

The Permanent Mission of Canada to the United Nations



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Excellency,

In our capacity as the co-facilitators of the 8th review of the United Nations Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy "GCTS", we would like to thank all delegations for their active and constructive engagement during the presentation of the zero draft of the resolution that took place on March 9, 2023.

We have carefully studied the remarks, and written input provided by Member States and Groups of States during and since the first round of discussions.

Based on the written inputs received from the delegations on the zero draft, we are pleased to share the first revised (Rev. 1) text reflecting all these contributions.

We have the honour to inform you that the second round of consultations will be held on 26 and 28 April 2023, (from 10:00 to 1:00 PM and from 3:00 to 6:00 PM in CR2), and on 2 May 2023 (from 10:00 to 1:00 PM and from 3:00 to 6:00 PM in the Trusteeship council). At these consultations, we will undertake the reading of the first revised text.

Additionally, we are sharing today the updated road map of the 8th review, as well as the invitation for the Civil Society Town Hall on the GCTS, to be held on 25 April 2023 in the ECOSOC Chamber from 10:00 to 11:45 am (hybrid format).

We wish to convey our appreciation for your valuable contributions, and we look forward to your continued constructive engagement in this process.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of our highest consideration.

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