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**DECLARATION BY THE PRESIDENCY ON BEHALF OF THE EUROPEAN UNION  
ON THE SITUATION IN DUBROVNIK**

The European Union expresses its deepest concern regarding the situation in and around Dubrovnik, including the neighbouring Bosnian area.

The EU urges all parties involved to stop all military activities immediately and show the utmost restraint.

The EU reiterates its appeal to all parties to look for a negotiated solution, contributing to a de-escalation of the crisis.