

**Question for written answer E-004631/2021/rev.1
to the Council**
Rule 138
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Subject: Western Balkans Summit

During the Western Balkans Summit, EU leaders and Member States published the Brdo declaration, which reaffirms the EU's 'unequivocal' support for the Western Balkans' 'European perspective'.

While the declaration refers to the dangers of terrorism and crime in the region, it provides no detail about the measures taken to combat these issues.

1. What guarantees has the Council demanded from the Western Balkans to combat the dangers they could end up bringing into the EU?
2. Now that the Balkans have opened their borders to Afghan migrants and given that the EU cannot sustain another wave of immigration, what policy will be introduced to manage that influx?