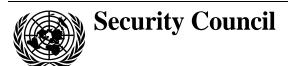
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## Official communiqué of the 5357th (closed) meeting of the Security Council

Held in private at Headquarters, New York, on Thursday, 26 January 2006, at 10 a.m.

In accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the following communiqué was issued through the Secretary-General in place of a verbatim record:

"On 26 January 2006, the Security Council, pursuant to annex II, sections A and B of resolution 1353 (2001), held its 5357th meeting in private with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia.

"The Security Council and the troop-contributing countries heard a briefing under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure by Ms. Heidi Tagliavini, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia.

"Members of the Council, Ms. Tagliavini and representatives of participating troop-contributing countries had a constructive exchange of views."

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