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Excellency, dear María del Carmen,

I have the honour to refer to the letter that Argentina's Acting Attorney-General Eduardo Ezequiel Casal sent me on 26 October 2020, requesting technical assistance to strengthen the Secretariat for Comprehensive Analysis of International Terrorism (SAIT) capabilities.

In this regard, I would be grateful if you could transmit the attached response letter, in which I nominate Mr. Rocco Messina, Head of the Border Security and Management Unit, within the Countering Terrorism Section of the United Nations Counter-Terrorism Centre in UNOCT as focal point for this engagement.

I believe this new initiative between the SAIT and UNOCT will further enhance our common efforts to prevent and counter terrorism.

Allow me also to convey my sincere appreciation for our fruitful virtual meeting on 28 October. I look forward to closely working with you and your Permanent Mission.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.

Respectfully,

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