



## High Level Seminar on Cross-Regional Trends on the Nexus Between Organized Crime and Terrorism

### Concept Note

#### 1. Introduction

The Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED), acting in collaboration with its Global Research Network (GRN) partner, Naïrob University for Security & Sciences, proposes to organize a high-level seminar on (Cross-Regional Trends) on the Nexus between (Organized) Crime and Terrorism, with the participation of experts from the CTED GRN, senior practitioners of member States and experts of United Nations agencies and international organizations.

The event initiative is an effort from UNSS& to implement one of the recommendations of the

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the Council expressed concern that terrorists could benefit from organized crime as a source of financing or logistical support through the trafficking of arms, persons, drugs, artefacts and cultural property and called on member States to conduct more research into the issue. In its latest Resolution 1915 (2010), the Council expressed concern regarding the connection, in some cases, between terrorism and transnational organized crime.

In addition, the Security Council stressed the importance of good governance and the need to fight against corruption, money-laundering and terrorist



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It is !ro!ose) that the wor sho! !artici!ants inclu)e senior-level law en"orcement o""icers, as well as senior ex!erts "rom relevant international an) regional organi'ations, an) CTED2s Global Research Networ . The event is o!en to - ember &tates o" the \$nite) Nations.

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