

EU looks for consensus over Iran terror plots

Germany, France and the UK are working to agree a common EU position over alleged Iranian assassination plots on European soil, ahead of an international Middle East conference to be held in Poland



■ **Dec 2015**
Ali Motamed – Dutch national of Iranian origin, linked to Iranian opposition group *People's Mujahedin of Iran (MEK)* – killed in Dutch city of Almere

Motamed – real name **Mohammad Reza Kolahi Samadi** – was accused in Iran of 1981 bombing that killed 73 people at Islamic Republic party's headquarters in Tehran



■ **Nov 2017**
Ahmad Mola Nissi – founder member of *Arab Struggle Movement for the Liberation of Ahvaz (ASMLA)* – shot dead in The Hague

ASMLA, which seeks separate state in Iran's southwestern Khuzestan province, is listed as terrorist group by Iranian government



■ **Jun 2018:** France's security services accuse Iran's intelligence ministry of being behind foiled plot to bomb MEK rally in northeastern Paris suburb of Villepinte

■ **Sep 23:** Tehran summons Dutch, Danish and UK diplomats over alleged harbouring of Iranian opposition groups following attack on military parade in Khuzestan that killed at least 25 people

■ **Oct 21:** Norwegian citizen of Iranian background arrested in Swedish city of Gothenburg over alleged plot to murder leader of Danish branch of ASMLA