Consideration of New Article 100.

Discussion of this Article was postponed until the next meeting to enable delegations to study the question further.

Consideration of the United States Amendment to Article 99.

Discussion of this amendment was postponed until Monday, 26 January, at the request of several delegations which were awaiting instructions on this subject.

Consideration of Mexican Amendment to Paragraph 3 of Article 99.

The delegate of Mexico stated that the purpose of the amendment was to establish definitely in the text of the Charter that each Member should take all the necessary measures to ensure that the provisions of the Charter are being conformed with in all the territories under the Member's jurisdiction.

The delegate of France did not agree with the proposed amendment and pointed out that the words "take all necessary measures" when translated into French, implied even so much as the use of armed forces in this respect. The delegates of Australia and the United States opposed the amendment on the ground that within the framework of the constitutional organization of their respective countries, the central governments could not assume the responsibility which the amendment proposes they should undertake. The delegate of Mexico understood the constitutional difficulties which other countries might have in regard to the proposed amendment and expressed his willingness to accept a revised draft which would meet the various points raised. Further discussion was postponed until the next meeting.