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STATEMENT
BY

Mr. Chairman,

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Second, in the past decade, the activities of violent extremist organizations (VEO) and terrorist armed groups (TAG) have preoccupied regional and national security discourse. A major concern is the southward thrust of the VEOs and the TAGs in West Africa and the Sahel into the coastal states along the shared borders of West Africa.

As a founding member of the Accra Initiative, the Government of Ghana continues to strengthen multilateral cooperation, through information and intelligence sharing

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Let me conclude by emphasizing that the impact of national and military efforts is