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Text of statement made on a point of order in the Security Council by the Canadian Representative, Mr. George Ignatieff, November 16, 1967.

On a point of order, I should like to draw attention to the fact that a new draft resolution has been introduced this afternoon by the United Kingdom representative, and the situation which we now face, with three draft resolutions before us, requires very careful consideration by all members of the Council. In the circumstances, I believe that a reasonable period should be allowed for consultations, but as has been said by many around this table, at the same time there should be no undue delay in our work. I would therefore propose in order to allow time for consultations and for delegations, if necessary, to seek further instructions, that the Council should adjourn until tomorrow, Friday, November 17, at 3:30 p.m. I make this motion in accordance with sub-paragraph (3) of rule 33 of our rules of procedure.