005/398 and Add.1)

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Provisional

The meeting was called to order at 10.15 a.m.

Adoption of the agenda

The agenda was adopted.

The situation in Côte d'Ivoire

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The President (*spoke in French*): I should like to inform the Council that I have received a letter from the representative of Côte d'Ivoire, in which he requests to be invited to participate in the consideration of the item on the Council's agenda. In conformity with the usual practice, I propose, with the consent of the Council, to invite that representative to participate in the discussion, without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

There being no objection, it is so decided.

At the invitation of the President, Mr. Yao (Côte d'Ivoire) took a seat at the Council table.

The President (*spoke in French*): 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 the fifth progress report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Operation in Côte d'Ivoire, documents S/2005/398 and Addendum 1. Members also have before them document S/2005/409, which contains the text of a draft resolution prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

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 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:

Algeria, Argentina, Benin, Brazil, China, Denmark, France, Greece, Japan, Philippines, Romania, Russian Federation, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America

The President (*spoke in French*): There were 15 votes in favour. The draft resolution has been adopted unanimously as resolution 1609 (2005).

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

The meeting rose at 10.20 a.m.