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to the Commission**

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Subject: Proposal for a 'European army'

In early March of this year, President Juncker made a proposal on the formation of a 'European army'. As stated by the President, the purpose of this new structure would be to deal with the 'threat' posed by Russia and to participate in the defence of non-NATO EU Member States. This proposal came as a result of the need to provide the EU's foreign policy with credibility.

In the opinion of President Juncker, what are the failings of the NATO action against Russia?

What is President Juncker's vision for the future with both the 'European army' that he proposes and the national armed forces living side by side?