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- Since the announcement on 12 February 2010 that the Independent Electoral Commission and government had been dissolved, the France 24 public television channel began an unprofessional and biased treatment of information (particularly regarding the killings of protesters on 19 February 2010) leading to a suspension of their service.
- The protective suspension has now been lifted since an emissary has taken measures to ensure more professional treatment of news concerning Côte d'Ivoire.