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AZERBAIJAN ARRESTS GROUP OF SERVICEMEN, CIVILIANS INVOLVED IN CONSPIRACY WITH ARMENIAN INTELLIGENCE SERVICES

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Azerbaijan Prosecutor Generals Office, Ministry of Defense, Ministry of Internal Affairs and State Security Service have said they arrested a group of servicemen and civilians, who were engaged in conspiracy with the Armenian intelligence services and passed along secret military information to them for a financial reward, putting sovereignty, territorial integrity, state security and military capability of the Republic of Azerbaijan at risk. Based on the collected material, the Military Prosecutors Office of Azerbaijan launched a criminal case on treason and other facts under Article 274 of the Criminal Code. An investigative-operative group consisting of employees of the Prosecutor Office, Ministry of Defense, Ministry of Internal Affairs and State Security Service has been set up, and an initial investigation is underway, said a joint statement by the Prosecutor Generals Office, Ministry of Defense, Ministry of Internal Affairs and State Security Service.

The statement said that immediate investigative measures allowed to prevent provocative and terrorist acts that the Armenian intelligence and special services were planning to commit in public places in Baku. A group of servicemen and civilians, who were engaged in conspiracy with the enemys intelligence services, were arrested, the statement said.

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