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Answer given by High Representative/Vice-President Kallas  
on behalf of the European Commission  
(18.5.2026)

Mr Huseyin Dogru has been listed under the Russia destabilising activities restrictive measures regime since 20 May 2025<sup>1</sup>. The reasons for listing him are public and contained in the Annex to the relevant legal acts.

As such, he is subject to an asset freeze and prohibition to make funds available, as well as to a travel ban, as per Articles 1 and 2 of Council Decision (CFSP) 2024/2643<sup>2</sup> and Article 2 of Council Regulation (EU) 2024/2642<sup>3</sup> concerning restrictive measures in view of Russia's destabilising activities.

As per the above-mentioned articles, the asset freeze applies to 'all funds and economic resources belonging to, owned, held or controlled by' a listed person. The implementation of EU restrictive measures is the responsibility of the Member States. As per the provisions in the legal acts, every listed person has a right to ask the competent authorities in a Member State to unfreeze assets necessary to satisfy the basic needs of the listed person and their family members, such as payments for foodstuffs, rent or mortgage, medicines and medical treatment, and other necessary expenses.

Mr Huseyin Dogru, as every other person subject to sanctions, has the right to make representations to the Council, request his delisting, bring a legal challenge and contest the listing before the EU courts. The EU courts are independent and ensure that any listing is lawful.

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<sup>1</sup> Council Implementing Regulation (EU) 2025/965 of 20 May 2025 implementing Regulation (EU) 2024/2642 concerning restrictive measures in view of Russia's destabilising activities (OJ L, 2025/965, 20.5.2025, ELI: [http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg\\_impl/2025/965/oj](http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg_impl/2025/965/oj)).

Council Decision (CFSP) 2025/966 of 20 May 2025 amending Decision (CFSP) 2024/2643 concerning restrictive measures in view of Russia's destabilising activities <http://data.europa.eu/eli/dec/2025/966/oj>.

<sup>2</sup> Council Decision (CFSP) 2024/2643 of 8 October 2024 concerning restrictive measures in view of Russia's destabilising activities <http://data.europa.eu/eli/dec/2024/2643/2026-03-16>.

<sup>3</sup> Council Regulation (EU) 2024/2642 of 8 October 2024 concerning restrictive measures in view of Russia's destabilising activities <http://data.europa.eu/eli/reg/2024/2642/2026-03-16>.