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Repubblika stands by Xandru Cassar and his fellow activists especially in the light of all the hate speech directed at them.

We urge the Hate Crime and Speech Unit to investigate this matter and take all necessary steps to stop the targeted intimidation and bullying of these activists.

Repubblika is particularly disturbed by the continued hate meted out on social media by persons holding public office, the latest being Mr Joe Cordina, Gozo Channel Chairman. This behaviour is totally unbecoming and unacceptable in civil society and Mr Cordina should be asked to tender his resignation.

In the meantime, Repubblika draws strength and hope from this new generation of activists.

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