

## Commissioner hearings: Šefčovič, Hogan, Gabriel

**Maroš Šefčovič (Slovakia), Phil Hogan (Ireland) and Mariya Gabriel (Bulgaria) are the first candidate commissioners to appear in hearings at the Parliament on Monday 30 September.**



The first candidate commissioners to appear in hearings at the Parliament

Before the European Parliament can vote the new European Commission led by [Ursula von der Leyen](#) into office, parliamentary committees will assess the suitability of commissioners-designate.

Each candidate commissioner is invited for a live-streamed, [three-hour hearing](#) in front of the committee or committees responsible for their proposed portfolio. The hearings will take place between Monday 30 September and Tuesday 8 October.

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Hearings on Monday, 30 September:

## Maroš Šefčovič (Slovakia)

Vice president-designate - interinstitutional relations and foresight

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14.30 - 17.30 CET

Responsible committees: constitutional affairs; legal affairs

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## Phil Hogan (Ireland)

Trade

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18.30 - 21.30 CET

Responsible committee: international trade

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## Mariya Gabriel (Bulgaria)

Innovation and youth

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18.30 - 21.30 CET

Responsible committees: industry, research and energy; culture and education

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