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Contribution by the EU and its Member States

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The EU and its Member States would like to thank the Secretariat for the work done to date.

We welcome the efforts and progress made by the Secretariat in promoting capacity-building and awareness-raising by enhanced bilateral and multilateral cooperation with United Nations partner agencies, international organizations, potential donors and other stakeholders.

The EU and its Member States take note of the developments in the area of capacity building and awareness-raising under the Convention.