

**Question for written answer E-004595/2018
to the Commission**
Rule 130
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Subject: Summer time: consultation and further steps

During this year's summer holiday period, the Commission organised an online consultation on the subject of summer time arrangements. It appeared to be the most successful such consultation ever: in a period of just seven weeks some 4.6 million Europeans responded, with 84 % of respondents being in favour of putting an end to the biannual clock change.

In reaction to the result, President Juncker and Commissioner Bulc both stated that the Commission would listen to the voice of millions of Europeans, and would act accordingly and prepare a legislative proposal.

When does the Commission plan to present this legislative proposal?

What will be the basis for the unified time - summer time or winter time?

According to the Commission, what are the main difficulties involved in deciding on having a single time during the whole calendar year?