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Statement by the spokesperson of HR Catherine Ashton on the murder of police officers in Colombia

The spokesperson of High Representative of the European Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy/Vice-President of the Commission Catherine Ashton issued the following statement today:

"The High Representative condemns in the strongest terms the brutal terrorist attack that has taken place on September 1 in the department of Caquetá, southern Colombia, burning and killing of 14 police officers and injuring at least 7 other.

It is because of brutal actions like this that the FARC (Revolutionary Armed Forces of Colombia) are listed by the EU as a terrorist organization.

She reiterates her solidarity to the families of the victims and the people of Colombia and her support to the government of Colombia in their fight against terrorism".

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