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**to the Vice-President of the Commission / High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy**

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Subject: Attack on Stepanakert by Azerbaijan

Azerbaijan has launched a new offensive against the Armenians of Nagorno-Karabakh. We call for immediate EU action to stop the incipient ethnic cleansing and to prevent the attack from turning into a new war.

1. What does the European External Action Service intend to do in response to Azerbaijan's attack on Stepanakert?
2. What sanctions does the EU intend to apply against the Azerbaijani authorities responsible for the violation of the ceasefire?

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