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H.E. the Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany  
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Your Excellency,

I am deeply shocked and saddened by the large loss of life and injuries caused by the brutal terrorist attack in Berlin on December 19<sup>th</sup>. The Cyprus Employers & Industrialists Federation (OEB) joins me in conveying condolences to the Government and people of Germany, and the bereaved families of those who died or were injured in the attack.

Such acts of terror highlight the need for concerted measures by the international community to combat extremism in all its forms and manifestations. I am certain that in the aftermath of the attack, Germany and all those who stand in solidarity will become even more determined in addressing terrorism; such attacks can only strengthen the will and resolution of any democratic people to preserve its way of life.

We unequivocally condemn any act of terrorism and we pray that we never have to witness again such atrocious acts.

Yours sincerely,

CHRISTOS MICHAELIDES  
President

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