

Improving the function of UN decision-making bodies: Mr. Ouellet said that Canada will work actively on negotiations to enlarge the Security Council to reflect current international realities. The Security Council must modify its methods, increase transparency and be more open to the viewpoints of non-members, especially countries which contribute peacekeeping troops.

Putting the UN on a sound financial footing: Canada has called for a review of UN budgetary procedures to make them more transparent and simple.

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