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## A TEACHER WHO SHOWED CARTOONS OF THE PROPHET MAHOMET BEHEADED IN CONFLANS

### ATTACKER KILLED BY FRENCH POLICE

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**USPA NEWS** - A history-geography teacher was beheaded on Friday in Conflans-Sainte-Honorine (a few km from Paris, the Yvelines, Ile de France), around 5 pm, near the college where he was teaching at High School Bois d'Aulne. The 18-year-old murder suspect was killed by police in the nearby town of Eragny (Val-d'Oise). He was unknown to the intelligence services for radicalization, according to our information, but was known for common law offenses. President Macron arrived this evening, around 9 p.m. at the Bois d'Aulne High school in Conflans-Sainte-Honorine (Yvelines). Before that, President Macron spoke with the school's teachers, accompanied with Minister fo Interior Gerald Darmanin and Jean Michel Blanquer Minister fo Education. President Macron made a short and tragic statement nearby the School, and called for solidarity and unity in the face of this tragedy, in the name of the French Republic.

#### PRESIDENT MACRON WENT TO CONFLANS AND DELIVERS A TRAGIC REMARK NEXT TO THE SCHOOL-----

The President of the Republic, Emmanuel Macron went to the place, accompanied by the Minister of the Interior and delivered a speech, in front of the High School Bois d'Aulne of Conflans-Sainte-Honorine where the professor taught. The President delivered his statement in a tone that is both serious and sad at the same time, in the face of this tragedy, which now affects the teaching community in France. The President Macron presented his condolence and support to the family and loved ones of the victim, the professor suavely murders and assured: "Obscurantism and the violence that accompanies it will not win, we will unite. "The National Anti-Terrorism Prosecutor's Office immediately seized upon the investigation, which was opened for "murder in connection with a terrorist enterprise" and "criminal terrorist association".

« OBSCURANTISM AND THE VIOLENCE WILL NOT WIN IT WILL NOT DIVIDE US » PDT MACRON SAID

"One of our fellow citizens was murdered today for teaching, for teaching students the freedom of speech, the freedom to believe and not to believe." President Macron stated."Our co-citizen was cowardly attacked, was the victim of a characterized Islamist terrorist attack", added President Macron. "Obscurantism and the violence that goes with it, will not win, it will not divide us. This is what they are looking for and we must all stand together, " added Emmanuel Macron, who called on" all of our compatriots to unite, to be united, because we are first and foremost citizens united by the same values, a story: this unity is essential " added. President Macron called for solidarity and unity in the face of this tragedy, on behalf of the French Republic.

#### THE ASSAILANT KILLED BY THE POLICE WAS 18 YEARS OLD AND OF CHECHEN ORIGIN-----

Law enforcement officials discovered near the assailant's body a piece of identification belonging to an 18-year-old Moscow-born man of Chechen origin. While checks are still underway to determine that this document is his, the attacker is apparently not on file by intelligence services. He was, however, known for common rights offenses.

#### A STUDENT'S PARENT MAY HAVE FILED A COMPLAINT AGAINST THE TEACHER A WEEK EARLIER-----

According to preliminary findings, the victim had recently shown his students caricatures of Muhammad a week earlier. A parent would have broadcast a video, in which he denounced "the teacher who would have asked the students to raise their hands if they are Muslims, and to leave the room, because he was going to show shocking cartoons » "his Muslim girl would have remained in the classroom and later expelled from college, for another reason invoked by the direction of the college ". This parent of a pupil would then have filed a complaint at the police station against the professor of geography history.

#### THE TEACHER MAY HAVE ALSO FILED A COMPLAINT AGAINST THE STUDENT'S PARENT FOR DEFAMATION AFTER THE PUBLISHED VIDEO-----

After the broadcast of the parent's video, via the social networks, about the professor of history and geography, who allegedly "discriminates" his daughter because she is Muslim, the teacher filed a complaint for defamation. The circumstances of this tragedy are imprecise at this stage and the public prosecutor will deliver the outlines and details, Iros of his future press conference. During his address to the college of Conflans-Sainte-Honorine, President Macron spoke of the "pressure" received by the principal after the course of the history-geography professor. According to the French press (BFM TV, Cnews), after this course which took place on October 5, several parents of students complained to the management of the establishment and one of them posted on the networks social a video widely relayed. According to this video, the pupil's parent said that "This teacher allegedly asked the Muslim students to

come out because he was going to broadcast a cartoon of the prophet, and his daughter (Muslim) remained in the room. , as well as other pupils excluded from college, for other reasons ". At this stage of the start of the investigation, these elements remain to be specified and verified.

## THE TEACHERS COMMUNITY IS UNDER SHOCK AFTER THE TEACHER'S BEHEADING

According to the AFP, the teachers' unions spoke out after the beheading of the professor of the College of Conflans. "We are in shock," said Sophie Venetitay, from Snes-FSU, the first secondary school union. "A colleague was assassinated because he did his job using the medium of caricature," she added, referring to an "attack on the heart of the profession of professor which consists of teaching but also of training citizens, building enlightened opinions by comparing different opinions" (Source: AFP) Same emotion on the side of the SE-Unsa: "it is the horror which strikes the school of the Republic", launched its secretary general, Stéphane Crochet. "The entire educational community is deeply upset, the staff, the students, the families. " The Association of Mayors of Ile de France, has already published a tribute to the professor of High School Bois d'Aulne, of Conflans-Sainte-Honorine but also "in tribute to the assassinated freedom of expression and to our Republic endangered by obscurantism", and proposes to "put their flags at half mast".

### Article online:

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