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## Global Initiative to Combat Nuclear Terrorism Plenary Meeting

Delivered by Mr. Ulrik Ahnfeldt-Mollerup Chief, Countering-Terrorism Section United Nations Counter-Terrorism Centre (UNCCT) United Nations Office of Counter-Terrorism (UNOCT) Buenos Aires, 5-7 Through its UN Counter-Terrorism Centre and the UN Trust Fund on Counter-Terrorism, generously funded by the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and other donors, our Office is providing capacity-building assistance to requesting Member States, including in the areas of prevention and response to CBRN terrorism.

Ladies and gentlemen,

In the last review of the UN Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy, the General Assembly ecrugf "wr qp"cm"O go dgt "Uvcvgu"vq"õr tgxgpv"vgttqtkuvu"htqo "ces wktkpi "Y O F "cpf "vheir means of delivery [í] and [encouraged] cooperation among and between Member States and relevant tgi kqpcn'cpf "kpvgtpcvkqpcn'qti cpk cvkqpu'hqt"uvtgpi vj gpkpi "pcvkqpcn'Đ To conclude, I would like to highlight that the UN Office of Counter-Terrorism remains committed to assisting Member States to prevent WMD attacks by terrorists and promoting interagency collaboration to guarantee that such a calamity never takes place. We will continue to work with the Member States and GICNT to ensure that prevention, preparedness and response capabilities are firmly in place.

Through this type of active cooperation and partnership, we hope to provide a collective response to this global challenge.

Thank you very much.