

The Rio Group condemns the terrorist attacks in Spain

The Rio Group condemns the terrorist attacks perpetrated on July 29th and 30th, in the cities of Burgos and Palmanova, Majorca, respectively, that caused the death of two officers of the "Guardia Civil" and caused injuries to dozens of persons. The Rio Group reiterates its strongest rejection of terrorism in all its forms and expressions.

The Member States of the Rio Group express their support to Spanish Democracy and institutions, and to the President of the Spanish Government, José Luis Rodriguez Zapatero, in particular, who are confronting this new assault by terrorism.

Additionally, the Rio Group conveys its most sincere condolences to the families and the relatives of the victims of such reprehensible acts, as well as its solidarity with the people of Spain in the midst of such unjustifiable actions.

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