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Draft decision submitted by the President of the General Assembly

Ad Hoc Committee to Elaborate a Comprehensive International Convention on Countering the Use of Information and Communications Technologies for Criminal Purposes

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolution 74/247 in which it decided that the ad hoc committee ~~shall~~should [Mexico][Approved] convene a three day organizational session in August 2020, in New York, in order to agree on an outline and modalities for its further activities, to be submitted to the General Assembly at its seventy-fifth session for its consideration and approval,

Noting with concern the current [Mexico][Approved] situation concerning the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19),

Decides to postpone the organizational session of the Ad Hoc Committee in New York [Russian Federation] to a date not later than June 2021 [Singapore] or earlier if conditions permit. [Russian Federation]

(Alt. 1) Decides to postpone the organizational session of the Ad Hoc Committee to a date not later than June 2021, as early within that time frame as conditions permit. [United States, Singapore, Philippines, Brazil, Australia, Algeria, Dominican Republic, Costa Rica]

Decides that the venue and format will be established before the end of 2020 depending on COVID-related developments. [Nigeria, Dominican Republic]

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