



Head of the UN Office of Counter-Terrorism participating in two conferences in Moscow

Moscow, 2 April 2018– Under-Secretary-General Vladimir Voronkov, Head of the United Nations Office of Counter-Terrorism, is starting a 5-day visit to Moscow, at the invitation of the Government of the Russian Federation.

The Under-Secretary-General will participate in the “International Research-To-Practice Conference on Priorities of International Cooperation in Countering Extremism and Terrorism,” scheduled to take place on 3 April 2018. He will also attend, on 4 and 5 April, the “VIIth Moscow Conference on International Security,” on behalf of the United Nations Secretary-General Mr. António Guterres.

Mr. Voronkov will also meet with senior representatives of regional organizations, such as the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe, the Commonwealth of Independent States, the Collective Security Treaty Organization and the Shanghai Cooperation Organization, as well as senior government officials and the United Nations Country Team.

During his visit, Mr. Voronkov will discuss the evolving threat of terrorism and ways to enhance international cooperation in accordance with international law and the United Nations Global Counter-Terrorism Strategy.

Mr. Voronkov will hold a press conference on 5 April at 4PM at the TASS press-centre.

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