



Chairman: Mr. Paul Bamela ENGO (Cameroon).

AGENDA ITEM 96

Review of the role of the International Court of Justice (*continued*) (A/8042 and Add.1 and 2, A/C.6/L.800/Rev.1, A/C.6/L.801, A/C.6/L.802, A/C.6/L.806/Rev.1, A/C.6/L.808/Rev.1 and 2)

1. The CHAIRMAN suggested that the meeting be suspended so that negotiations could be continued with a view to producing a text on the review of the role of the International Court of Justice that could be accepted by all delegations.

The meeting was suspended at 3.15 p.m. and resumed at 5.35 p.m.

2. The CHAIRMAN said that the spirit of give-and-take shown by all those concerned gave reason to hope that the negotiations would lead to a text acceptable in all quarters. He therefore suggested that the meeting be adjourned and that the Committee's decision on that agenda item be deferred till the next meeting.

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3. Replying to requests for clarification from Mr. SEATON (United Republic of Tanzania), Mr. OSMAN (United Arab Republic), and Mr. KOLESNIK (Union of Soviet Socialist Republics), the CHAIRMAN explained that whatever the outcome of the negotiations, the Sixth Committee would vote on a draft resolution on the review of the role of the International Court of Justice at the next meeting, after having heard the relevant explanations of votes. If sufficient time were left over, the Committee would then take a decision on the question of aerial hijacking.

The meeting rose at 5.45 p.m.