

**Question for written answer E-003189/2023
to the Commission**

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Subject: Minimum tax rate for kerosene in Europe – impact on European consumers

The Commission is considering introducing a minimum tax rate for kerosene as part of the revision of the 2003 Energy Taxation Directive. For political reasons, this decision will likely be taken after the European elections in June 2024 (*L'Opinion*, 2 August 2023).

If the Commission's plans for a minimum tax rate for kerosene were to go ahead, what impact would this have on plane ticket prices in Europe, where consumers are already being hit hard by inflation?

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