Mr. Kevin Mead (Canada), Coordinator of the draft resolution on "Measures to eliminate international terrorism" (item 110) Sixth Committee

Mr. Chair, dear colleagues,

I have the honour to introduce, on behalf of the Bureau, the draft resolution under agenda item 110, entitled "Measures to eliminate international terrorism", which is contained in document A/C.6/79/L.6.

The draft resolution is a technical update of last year's resolution 78/115. I will address the most significant changes in the interest of time.

Preambular paragraph 32 has been updated to reflect the Nineteenth Summit of Heads of State or Government of Non-Aligned Countries held in Kampala earlier this year.

Under **operative paragraph 24**, the General Assembly would decide to recommend that the Sixth Committee, at the eightieth session, establish a working group with a view to finalizing the process on the draft comprehensive convention on international terrorism as well as discussions on the item included in its agenda by Assembly resolution 54/110 concerning the question of convening a high-level conference under the auspices of the United Nations.

In **operative paragraph 26**, the Assembly would decide to include in the provisional agenda of its eightieth session the item entitled "Measures to eliminate international terrorism".

In my view, the text reflects a consensus among delegations. For this reason, I recommend that the Sixth Committee adopt the draft resolution without a vote.

Allow me once again to thank most sincerely the delegations for their cooperation and support on this agenda item.

Thank you, Mr. Chair.