

FOREIGN MINISTRY PROTESTS BORDER ATTACK

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[Text] During the early hours of this morning an attack involving the use of firearms was made on members of the GDR Border Security Forces in violation of the GDR state border and territory. The incident occurred in the Gross-Glienicke sector near Potsdam. During this murderous attack a member of the GDR Border Security Forces was seriously injured. The perpetrators of this criminal attack were able to escape to West Berlin without being recognized.

The GDR Ministry of Foreign Affairs has lodged a strong protest with the West Berlin Senat against this serious incident. It demanded that the Senat take the necessary measures to prevent such attacks, and to apprehend and punish the perpetrators and instigators.