



American Model United Nations
General Assembly Plenary (Concurrent)

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SUBJECT OF RESOLUTION: The United Nations Global Counter-Terrorism Review

SUBMITTED TO: The General Assembly Plenary (Concurrent)

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1 *Recognizing* the need to strengthen relevant national institutions through global cooperation to prevent
2 violence, terrorism and crime, as encouraged through the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals,

3 *Deeply disturbed by* the high number of young adults driven to extremism due to circumstances elicited by
4 extremist groups,

5 *Alarmed by* the significant increase of terrorist incidents in regions unaffected by major terrorist conflicts,
6 as stated in the 2019 edition of the Global Terrorism Index,

7 *Noting with concern* the unwarranted number of approaches for disengagement, deradicalization and reinte-
8 gration, resulting in varying levels of success,

9 *Taking into consideration* the diverse backgrounds and motives of those driven to extremist groups,

10 1. *Urges* Member-States to emphasize respecting human rights as it is integral to the formation of any
11 rehabilitation program by:

12 (a) Considering the promotion of Non-discriminatory laws and policies as they are crucial to any
13 rehabilitation program;

14 2. *Calls upon* Member-States to be more proactive in interacting with foreign fighter returnees and individ-
15 uals seeking a way out from extremist groups due to the potential threat posed by both extremists in their home
16 countries and by foreign fighter returnees by:

17 (a) Researching how to properly assist victims of extremist group recruitment before they take
18 terrorist action;

19 3. *Requests* global coordination to find the most effective approaches in rehabilitating and reintegrating
20 those driven into extremist groups through research, therefore:

21 (a) Rehabilitation programs and strategies should be periodically evaluated and analysed on the
22 basis of successful prevention of recidivism and efficiency;

23 (b) Member States should have an accessible system to share data on the most successful and efficient
24 approaches for both reintegration into society and the prevention of recidivism and re-engagement;

25 (c) Member States should work more closely with organisations such as the Radicalisation Awareness
26 Network (RAN) to bring these strategies to the attention of policy makers;

27 4. *Encourages* Member States to cooperate and adopt more humane measures that will enable the reinte-
28 gration of extremists with a reduction in the risk of recidivism by:

29 (a) Recognizing that multiple viable paths are necessary to meet the diverse backgrounds and needs
30 of different Member States and taking into account gender and age dimensions;

31 (b) Recognizing the different economies within Member States, the amount of financial support for
32 these rehabilitation programs will be determined by the individual Member States with the option to call on other
33 Member States for financial assistance.

Passed, Yes: 62 / No: 4 / Abstain: 10