

(English version)

**Question for written answer E-002912/26
to the Commission
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(14 July 2026)**

Subject: Community Note

Increasingly, posts on X (formerly Twitter) by European institutions, agencies and associated accounts are being accompanied by a so-called Community Note (contextual information provided by users).

1. How does the Commission explain the rise in this phenomenon? In the Commission's view, does this indicate inadequate or unclear communication on the part of the EU, a misinterpretation by the public, or the actual dissemination of incorrect or misleading information by EU bodies?
2. Is the Commission prepared to provide an overview of the total number of posts accompanied by a 'Community Note', broken down by accounts affiliated with the Commission, other EU institutions and its agencies?
3. How does the Commission assess the impact of these frequent corrections on the credibility of the European Union, and does it see this as a reason to review its communication policy?

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**Answer given by President von der Leyen on behalf of the European Commission
(7 September 2026)**

The Commission is aware that some posts by EU accounts on the social media platform X have received Community Notes, a user-driven feature of said platform. Notes may reflect an existing debate, different views, differing interpretations in a certain community, or incomplete context. Their presence does not in itself demonstrate that the post contains inaccurate information.

The Commission does not collect comprehensive data on Community Notes across all EU bodies, institutions and agencies. It remains committed to clear, accurate and timely communication.
