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Answer given by Mr Breton
on behalf of the European Commission
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The Commission is aware that the decision of the Court of Justice of the European Union mentioned by the Honourable Members has raised concerns within the European creative sector.

Over the last months, the Commission has regularly exchanged views with the Member States, in particular, at the meetings of the Council Working Party on Intellectual Property (Copyright) on 1 March, 19 April and 14 June 2021. The Commission also discussed the matter with the stakeholders' organisations who are concerned about the decision of the Court.

As a next step, the Commission will shortly launch a study to analyse the legal and financial consequences of the judgement and determine which policy response may best address the concerns of the sector.