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The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Azerbaijan to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Office of Legal Affairs of the United Nations and in reference to the latter's note verbale LA/COD/59/1 of 10 January 2022 has the honour to submit the information pursuant to General Assembly resolution 76/118 of 9 December 2021, entitled "The scope and application of the principle of universal jurisdiction".

The Permanent Mission of the Republic of Azerbaijan to the United Nations avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Office of Legal Affairs of the United Nations the assurances of its highest consideration.

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## Information

*regarding the report to be prepared pursuant to the UN General Assembly resolution 76/118 of 9 December 2021, entitled "The scope and application of the principle of universal jurisdiction"*

According to Article 12.3 of the Criminal Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan, citizens of the Republic of Azerbaijan, foreigners and stateless persons, who have committed crimes against peace and humanity, war crimes, human trafficking, terrorism, financing of terrorism, aircraft hijacking, capture of hostages, torture, piracy, illicit trafficking of narcotic drugs and psychotropic substances, manufacturing or sale of counterfeit currency or security documents, attack on persons or the organizations under international protection, the crimes connected to radioactive materials, as well as other crimes, punishment of which is stipulated in international agreements to which the Republic of Azerbaijan is a party, shall be instituted to criminal liability and punishment under the Code, irrespective of the place of commission of the crimes.

Based on Article 2.2 of the Law of the Republic of Azerbaijan No. 767-IIIQ dated 10 February 2009 "On combating legalization of criminally obtained funds or other assets and financing of terrorism", in respect of activities related to legalization of criminally obtained funds or other assets and to financing of terrorism, carried out outside the jurisdiction of the Republic of Azerbaijan, this Law shall be applied in accordance with the international agreements to which the Republic of Azerbaijan is a party.

In accordance with Article 27 of the Law of the Republic of Azerbaijan No. 958-IIQ dated 28 June 2008 "On Combating Human Trafficking", citizens of the Republic of Azerbaijan, foreigners or stateless persons who have committed crimes related to human trafficking, regardless of the place of commission of the crime, shall be brought to criminal liability under the Criminal Code of the Republic of Azerbaijan.

Article 17 of the Law of the Republic of Azerbaijan No. 687-IQ dated 18 June 1999 "On Combating Terrorism" stipulates that guided by the interests of ensuring human rights and freedoms, state security and international security, persons committing terrorist acts or participants of such acts, regardless of the place of planning or execution of such acts, shall be brought to criminal liability and sentenced under legislation of the Republic of Azerbaijan, as well as inter-state agreements to which the Republic of Azerbaijan is a party, or may be extradited to a foreign state in order to be brought to criminal liability or to enforce the imposed sentence.