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SUPPLEMENTARY ITEM

DRAFT RESOLUTION

ON

“COUNTERING VIOLENT EXTREMISM AND RADICALIZATION THAT LEAD TO TERRORISM”

**Principal Sponsor
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Netherlands**

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1. Recalling its Berlin Declaration of 2002 on Confronting Terrorism as a Global Challenge in the 21st century and chapter III of its Washington Declaration of 2005 and its accompanying resolutions on Terrorism by Suicide Bombers and on Terrorism and Human Rights,
2. Recalling the 2007 report of the OSCE PA's Special Representative on Anti-Terrorism, Mr Kammenos, on the role of the OSCE in the fight against terrorism,
3. Noting the Ministerial Council Decision No. 2/09 on Further OSCE Efforts to Address Transnational Threats and Challenges to Security and Stability, specifically where it commends the OSCE's contribution to countering violent extremism and radicalization that lead to terrorism,
4. Commending the valuable work that has been undertaken in this field by the OSCE's executive structures, in particular the Action against Terrorism Unit (ATU) and the Office of Democratic Institutions and Human Rights (ODIHR),
5. Realizing that in recent years the Assembly has addressed the fight against terrorism mainly in the context of the war in Afghanistan, for example in the Astana Declaration of 2008 and the Oslo Declaration of 2010,
6. Realizing furthermore that a necessary first step in any effective and comprehensive counter-terrorism strategy is to prevent and counter the processes of radicalization that lead individuals and groups to resort to terrorist violence in pursuit of whatever might be their motivations and aims,
7. Stressing that this involves, *inter alia*, understanding and addressing the factors conducive to terrorism as well as strengthening the resilience of individuals, communities and societies in order to reduce sympathy and support for those who incite and resort to terrorist violence,
8. Aware that a number of OSCE participating states have gained considerable experience with policies and measures to this effect and that they consequently have valuable insights about the possible do's and don'ts in countering terrorism and radicalization that lead to terrorism,

The OSCE Parliamentary Assembly:

9. Calls on the OSCE participating states to actively share best practices and lessons learned in countering violent extremism and radicalization that lead to terrorism, including understanding and analyses of factors conducive to terrorism,
10. Urges the OSCE participating States to engage with relevant OSCE executive structures and to provide funding for the organization of roundtables and training courses on national and local level approaches to countering radicalization and violent extremism that lead to

terrorism, to the benefit of counter-terrorism practitioners, other government officials, as well as civil society stakeholders;

11. Endorses the initiative to develop a consolidated mandate for OSCE counter-terrorism activities for adoption by the OSCE participating States.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT to the DRAFT RESOLUTION

on

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