Priority question for written answer P-001482/2021
to the Commission
Rule 138
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Subject: Implementation of the General Vehicle Safety Regulation

The Committee on the Internal Market and Consumer Protection (IMCO) held a legislative scrutiny session on 22 February 2021 on the implementation of the General Vehicle Safety Regulation (GSR) where the Commission representative stated that several delegated acts of the GSR might not be finalised by 6 April 2021 in time to allow the 15 months preparation time provided for by the co-legislators in Article 6 of the GSR.

1. Can the Commission specify how it will guarantee compliance with the mandatory 15 months if a delegated act is not published by 6 April 2021?

2. Stakeholders are already familiar with the content of the draft delegated acts and could therefore already prepare to apply the texts. In the same meeting the Commission presented a slide showing that several draft texts are still subject to change. Can the Commission specify how stakeholders should prepare for draft texts that have not been finalised?

3. Is the Commission suggesting that stakeholders should prepare to apply secondary legislation even though it has not been scrutinised by the co-legislators?