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The implementation dialogues are a new political consultation tool introduced in 2025 on top of the Commission's intensive stakeholder consultation processes. The goal of implementation dialogues is to capture first-hand implementation insights, identifying gaps and uncertainties, and surfacing practical burdens that can inform simplification and EU competitiveness priorities. This comes on top of all other established consultation tools the Commission employs based on the better regulation principles¹.

They are thus primarily informing the Commission's efforts to improve its future simplification and implementation work.

The participation of stakeholders from Member States who can contribute with experiences of how EU legislation is applied in concrete instances can be an essential asset for these dialogues. The Commission ensures the balanced presence of differing perspectives and stakeholder types in its preparation of the dialogues. The participating organisations and a summary of the dialogues' outcomes is published on the respective Commission services' websites as well as on the Europa website².

The Commission remains in regular and close contact at all levels with EU umbrella associations representing European civil society in all policy areas. It will continue to highly value their input and take it into account for policymaking.

¹ https://commission.europa.eu/law/law-making-process/better-regulation/better-regulation-guidelines-and-toolbox_en.

² https://commission.europa.eu/law/law-making-process/better-regulation/simplification-and-implementation/implementation-dialogues-0_en#implementation-dialogues.