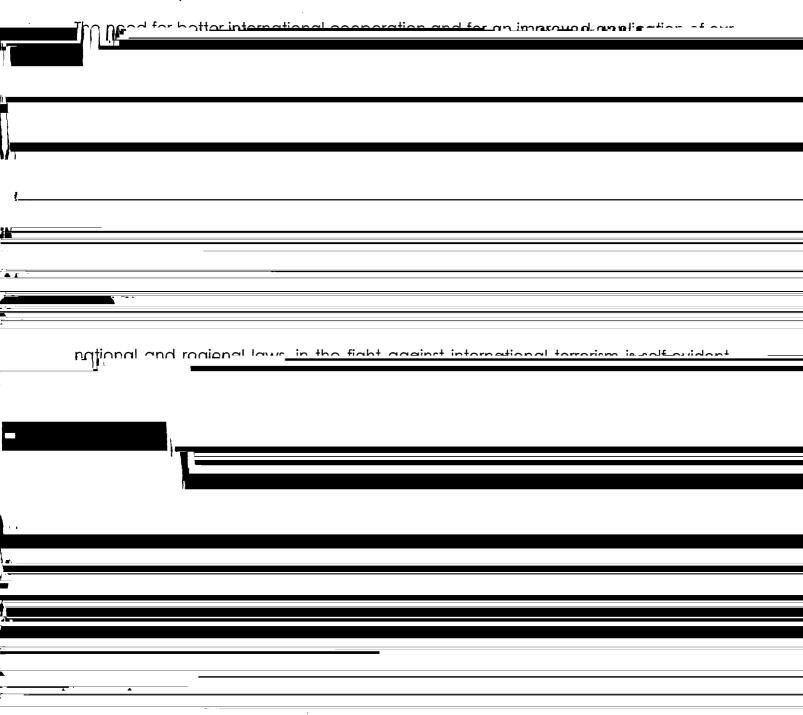


Mr. Chairman,

The Zambian delegation aligns itself with the statements delivered by the distinguished representatives of the Non-Aligned Movement and of the African Group; and joins the community of nations in condemning terrorism in all its forms and manifestations.

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Measures must be taken by all Member States to prevent and combat terrorism, as

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well as prevent violent extremism.

Meanwhile, Government has already been actively pursuing a five-year transformative process in its national development programme, that aims at ensuring that its strategy on the fight against international terrorism is well-coordinated betweenised and integrated in all sectors of the Zambian account.

Whilst the awareness of money laundering and terrorist financing activities occurring in the country is improving 7 ambig is vet to record significant progress in terms of

convictions and forfeiture of assets that are deemed blemished. The Government is, therefore, seeking to ensure the collective involvement of all public agencies and communities to address the scourge and protect the country from financial crimes. Zambia is grateful for the technical support it has thus far received from cooperating partners. Further assistance is, nevertheless, required to ensure that Zambia and other developing countries enhance and strengthen the capacity of relevant institutions to the light with terrorism including coordination efforts and knowledge-building