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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Moldova to the United Nations presents its compliments to the United Nations Office of Legal Affairs and with regard to the latter's Note Verbale No. LA/COD/11/1 dated 8 January 2019 has the honour to present herewith the information by the Republic of Moldova pursuant to operative paragraph 10 (a) of the Declaration on the Measures to Eliminate International Terrorism.

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Moldova to the United Nations avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the United Nations Office of Legal Affairs the assurances of its highest consideration. \sqrt{M}



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National contribution presented by the Republic of Moldova to the Secretary General's Report on the implementation of the Declaration on the Measures to Eliminate International Terrorism.

Mindful of the provisions of the Declaration on Measures to Eliminate International Terrorism and sharing the common commitment of eliminating international terrorism in all its forms and manifestations, the Republic of Moldova has concluded multiple bilateral and multilateral treaties and improved its national legislation in order to meet the goals of the above-mentioned Declaration.

The Republic of Moldova has concluded 43 bilateral treaties on such key-aspects as cooperation in the exchange of information regarding money laundering and financing terrorism and cooperation in the fight against terrorism. Furthermore, the Republic of Moldova is a party to 18 multilateral agreements which have the same objective (e.g. the European Convention on the Suppression of Terrorism from 1977, Council of Europe Convention on the Prevention of Terrorism from 2005, International Convention for the Suppression of Acts of Nuclear Terrorism from 2005, etc.).

The Criminal Code of the Republic of Moldova dedicates en entire chapter to *Offenses against Public Security and Public Order* (Chapter XII), which also incriminates the crimes of a terrorist character and alongside with article 134¹¹ of the same Code establishes that such crimes are: (1) Use, development, production, or acquisition, the processing, storage or preservation, direct or indirect transmission, transportation of weapons of mass destruction (article 140¹); Attack against a beneficiary of international protection (article 142); The terrorist act (article 278); Delivery, placement, triggering or detonation of an explosive device or of any other lethal device (article 278¹); Recruiting, training, receiving training or other kind of support for terrorist purposes (article 279¹); Traveling abroad for terrorist purposes (279³); Taking hostages (280); etc.