



## The News

**October 5<sup>th</sup> 6pm©**

*by Noele Bouazouni-Prier*

More than 3 months after the riots which affected France, a National Council for Refoundation will begin in a few moments in Matignon to provide responses to urban violence. Elisabeth Borne will receive elected officials, unions and even experts. In total, around 50 people will participate to find solutions to prevent this type of violence from happening again.

The phenomenon has already affected dozens of schools in France. A high school student was arrested in Gironde for false bomb threats. His school had filed a complaint after receiving threats of an attack. Security measures were put in place at the start of the week. Investigations carried out by the judicial police led to the arrest of the 17-year-old student in Lormont. The teenager is summoned to appear before a juvenile court at the end of November.

The State will pay 1.2 billion euros over 3 years to support social housing. The money will be used to renovate the HLM park throughout France. It will support in particular the energy transition of buildings. The announcement was made by the Minister responsible for Housing, Patrice Vergriete, at the close of the HLM congress in Nantes.

And Azerbaijan says it is ready for discussions with Armenia under the mediation of the European Union. The statement was made by an advisor to the Azerbaijani president, who was absent from the European summit which opened today in Spain. They discussed the offensive carried out last week by Baku in Nagorno-Karabag, which led to the massive exodus of 60,000 people towards Armenia.