**Commission: Security Council**

Question of: The ways to combat international terrorism

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*The Security Council,*

*Acknowledging* that radical changes have been made in the ways terrorism is fought since the terrorist attacks on the World Trade Centre in New York on 11th September 2001,

*Noting with regret* that the international community is nowhere nearer to any conflict resolution and that the terrorist threat to World peace has in no clear way diminished in the post-September 11th era,

*Recalling* the dreadful attack to the Bataclan theatre in November 2015, resulting in the death of over one hundred people, which is thought to have been the work of an ISIS related terrorist group,

*Bearing in mind* the other many terrorist attacks since November 2015, such as the attacks in Brussels, in Nice, in London, in Pakistan and in the rest of the Middle East,

*Deeply concerned* by the worldwide escalation of acts of terrorism and in particular by the escalation observed in recent years throughout the globe,

*Convinced* that any action against a certain people, supposedly to combat terrorism, can only promote hate, violence and further encourage terrorist acts and that it in no way reduces terrorist activity in any particular region,

*Reaffirming* the importance of global and multilateral cooperation towards the eradication of the global terrorist threat;

1. *Demands* that states:

1. Find ways of accelerating the process by which information concerning terrorist related movement and manoeuvres is transmitted between nations’ borders,
2. Cooperate on administrative and judicial matters in order to suppress any form of encouragement of terrorism in any particular state,
3. Conform themselves with international law concerning immigration and political asylum before granting refugee status so as to prevent any form of terrorist movement across borders by means of political refuge;

2. *Calls* *for* the creation of an International Intelligence Unit (IIU) which would:

1. Create a comprehensive platform for the multilateral pooling and sharing of information collected by national intelligence agencies,
2. Set the minimum requirements in terms of amount of information to access the platform,
3. Further define a judicial system aimed at solving intelligence-related conflicts,

3. Specifies that information exceeding the International Intelligence Unit standards must be negotiated bilaterally between States.

4*. Further asks* that all states:

1. Immediately freeze bank accounts and other means of funding suspected or proven to be used for the financing of terrorist groups,
2. Immediately share with the IIU any information they may have on financial or other type of support of terrorist activity in their state and make such information available within their own state;
3. Cooperate with the IIU in order to punish their nationals suspected of being responsible for the provision of any financial or operational help to terrorist groups until the guilt or innocence of these suspects can be established,

5. *Decides* also the creation of a United Nations Counter-Terrorist Coordination Unit which would:

1. Coordinate the transfer of terrorist related intelligence between different states therefore encouraging active cooperation between nations and effective prevention of major terrorist strikes,
2. Coordinate the search for the responsible terrorist networks in the aftermath of a terrorist strike;

6. *Proposes* the creation of a United Nations based educational program whose aim would be to raise awareness about the consequences of terrorism as well as the aims of terrorists, in order to inform populations about the topic from different perspectives rather than offering mere propaganda to the affected populations;

7. *Strongly encourages* the creation of such educational programs by state governments or organizations in order to create awareness on a specific and local basis,

8. *Emphasizes* that it is in no nation’s interest to either harbor terrorism or to remain indifferent to terrorist presence in their state as terrorism brings no economic, social or political benefits whatsoever to a country;

9. *Decides* to remain actively seized on the matter and to work together in cooperation towards the achievement of our mutual objectives.