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Joint statement by EU High Representative Catherine Ashton and Commissioner Štefan Füle on the events on Tunisia

Catherine Ashton, the High Representative of the European Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy and Vice-President of the Commission, and Commissioner for the European Neighbourhood Policy Štefan Füle made today the following statement:

"We are following with the utmost attention the events in Tunisia. We want to express our support and recognition to the Tunisian people and their democratic aspirations, which should be achieved in a peaceful way.

In this regard, we urge all parties to show restraint and remain calm in order to avoid further casualties and violence.

Dialogue is key. We reiterate our engagement with Tunisia and its people and our willingness to help find lasting democratic solutions to the ongoing crisis."

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