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by EU High Representative Catherine Ashton following today's meeting in the framework of the EU-facilitated dialogue

The High Representative of the European Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy and Vice President of the Commission, issued the following statement today:

"I had a very good meeting with Prime Minister Dačić and Prime Minister Thaçi in Brussels today. Deputy Prime Minister Vučić also joined us for our discussion on the next steps in the electoral process in Kosovo and the next steps in the implementation of the April Agreement.

I am pleased that the Prime Ministers agreed today on the way forward for completing successfully the electoral process in northern Kosovo. The relevant authorities in Pristina will decide on the specific elements in the process.

The Prime Ministers also agreed that the work on the implementation of the April Agreement will continue with accelerated pace in order to complete the implementation as foreseen in the Agreement.

They reaffirmed their commitment to do what needs to be done to complete the task. "

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