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Answer given by Mr Brunner
on behalf of the European Commission
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1. The European Commission fully respects the role and independence of the Court of Justice of European Union, which is the sole institution competent to provide an authoritative interpretation of EU law.

2. The Commission is bound by the review and reporting clauses laid down in the respective legislative instruments of the Pact on Migration and Asylum¹. The Commission is at the same time closely monitoring the implementation of the Pact and may exercise its right of legislative initiative under the Treaties to propose targeted amendments where this is considered necessary and appropriate. Any such proposed amendments would need to be examined and consequently adopted by the European Parliament and the Council, in accordance with the EU legislative procedure.

¹ https://home-affairs.ec.europa.eu/policies/migration-and-asylum/pact-migration-and-asylum_en.