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Violence and hate speech against politicians: a threat to democracy

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In the draft resolution, after paragraph 14, insert the following paragraph:

"The Assembly notes that, in the context of the Russian Federation's war of aggression against Ukraine, Ukrainian politicians are increasingly subject to extraterritorial targeting by foreign intelligence services. Elected representatives face heightened risks of State-sponsored assassinations and physical elimination, both within the conflict zone and across Council of Europe member States. Such operations, aimed at dismantling national leadership, constitute a direct assault on the democratic order and the sovereign integrity of States."

Explanatory note

Self-explanatory

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