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Underlines that several studies and 26a. reports, as well as Europol, have confirmed the ongoing threat of firearms trafficking in the Western Balkans region; stresses that weapons used in the most recent terrorist attacks in the EU were acquired through local illicit firearms markets and were found to originate mostly from the Western Balkans, which remain the main supplier of illicit firearms in Europe; recalls that the latest report from the UN on the subject, the 2020 Global Study on Firearms Trafficking by the UN Office on Drugs and Crime, confirms that the Western Balkans remain a source of illicit firearms for Western Europe;

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92a. Recalls that Turkey, in combining a mixture of ideological 'neo-Ottomanism', Islamism and pragmatism in its foreign policy, is using its economic, cultural and religious soft power to influence the media, the public sphere and the political situation in the Western Balkans; underlines the risks of the growing Turkish expansionism in the Western Balkans, which is serving to destabilise the region further;

Or. en

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