

French Assembly Approves 3-Month Extension of State of Emergency



Paris, November 19 (RHC)-- The French National Assembly has voted to approve President François Hollande's plan to extend the state of emergency by three months, and to grant Hollande a sweeping expansion of state powers.

The measures would include easing police raids without a warrant and allowing the government to strip citizenship from dual passport holders convicted of terrorism. The French Senate is slated to vote Friday.

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