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Chair: Mr. Halfaoui (Morocco)

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The meeting was called to order at 3:05 p.m.

Agenda item 5: Election of the officers of the Main Committees *(continued)*

1. **The Chair** said that the secretariat had informed him that the Vice-Chair from the Asia-Pacific States, Mr. Al-Mahmoud (United Arab Emirates), had relinquished his post as Vice-Chair of the Fourth Committee for the seventy-second session of the General Assembly, effective 15 December 2017. The Group of Asia-Pacific States had endorsed the nomination of Ms. AlMatrooshi (United Arab Emirates) to fill that vacancy for the remainder of the seventy-second session.

2. *Ms. AlMatrooshi (United Arab Emirates) was elected Vice-Chair by acclamation.*

Agenda item 55: Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects *(continued)* ([A/72/19](#); [A/C.4/72/L.26](#))

3. **Mr. Aboulwafa** (Egypt), Rapporteur of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations, introducing the Report of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations on its 2018 substantive session ([A/72/19](#)), said that the Special Committee had met from 12 February to 9 March 2018. After the general debate the Working Group of the Whole had convened briefings on 14, 15 and 23 February and met from 23 February to 9 March discuss and finalize the proposals, recommendations and conclusions of the Special Committee.

4. Turning to the draft resolution entitled “Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects” ([A/C.4/72/L.26](#)), he said that it was based on similar resolutions adopted in recent years in which the General Assembly endorsed the proposals, recommendations and conclusions contained in the report of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations, and urged Member States, the Secretariat and relevant organs of the United Nations system to implement them.

5. *The meeting was suspended at 3.15 p.m. and resumed at 3.25 p.m.*

6. **The Chair** said that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

7. *Draft resolution [A/C.4/72/L.26](#) was adopted.*

The meeting rose at 3.25 p.m.