

**Question for written answer E-002163/2024
to the Commission**

Rule 144

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Subject: Spain's medium-term fiscal-structural plan

Regulation (EU) 2024/1263 provides for:

i) the importance of involving national parliaments and stakeholders to ensure national ownership (Recital 4 and Article 11(4));

ii) the obligation to consult regional authorities prior to the submission of the national fiscal-structural plan (Article 11(3));

iii) and the requirement to mention the state of play of the consultation of the national parliament and other interested parties (Article 13(g) (vi)).

1. In light of the above, what is the Commission's view on the Spanish Government disregarding the requests of the Congress of Deputies to discuss the draft plan, failing to present it to the Autonomous Communities at the corresponding sectoral conference, and not mentioning any of this in the plan itself?
2. How will the Commission ensure that the Spanish Government complies with all of the above requirements and/or inform the Council thereof?
3. What does the Commission think about the failure to comply with these requirements undermining national ownership and the credibility of the new EU fiscal governance framework?

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