<u>Nagorno-Karabakh violence: UK and</u> <u>Canada Foreign Ministers' joint</u> <u>statement</u>

Press release

The Foreign Secretary and Canadian Foreign Minister have issued a joint statement in response to clashes in Nagorno-Karabakh.



Foreign Secretary Dominic Raab and Canadian Foreign Minister François-Philippe Champagne said:

Canada and the UK are deeply concerned by reports of large scale military action along the Line of Contact in the Nagorno-Karabakh conflict zone. Reports of shelling of settlements and civilian casualties are deeply concerning. We call for the immediate end of hostilities, respect for the ceasefire agreement, and the protection of civilians.

Any solution to this conflict must disavow violence and involve a peaceful, negotiated resolution through the framework provided by the OSCE's Minsk process. We support the work of the OSCE's Minsk Group and fully support the Co-Chairs statement of yesterday.

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