

The President

Strasbourg, 12 August 2016

Dear President,

On behalf of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe I would like to express my condolences to the victims and to the people of your country after the recent major forest fires.

I can assure you of the support of the Parliamentary Assembly in the follow up to this tragedy and the national emergency that has been declared.

Yours sincerely

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