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Tuesday, 29 August 2006, 10 a.m. New York

President:	Nana Effah-Apenteng	(Ghana)
Members:	Argentina	Mr. García Moritán
	China	Mr. Liu Zhenmin
	Congo	Mr. Gayama
	Denmark	Mr. Faaborg-Andersen
	France	Mr. Lacroix
	Greece	Mr. Vassilakis
	Japan	Mr. Omura
	Peru	Ms. Zanelli
	Qatar	Mr. Al-Bader
	Russian Federation	Mr. Kuzmin
	Slovakia	Mr. Burian
	United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	Sir Emyr Jones Parry
	United Republic of Tanzania	Mrs. Taj
	United States of America	Mr. Bolton

## Agenda

International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994

Letter dated 25 August 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/688)

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Provisional

The meeting was called to order at 10.05 a.m.

## Adoption of the agenda

The agenda was adopted.

International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994

## Letter dated 25 August 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2006/688)

**The President**: The Security Council will now begin its consideration of the item on its agenda. The Security Council is meeting in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

Members of the Council have before them document S/2006/688, which contains the text of identical letters dated 25 August 2006 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council, transmitting a letter dated 24 August 2006 from the President of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda.

Members of the Council also have before them document S/2006/690, 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 put the draft resolution to the vote now.

There being no objection, it is so decided.

A vote was taken by show of hands.

In favour:

Argentina, China, Congo, Denmark, France, Ghana, Greece, Japan, Peru, Qatar, Russian Federation, Slovakia, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America

**The President**: There were 15 votes in favour. The draft resolution has been adopted unanimously as resolution 1705 (2006).

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

The meeting rose at 10.10 a.m.