

(English version)

Question for written answer E-000452/25
to the Council
Marieke Ehlers (Pfe)
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Subject: The Council's position on Treaty change and EU enlargement

1. The term 'Treaty change' does not appear in the text presenting the Polish Presidency. Does that mean that, under the Polish Presidency, the Council will be making a case for maintaining unanimity rules on foreign policy, the budget and taxation?
2. During the exchange of views with Parliament's Committee on Constitutional Affairs on 29 January 2025, the Polish Minister for European Affairs said that we had to take account of the 'new political reality'. Can the Council clarify the scope of this new political reality and its implications for current and future legislative initiatives at European level?

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Reply
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The Council has not discussed the issue raised by the Honourable Member during the Polish Presidency.

As recently highlighted by the European Council, the EU faces a new geopolitical reality and increasingly complex challenges. Current challenges, the EU's priorities and its strategic orientations are identified in the Strategic Agenda 2024-2029 adopted by the European Council on 27 June 2024 and in recent European Council conclusions.
