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1.
Are you prepared to actively support the implementation of the European Citizens' Initiative MSPI in the European Parliament? If so, how?

Svar:

Yes. We are all a part of our democracy – and I truly believe in the idea of being united in diversity. However, as it is right now, we do not have an institution capable of protecting the values, on which the EU is founded. We have seen minorities around our continent being exploited, this is not the Europe, I will fight for. I will fight for a Europe, where we are all equal, no matter our ethnicity, religion, gender or age. As it is stated in the EU-values and in the Copenhagen Criteria: we should all enjoy the protection of our freedom, democracy, human rights rule of law and dignity. This is why we, in European Spring, have suggested a specific body – an independent watchdog - to ensure that the Copenhagen Criteria and Article 2 will be respected in all EU-member states. We call it the Copenhagen Commission.

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:

Your ability to be engaged in politics should not be defined by your background. I believe in dialogue and empowerment. Therefore, I will fight for better living standards for all across Europe. We are all dependent on each other, thus we should solve our issues together.

3.
Are you prepared to endorse this pact with the minority? Are you willing to sign it?

Svar:

Yes, fighting for minorities is a priority as a part of European Spring's political programme.