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## **IN FRANCE HUNDREDS OF ARMED YOUNGSTERS CLASHED IN DIJON FOR THREE DAYS**

### **POLICE EVENTUALLY ARRIVES TONIGHT**

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**USPA NEWS** - In France, the city of Dijon (City of mustard) experienced a whole weekend of violence, (Burnt cars, vandalism, car rodeos, chaos) followed by new incidents that took place again, this Monday, June 15, 2020 in the Gresilles district of Dijon. The reason is explained by clashes of hundred and fifty young people of "Maghreb" origin and other young people of « Chetchene » origin, following the "accidental" death of one of the last bunch of youngsters. Several vehicles were set on fire. This follows events of the past few days between members of the Chechen community and residents of the neighborhood. The tension did not relapse in the Gresilles district. According to our information, several vehicles were set on fire. Bus traffic had to be stopped. Office buildings, schools, shops have been closed. Residents were reportedly invited to return home. Large police forces are said to be on the scene. Eventually after three days of clashes, the police came in Gresilles District to calm down the situation, and separate the two groups of armed youngsters.

### **SEVERAL DAYS OF SEVERE CONFLICTS OF SEVERAL SUCCESSIVE DAYS-----**

The first violent events of this weekend, in Dijon, continue from the night of Sunday June 14 to Monday June 15. Several dozen people claiming to be Chechens again went to the Gresilles district, armed mostly with iron bars. No exaction was however noted either by the police, very numerous, or by our journalists present on the spot. The night of Friday June 12 to Saturday June 13 had already been very agitated in the district of the Republic in Dijon. Several dozen people gathered around midnight, Place de la République, after having left their vehicles in a parking lot, not far from the Judicial Precinct. They are mainly nationals of the Chechen community, coming from all over France. The impressive group moved for a good part of the night in a procession of vehicles. Its representatives tell us they want to settle a conflict with "dealers" who allegedly beat up a young Chechen a few days ago, a young man who was seriously injured. The reason for these gang scuffles justified by the death of a Young Man "of #Tchetchene origin aged 16 years was struck by Men aged 25 to 30 years by treachery Chechens from all over France gathered for go to Dijon." explique Al Chechnuya's tweet

### **A SPECTACULAR CRASH IN THE EARLY EVENING-----**

The evening started with a spectacular accident in the heart of the Grésilles district. While the group of "Chechens" had already arrived on the scene, a driver passed, apparently several times, at very high speed, before striking another vehicle and turning over on the roof. The spectators of the scene then rush towards the car but they will not ultimately have committed any abuse on the driver, according to the authorities. The driver, seriously injured, was transported by firefighters to the Dijon CHU. He is still hospitalized. According to the public prosecutor of Dijon, Eric Mathais, "he was driving at the time of the accident under the influence of an alcoholic state". Regarding his identity and his intentions, "we do not know more, priority to the investigation," said the prosecutor. The video of the accident was widely disseminated on social networks. Source: france 3. TV

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