

**COMMUNIQUE**  
**by the participants of the 6<sup>th</sup> Meeting of Heads of Special Services,  
Security Agencies, and Law-Enforcement Organizations**

The 6<sup>th</sup> Meeting of Heads of Special Services, Security Agencies, and Law-Enforcement Organizations focused on countering international terrorism was held on 6-7 September 2007 in the city of Khabarovsk, Russian Federation. The Meeting was attended by the representatives of the UN Security Council Counter-Terrorism Committee (UN SC CTC) and the International Agency of Atomic Energy (IAEA). The participants of the forum discussed the issues related to the cooperation within the framework of the Global Initiative to Combat Nuclear Terrorism. Besides that, the issues of the improvement of interaction in the interests of further consolidation of counter-terrorist efforts were considered.

Realizing the risk of nuclear and radioactive materials and related technologies being diverted to the terrorist use, the participants of the Meeting emphasized the urgent necessity of the Global Initiative confirming their commitment to enhance joint efforts in this field, including the sharing of best practices of nuclear terrorism prevention.

The participants stated the necessity of closer and more trustworthy cooperation in combating international terrorist organizations, actively discussed the methods, techniques, and practical experiences of countering propaganda and recruitment activities of terrorist organizations had been actively discussed and shared. The participants exchanged views regarding the measures of neutralizing radical ideology employed by international terrorist organizations with a view to gaining their illegal objectives.

The participants of the Meeting pointed out that in the currently developed global informational environment the task of expanding the scope of security / intelligence and law-enforcement interaction to detect and suppress the attempts to use the Internet facilities for the terrorist purposes, above all, as a means of radical ideology and propaganda, recruitment of new members, fundraising activities, and establishing operational links, is becoming increasingly essential.

The Meeting provided an opportunity to exchange national experiences in the security provision of major international events. For the purpose of practically working through the aspects of interaction to this effect a demonstration counter-terrorist exercise was organized.

Accordingly to the decisions of the 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Meetings, the Working Group of the forum introduced an unclassified segment of the International Counter-Terrorism Database, established within the framework of the Russian Federation National Anti-Terrorism Committee. Based on the results of the unclassified segment

operating further guidelines of developing a classified component of the Database were outlined.

Based on the corresponding arrangement the venue, timing, and agenda of the 7<sup>th</sup> Meeting should be further agreed with the participants in accordance with the previously established procedure.

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