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Dear Dr Bilalođlu,

On behalf of the Standing Committee of European Doctors (CPME) we would like to express the great concern with which we have received news of the latest developments surrounding the protests in Istanbul and other cities across Turkey.

We fully share your rejection of the “excessive force” which has reportedly been used to deter protesters and those coming to their aid.

Should we be able to offer support in appealing to the authorities to put an end to the use of disproportionate means in reacting to the protests, we would be more than willing to offer our help.

Please be assured that we are monitoring events closely and shall continue liaising with the WMA to follow all developments.

Our thoughts are with you and the people of Turkey.

Yours sincerely,

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