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Addendum to the Madrid Guiding Principles



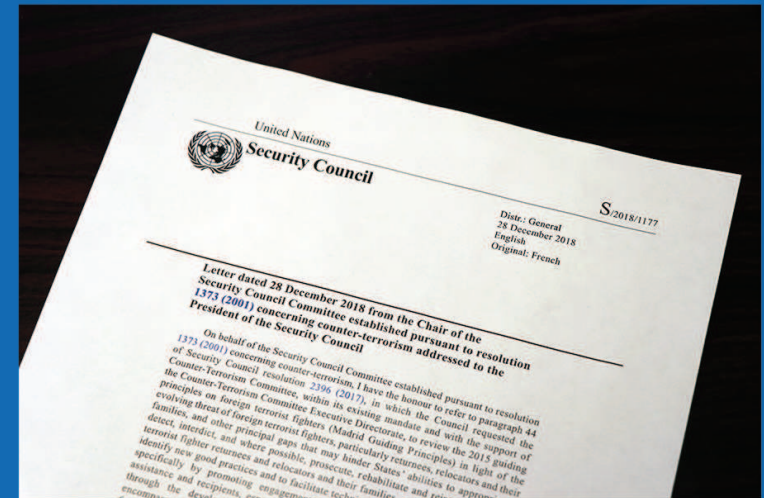
A practical tool for Member States
to stem the flow of foreign terrorist fighters



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Returning and Relocating Foreign Terrorist Fighters: International Framework, Regional Perspectives and Practices in the Implementation



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13:00 - 14:20
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Agenda

Opening remarks by the Executive Director of the United Nations Security Council Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (UN CTED), Assistant Secretary-General (ASG) Michèle Coninsx

Presentation on the 2018 Addendum to the Madrid Guiding Principles on Foreign Terrorist Fighters (FTF), a practical tool to enable Member States to address the evolving threat posed by FTFs, particularly FTF returnees and relocators
Ms. Svetlana Martynova, CTED Legal Officer

EU response to challenges related to FTF returnees and their family members
Mr. Guenther Sablattnig
Adviser to the EU Counter-Terrorism Coordinator

Addressing FTF-related threats and challenges within a human rights framework – the perspective of OSCE/ODIHR
Mr. Johannes Heiler
Adviser on Anti-terrorism Issues, OSCE ODIHR

The treatment of children associated with terrorist and violent extremist groups
Ms. Anna Giudice
Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice Officer at the Justice Section, Division of Operations, UNODC

Civil Society Support to Implementation of the Addendum to the Madrid Guiding Principles
Mr. Jason Ipe
Deputy Director, Global Center on Cooperative Security

Open discussion

Closing remarks by UN CTED Executive Director ASG Michèle Coninsx

Background

Foreign terrorist fighter (FTF) returnees, relocators and their family members constitute a major challenge for countries in the OSCE area and worldwide.

Tackling these challenges goes beyond classic law enforcement and judicial cooperation and requires a holistic approach that includes, inter alia, effective border security and information sharing, preventing and countering incitement and recruitment to commit terrorist acts, judicial measures and international cooperation, protecting critical infrastructure and “soft” targets, as well as considering cross-cutting issues such as families and children, civil society and the role of gender.

Over the past years, legal and practical tools have been developed to tackle these challenges and to meet the needs of returnees as well as of communities where people will reintegrate.

The 2015 Madrid Guiding Principles and the 2018 Addendum are the United Nations practical tools to assist Member States in stemming the flow of FTF and in addressing matters related to returning and relocating FTFs and their family members pursuant to Security Council resolutions 2178 (2014) and 2396 (2017).

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