

**Question for written answer E-001090/2022
to the Commission**
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Subject: War in Ukraine and the priorities of the new CAP

The war damages caused by Russian-Belarusian aggression in the Ukraine have completely paralysed Ukrainian agricultural production and exports. Furthermore, although the sanctions that the EU has imposed on Russia are completely justified, they will also have a significant impact on global agricultural markets and food supply. A further cause for concern is the unstable situation on the energy market.

In the current situation, our priority should be to ensure food security in the EU, including by reducing our reliance on imported agricultural products.

In light of the above:

Does the Commission intend to revise the CAP national strategic plans and make one of the new CAP's priorities to increase food production in the EU? This especially relates to the application of the good agricultural and environmental conditions (GAEC) standards, including GAEC 8, which should be applied more flexibly so that Member States can increase their area of land given over to agricultural production.