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to the Commission**

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Subject: EU policy towards Belarus

On 25 and 26 March 2017 peaceful demonstrations by Belarusians triggered an aggressive response from services attached to President Lukashenko, including beatings, detentions and financial penalties. How will the Commission react to these recent developments in Belarus?

It is particularly worth noting that the representatives of the democratic opposition and civil society are also subjected to repression of that kind.

Will the Commission revise its policy towards Belarus in view of these developments?