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Council of Europe Secretary General Terry Davis: protect the civilian population in Georgia

Strasbourg, 08.08.2008 – "The human toll of the escalation of the conflict in Georgia continues to rise and the country is now on the edge of a full-scale war which would have devastating consequences for the people in the region. Everyone should refrain from any action which endangers the lives of the civilian population. The first priority is an immediate and unconditional ceasefire. This should be followed by direct talks in order to find a peaceful and permanent solution."

Le Secrétaire Général du Conseil de l'Europe, Terry Davis, appelle à protéger la population civile en Géorgie

Strasbourg, 08.08.2008 – « Le bilan humain de l'escalade de la violence en Géorgie ne cesse de s'alourdir et le pays est maintenant au bord d'une guerre qui aurait des conséquences catastrophiques pour la population de la région. Il faut que les parties au conflit s'abstiennent de toute action qui risque de causer la mort de civils. La première des priorités est d'instaurer un cessez-le-feu immédiat et inconditionnel. Celui-ci devrait être suivi de pourparlers directs visant à parvenir à un règlement pacifique et permanent. »

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