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For the first time in history, the Reunion Island is under purple alert due to the arrival of cyclone Belal. This is the highest level of alert that exists to date, synonymous with "exceptional danger" according to Météo France. Gusts of over 200 km/h and waves up to 15 meters high are expected. The body of a homeless man was found in Saint-Gilles. The man had refused to be evacuated to an accommodation center; we still do not know if his death is linked to the passage of the cyclone.

And snowstorms are affecting the Midwest of the United States. This cold snap of rare intensity effect participation in the Republican Party primary which begins today with the Iowa caucus. The Republicans in this state are called to vote to nominate their party's candidate for the November presidential election, in which Donald Trump is the big favorite.

In France, Emmanuel Macron is bringing together the parliamentarians of the majority today, in the presence of the new Attal government. The Head of State will hold a press conference tomorrow evening at 8:15 p.m. He has not taken part in such an exercise since the crisis of the "gilets jaunes" in 2019. This will be part of the "meeting with the Nation" according to the Elysée.

An investigation has been opened in Paris after the discovery of the body of a woman in a hotel room in the 17th arrondissement this weekend. The victim suffered a deep neck wound. An autopsy must be carried out to determine the cause of death.

Good news for 9 million taxpayers: They will receive tax money from today. This concerns those who have used cleaning or babysitting services for example.

And then in tennis: Adrian Mannarino qualified for the 2nd round by beating the Swiss Stan Wawrinka in 5 sets. Qualification also for Hugo Gaston, Luca Van Assché and the girls of Varvara Gracheva. On the other hand, it's over for Fiona Ferro, Benjamin Bonzi and Terence Atmane.