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Permanent Mission of El Salvador to the United Nations

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

Report of El Salvador pursuant to General Assembly resolution 73/205

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El Salvador is submitting the present report pursuant to General Assembly resolution 73/205, in which 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.

El Salvador recognizes the importance of fulfilling the commitments under the Vienna Convention on Diplomatic Relations and the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations, 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.

It is therefore especially important that States take all appropriate measures to prevent

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been alerted to all illegal acts affecting diplomatic agents, their mission premises and those of international organizations with a view to initiating the corresponding investigations and bringing the perpetrators to justice, in compliance with the obligations acquired under the aforementioned Conventions. That said, to date no serious violations of the protection, security