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**Declaration by the Presidency on behalf of the European Union  
on elections in Togo**

The European Union is deeply concerned at reports that the authorities in Togo have suspended the counting of votes from the Presidential elections of 21 June.

In view of the European Union's assistance to the electoral process in Togo, the European Union urgently appeals to the authorities to resume the counting without delay, and to publish official election results which accurately reflect the voting of the electorate.

The countries of Central and Eastern Europe, Bulgaria, the Czech Republic, Hungary, Lithuania, Poland, Romania, the Slovak Republic, Slovenia and Cyprus, associated to the European Union and the EFTA countries, members of the European Economic Area align themselves with this declaration.

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