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**Letter dated 17 November 2021 from the Permanent Representative of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council**

I have the honour to refer to the open debate of the Security Council on the theme “Peace and security through preventive diplomacy: a common objective to all the principal Organs of the United Nations”, under the item entitled “Maintenance of international peace and security”, held on 16 November 2021.

In this regard, I am pleased to bring to your attention the statement delivered at that time on behalf of the Group of Friends in Defence of the Charter of the United Nations.\* I shall be grateful for the present letter to be brought to the attention of the States members of the Security Council for their due information and for it to be issued as a document of said organ.

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\* See [S/PV.8906](#).

