



**And it continues to provide critical impetus and guidance for Member States in their efforts to combat terrorism in all its forms and manifestations and to address the terrorist threat multilaterally and in a comprehensive and coordinated manner not least in order to ensure accountability and justice for all victims of terrorism.**

*Mr. Chair, Excellencies, distinguished participants,*

**The Counter-**  
**established by Council resolution 1535 (2004) as a special political mission to support the Committee in its work.**

**The special meeting and the review process leading up to CTED mandate renewal at the end of this year have provided a good opportunity for us to take stock of our activities in support of the Committee in its four pillar workstreams, which are:**

- **M implementation of the relevant Council resolutions;**
- **Facilitating the delivery of technical assistance for capacity-building;**
- **Promoting Council and Committee policy guidelines; international codes and standards; and effective practices; and**
- **Analysing new and emerging trends, threats and challenges and bringing them to the attention of the Council and the Committee.**

**I am proud to lead a strong CTED team that is dedicated to deliver on these workstreams.**

**Allow me to highlight just a few aspects of our work.**

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*First, on monitoring  
resolutions.*

**In order to assess Member States CTED conducts country assessment visits  
on behalf of the Committee.**

**Country visits provide a useful vehicle for direct engagement and dialogue between  
the Committee, CTED and Member States and are a critical component of the  
role.**

**Since 2005, CTED has visited 117 Member States and completed a total of 181  
comprehensive, focused, regional and follow-up visits.**

**guidance and the visit framework and  
temporary procedures for conducting hybrid country visits have enabled CTED to  
ensure business continuity and add657(addv)-14( )57(a)6(he )-257e vluvngsr roit eund addvcap f**

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**Member States analysis the advance outcomes of the two surveys, highlighting the progress made and the remaining challenges.**

*Second, on facilitating the delivery of technical assistance.*

**Member States are obligated to take effective measures to meet the requirements of the Council resolutions, but the international community also has a responsibility to assist them in their endeavours.**

**In facilitating assistance delivery, CTED has established strong partnerships with the United Nations Office of Counter-Terrorism, other specialized UN agencies, and international and regional organizations, including through the system-wide UN Global Counter-Terrorism Coordination Compact.**

**The Counter-Terrorism Coordination Platform currently contains 23 reports of the Committee on its visits to States that have given their consent to a full or partial release of the report and high priority technical assistance needs.**



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**In all our endeavours, we remain committed to upholding core values and our obligations under international law.**

**Effective counter-terrorism measures and the protection of human rights are not conflicting goals.**

**Rather, they are both essential elements of successful counter-terrorism approaches.**

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