

DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC TO THE UNITED NATIONS

Statement by

Mr. Sackpaseuth Sisouk, Third Secretary

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Madam Chairperson,

I would like to begin by extending our sincere congratulations to you, Madam Chairperson and other members of the Bureau on your election to the Sixth Committee. We strongly believe that

Nevertheless, more still remain to be done. To further strengthen regional and international cooperation in this area, my delegation is of the view that regular exchange of experiences, expertise and best practices is of particular importance, especially in building capacity for the relevant authorities at national level. In addition, particular attention must be given to building national capacity for officials and authorities in least developed countries including the development of appropriate toolkits on counter terrorism and transfer of knowledge and technology.

Madam Chairperson,

In conclusion, as a peace-loving nation, the Lao PDR reiterates its firm commitment to promoting and supporting the global efforts on counter terrorism in line with the principles of the UN Charter and International Law. Nevertheless, without effective international support mechanism, this endeavor will remain an uphill task. On this note, my delegation expresses its profound appreciation to all friendly countries and international organizations for the continued support and cooperation rendered to the Lao PDR.

Thank you.