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Report of the Republic of El Salvador submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 75/139

Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives

This report is submitted pursuant to General Assembly resolution 75/139 entitled "Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives".

In that resolution, States were invited to provide their views with respect to any measures needed or already taken to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives as well as missions and representatives with diplomatic status to international intergovernmental organizations. They were also urged to report to the Secretary-General, in a concise and expeditious manner and in accordance with the guidelines prepared by him, serious violations of the protection, security and safety of those missions.

As a State party to the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations and the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations, El Salvador recognizes the importance of fulfilling the commitments assumed under those instruments, which are based on the purposes and principles of the Charter of the United Nations concerning the sovereign equality of States, the maintenance of international peace and security, and the promotion of friendly relations among nations.

El Salvador considers it especially important that States take all appropriate measures to prevent attacks against the peace and dignity of diplomatic and consular staff and of the premises of diplomatic and consula

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