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Kandidat for SF

1.

Are you prepared to actively support the implementation of the European Citizens' Initiative MSPI in the European Parliament? If so, how?

Svar:

I fully support the initiatives of the MSPI. I have worked regularly with rights for minorities including people with disabilities in the Petitions committee in the European Parliament. The Petition committee offers the opportunity for citizens to voice their complain when their basic rights has been exceeded. I have supported every petition complaining about anything from lack of access to public transport to lack of support in public school systems throughout EU as the coordinator of the Greens group in the European Parliament.

2.

How could the political representation of minorities in the European institutions be guaranteed? Are you committed to work for a minority friendly electoral system in your Member State for the European elections?

Svar:

Representation is key in democracy and so should a resonable representation of minorities be of utmost important within the EU institutions. The Greens (my group in the EP) are constantly pushing for gender equality as a first step to weigh up for the heavy male dominance in the (powerful positions) in the EP. I'm unaware of concrete proposals to make the electoral systems for minority friendly but I will support any such initiative fully.

3.

Are you prepared to endorse this pact with the minority? Are you willing to sign it?

Svar:

I will sign it.