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**SUMMARY
OF THE
FINAL DAY'S
PROCEEDINGS**

SATURDAY, 4 OCTOBER 2008

Committee of the Whole

7th meeting Under agenda item 14, “Nuclear security — measures to protect against nuclear terrorism”, the Committee did not reach consensus on draft resolution GC(52)/COM.5/L.6/Rev.1.

Under agenda item 15, “Strengthening of the Agency’s technical cooperation activities”, the Committee did not reach consensus on draft resolution GC(52)/COM.5/L.10/Rev.2.

Draft resolution GC(52)/COM.5/L.12 entitled “Strengthening of technical assistance to least developed countries in the peaceful applications of nuclear energy” was considered in the Committee and the understanding was reached that the matter would be considered by the Conference at its 53rd regular session.

Under agenda item 18, “Strengthening the effectiveness and improving the efficiency of the safeguards system and application of the Model Additional Protocol”, the Committee did not reach consensus on draft resolution GC(52)/COM.5/L.2/Rev.2.

Plenary

9th meeting **Item 19** — “Implementation of the NPT safeguards agreement between the Agency and the Democratic People’s Republic of Korea”, the Conference adopted the draft resolution contained in document GC(52)/L.4.

Item 20 — “Application of IAEA safeguards in the Middle East”, the Conference adopted the draft resolution contained in document GC(52)/L.1/Mod.2. A roll call vote was requested for the entire resolution, which was approved by 82 in favour and 0 against, with 13 abstentions.

Item 21 — “Israeli nuclear capabilities”, the Conference decided to take a vote in accordance with Rule 59 of the Rules of Procedure of the General Conference on the motion to take no action during the current session with respect to the draft resolution contained in document GC(52)/L.2. The result of the vote was 46 in favour, 43 against, with 7 abstentions.

Item 24 — “Report on contributions pledged to the Technical Cooperation Fund for 2009” (document GC(52)/22/Rev.4). By 3 October 2008, a total of \$14 291 828 or 16.81% of the target for the 2009 Technical Cooperation Fund had been pledged.

The Conference adopted the following draft resolutions and decisions, which had been recommended by the Committee of the Whole:

Item 14 — “Nuclear security — measures to protect against nuclear terrorism” — draft resolution GC(52)/COM.5/L.6/Rev.1. A roll call vote was requested for the entire resolution, which was approved by 77 in favour and 0 against, with 10 abstentions.

Item 15 — “Strengthening of the Agency’s technical cooperation activities” — draft resolution GC(52)/COM.5/L.10/Rev.2.

Item 16 — “Strengthening the Agency’s activities related to nuclear science, technology and applications” — the clustered draft resolutions in document GC(52)/L.5, namely,

- A. “Non-power nuclear applications”,
- B. “Nuclear power applications”,
- C. “Nuclear knowledge”.

Item 18 — “Strengthening the effectiveness and improving the efficiency of the safeguards system and application of the Model Additional Protocol” — draft resolution GC(52)/COM.5/L.2/Rev.2, after a vote on operative paragraph 3, which was approved by 86 in favour and 2 against, with 2 abstentions. In addition, a roll call vote was requested for the entire resolution, which was approved by 71 in favour and 0 against, with 19 abstentions.

The President expressed his gratitude for the cooperation and assistance extended to him and for the valuable support, which enabled the successful completion of the work of the Conference.