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The United Nations will continue to lead the global effort to prevent and counter all

threats to international peace and security, including terrorism and violent

extremism leading to terrorism, acting in accordance with a "One-UN" approach and

working closely with Member States and with all its key partners.

Excellencies, distinguished delegates,

The impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic have reaffirmed the need to further

strengthen our cooperation and coordination.

CTED, through its engagement with the research community and all its United

Nations and other partners, including civil society and the private sector, will

continue to monitor, facilitate and promote the efforts of Member States to implement

the relevant Security Council resolutions on terrorism.

And we shall also continue to share our analysis through our publications and other

outreach, helping to ensure that Member States and relevant practitioners are kept

abreast of the latest evidence-based research on the pandemic's impact on counter-

terrorism responses.

I thank you all once again for your participation and look forward to our continued

constructive dialogue and strong partnership.

Thank you.

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