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Dacic: The most dangerous terrorists are those who believe in the goals

BELGRADE - First Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs Ivica Dacic has stated that the Islamic state has existed for ten years, and that the world took long time to realize that this is a global problem.

That is why, he said, it is very important that there are partnerships in the world and it is essential that major powers that lead the international relations distinguish well between 'liberation movements, as they call them, and terrorist groups that exist in some countries.'

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The only way for a successful fight against terrorism that we all want is to have the same target and to exchange information.

Dacic said that in our country there are a number of foreign fighters, but they cannot be labelled as hired soldiers.

'The most dangerous terrorists are those who actually believe in some of the proclaimed goals,' he said.

On many occasions he spoke regarding the request of Kosovo for admission to UNESCO that 'the consequences of various actions of terrorists regarding cultural heritage, demolition of historical monuments resemble completely the demolition of Orthodox churches and monasteries in Kosovo.'

'It is illogical to consider one such group as terrorists, and the other one which does the same to reward with UNESCO,' he said.

He said that the fact that Kosovo is not admitted to UNESCO represents a major victory for Serbia which shows that 'not everything can be achieved by using bare political force.'

Serbia is a reliable partner in the fight against terrorism

Serbia has proved to be a responsible partner and ready to unite its capacities with partners in the EU and globally and be a part of a united fight against terrorism as well as the various threats to international peace and security, Minister of Foreign Affairs Ivica Dacic stated tonight.

While speaking at the closing at John Naisbitt University he pointed out that Serbia believes that only by building partnership and friendly relations with countries and people based on cooperation, exchange of experiences, understanding and respecting difference prosperity can be achieved.

Global order of the 21st century, he said, has to be based on international law, firm political commitment to ensure global and regional peace and stability through dialogue and cooperation and the promotion of the mechanisms for the peaceful resolution of the conflict.