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**IRAN** - *Council conclusions*

The Council adopted the following conclusions:

"The Council welcomes the adoption of the United Nations Security Council Resolution 1929. This Resolution underlines the deep concerns within the international community about Iran's nuclear programme. The offer of negotiations remains on the table. The Council reiterates its support for a negotiated solution and for the efforts of the EU High Representative Catherine Ashton to meet with Iranian counterparts to discuss their nuclear programme and other issues of mutual concern.

The Council discussed this issue and prepared the upcoming European Council which will take up the issue of strong measures accompanying and supporting the UN Security Council Resolution."