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- A statement was issued by the General People's Committee for Foreign Liaison and International Cooperation on the Africa-France summit to be held in Nice. It declares Libya's eagerness to participate and strengthen cooperation ties with France and the importance of the relationship between Africa and France, as France has an important role in aid.
- However, it is brought up in the statement that such a summit should be held according to the Banjul Resolution 131 which specifies that Africa « must always be represented by the chairman of the African Union, the chairman of the African Union Commission and the heads of regional economic groupings ». The Banjul Resolution should apply because Africa is meeting with a separate state and not a group of state in the context of an intercontinental summit.