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Federal President Joachim Gauck has expressed his shock and profound sadness over today's attack in Istanbul:

"What happened in Istanbul today was horrific. Once more, innocent people, including many Germans, were killed in a heinous terrorist attack. I am deeply shocked and saddened by this terrible news", said the Federal President. "My thoughts and profound sympathy go out to the victims, as well as their friends and families, at this difficult time. I will talk on the phone with the Turkish President later today to find out more about the situation in Istanbul."

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