UNITED NATIONS HIGH-LEVEL CONFERENCE OF HEADS OF COUNTER-TERRORISM AGENCIES OF MEMBER STATES

Strengthening International Cooperation to Combat the Evolving Threat of Terrorism

PROGRAMME
DAY I – THURSDAY 28 JUNE 2018

10:00 – 10:30  High-level Session: Mobilising international cooperation to combat the evolving threat of terrorism

Introduction by Mr. Vladimir Voronkov, Under-Secretary-General of the Office of Counter-Terrorism, United Nations

Keynote address

- H.E. Mr. António Guterres, Secretary-General of the United Nations

Other speakers

- H.E. Mr. Kai Sauer, Permanent Representative of Finland to the United Nations and Co-Facilitator of the Sixth Review of the United Nations Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy


10:30 – 13:00  Session I: Opportunities and challenges in strengthening international cooperation through the sharing of information, expertise and resources

Chairperson of the Inter-Governmental Session

- Ms. Michèle Coninsx, Assistant Secretary-General and Executive Director of the Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate, United Nations

Statements from Heads of Delegations from Member States, international and regional organizations and United Nations entities. The speakers list will follow standard United Nations rules. Each statement will be a maximum of four minutes.

13:00 – 15:00  Lunch Break
15:00 – 18:00  Session II: Combatting the evolving threat from Foreign Terrorist Fighters

Chairperson of the Inter-Governmental Session

- Mr. Jürgen Stock, Secretary-General of INTERPOL

Statements from Heads of Delegations from Member States, international and regional organizations and United Nations entities. The speakers list will follow standard United Nations rules. Each statement will be a maximum of four minutes.

18:30 – 20:30  Reception hosted by Mr. Vladimir Voronkov, Under-Secretary-General of the Office of Counter-Terrorism, United Nations

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**DAY II – FRIDAY 29 JUNE 2018**

10:00 – 13:00  Session III: Strengthening global action to prevent violent extremism, including by engaging youth and preventing misuse of new technologies and the Internet by terrorists

Chairperson of the Session

- Mr. Achim Steiner, Administrator of the United Nations Development Programme

Statements from civil society organizations from each of the five United Nations Regional Groups of Member States.

Statements from Heads of Delegations from Member States, international and regional organizations and United Nations entities. The speakers list will follow standard United Nations rules. Each statement will be a maximum of four minutes.

13:00 – 15:00  Lunch Break

15:00 – 17:30  Session IV: Strengthening the role and capacity of the United Nations to support Member States to implement the United Nations Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy

Co-Chairpersons of the Session

- Mr. Vladimir Voronkov, Under-Secretary-General of the Office of Counter-Terrorism, United Nations

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• Ms. Phumzile Mlambo-Ngcuka, Under-Secretary-General and Executive Director of UN Women

• Mr. Yury Fedotov, Executive Director of the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime

• Dr. Fang Liu, Secretary General of the International Civil Aviation Organization

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17:30 – 18:00

Closing Session

Introduction by Mr. Vladimir Voronkov, Under-Secretary-General of the Office of Counter-Terrorism, United Nations

Chair’s Summary and closing remarks

• H.E. Mr. António Guterres, Secretary-General of the United Nations

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