



Weekly Report

Central African Republic

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Interim leader of Central African Republic denies genocide threat

- Transitional leader, Michel Djotodia denied assertions that Central African Republic is on the brink of genocide and inter-religious war.
- Djotodia says the violence is vengeance against the former regime and not genocide.
- Source: Reuters (English)

<http://www.reuters.com/article/2013/11/30/us-centralafrican-president-interview-idUSBRE9AT0AD20131130>

“It’s in collapse, and we cannot have a country fall apart like that. There is the violence, massacres and humanitarian chaos that follow a collapse” - French Defence Minister Le Drian

France to send troops to Central African Republic

- France’s Defence Minister, Jean-Yves Le Drian confirmed that France will send 1,000 troops to Central African Republic.
- Sending French troops is in response to suggestions that the country is near genocide.
- Source: CBC (English)

<http://www.cbc.ca/news/world/central-african-republic-to-get-more-troops-from-france-1.2440301>