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The Security Council members convened today, 9 January 2025, to discuss the latest political developments in Lebanon.

The Security Council members welcomed the election of Mr. Joseph Aoun as new president of Lebanon which put an end to more than two years of vacancy of this important position.

The Security Council members emphasized the importance of the election of a president in Lebanon to ensuring fully functional state institutions to address the pressing political, economic, and security challenges of the country.

The Security Council members reaffirmed their strong support for the territorial integrity, sovereignty, and political independence of Lebanon.

The Security Council members reiterated their commitment to stability in Lebanon and called for the full implementation of resolution 1701 (2006) and previous Security Council relevant resolutions related to the situation in Lebanon.