

**Question for written answer E-000344/2024
to the Commission**

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Subject: Farmers' crisis: a legitimate anger

Two weeks ago, German farmers took to the streets to protest against the measures taken by the German government. At the start of this week, it was the turn of French farmers to raise their voices. Today, Polish farmers are joining the movement.

Their anger is directed against national governments, but we know perfectly well that their policies only follow EU legislation, which leaves governments little or no room for manoeuvre, particularly as regards the CAP and the integration of the Ukrainian market.

In this context:

1. Does the Commission intend to impose the same obligations concerning plant protection products for farmers in third countries as for those in EU countries?
2. How can it integrate the Ukrainian market without deregulating the European agricultural market?

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