

**Question for written answer E-003348/2022  
to the Commission**

Rule 138

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Subject: Changes to vaccine supply contracts

At the most recent public meeting, on 20 and 21 June 2022, of the Special Committee on the COVID-19 pandemic: lessons learned and recommendations for the future, it was announced that the Commission had reportedly made changes to vaccine supply contracts. This is said to have concerned deliveries in the second quarter of 2022. Because of high stock levels in the Member States, orders were reportedly cancelled or held over to a subsequent quarter.

1. What specific changes to the vaccine supply contracts were agreed?
2. Do the contracts give the Commission options to make changes unilaterally, or do changes have to be separately agreed?
3. Do the changes involve any additional costs?