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## STATEMENT BY MAYOR DE BLASIO ON TERRORISM RISK INSURANCE

"The blockage of the bill to reauthorize Terrorism Risk Insurance is a step backward and is a grim reminder of the consequences of the ongoing gridlock in Washington. TRIA has been critically successful in helping ensure that our nation's companies, private infrastructure and consumers have access to insurance against terror attacks – a threat that continues to loom today. I thank Senator Chuck Schumer for his tremendous leadership on this issue, and I urge Congress to work in a bipartisan manner to quickly pass this urgent piece of legislation next year."

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