Information submitted by the Republic of Yemen pursuant to paragraph 12 of United Nations General Assembly resolution 63/126 entitled "Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives"

The Republic of Yemen has taken a number of security measures to ensure the security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions.

- 1. Static and mobile security protection is provided for ambassadors both in the capital and as they move about the country.
- 2. Embassy buildings, United Nations offices and international agencies are provided with permanent and ad hoc security services. Some embassies use armoured units for protection depending on the level of threat to which they might be exposed.
- 3. Concrete barriers have been installed around embassies where there is a likelihood of a threat.
- 4. Security protection is provided on demand for all activities conducted by embassies and international agencies and organizations.
- 5. The performance level of security services is monitored on an ongoing basis and shortcomings are addressed as they arise.
- 6. Expeditious and proactive action is taken on all reports received from embassies by the security services, and appropriate security measures are taken in accordance with the nature of each report.
- 7. Persons involved in attacks against embassies or international agencies or organizations are remanded to the legal authorities for trial.
- 8. Coordination meetings are held with all ambassadors by the security services in conjunction with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs to discuss any security problems which the embassies might be experiencing.
- 9. The competent security service personnel visit embassies personally to meet with security officials and address any concerns expressed by any embassy.