

Logistical Note

Joint special meeting of the Council of the United Nations Security Council, the Sanctions Committee with Member States, the Financial Action Task Force (FATF) and other relevant international and regional organizations on

United Nations Headquarters, New York, 12 December 2016

Venue

The joint special meeting of the Council of the United Nations Security Council, the Sanctions Committee with Member States, the Financial Action Task Force (FATF) and other relevant international and regional organizations will be held in Conference Room 2, United Nations Headquarters, New York. Participants can buy lunch in several cafeterias in the United Nations Conference building.

Participants are invited to pick up a UN grounds pass at the CTED office (220 East 42nd Street 23rd Floor) on 11 December (from 1 to 4 p.m.) to avoid delays on 12 December.

JFK. AirTrain stops at every JFK terminal and connects with both the NYC Subway (Howard Beach and Jamaica stations) and Long Island Railroad (Jamaica Station).

LaGuardia (LGA) is the closest to Midtown and Upper Manhattan. There are also private bus lines going from LGA to midtown (current rate is approximately \$15.00 run by Supershuttle and GO Airport Shuttle).

Newark Liberty International (EWR) in New Jersey is the closest to lower Manhattan. The best route into Manhattan, especially at high traffic times of the day, is via New Jersey Transit trains, which runs frequently and quickly between the airport and New York's Pennsylvania station (link below). Newark's airport rail station is serviced by Newark AirTrain, which stops at every terminal. The taxi fare to/from Newark will cost approximately USD 80.00.
http://www.njtransit.com/rg/rg_servlet.srv?hdnPageAction=AirportConnectionsTo

Language

Simultaneous interpretation in all six official languages of the United Nations will be provided on an on-available basis.

Electricity

Electric power is standardized in all states across the USA. It is set at 110 Volts and 60 Hz. If you bring any electrical appliance to the USA, you may need an adaptor to fit the US electrical receptacles. You may also need a converter to change the voltage from 110 volts to 220 volts.

Money

The local currency is the U.S. Dollar. Participants can change money at the airport. ATM machines are generally available mostly near stores and shopping areas. Major credit cards (American Express, Visa, Mastercard) are mostly accepted in hotels, restaurants and shops. Check the icons normally displayed at the entrance.

Time

New York follows the Eastern Standard Time Zone.

Insurance

The organizers are not liable for damage/health problems that may arise in connection with the travel or during the event. It is therefore recommended that the participants