Question prioritaire avec demande de réponse écrite à la Commission

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Objet: Enforcement of the Digital Markets Act in the context of EU-U.S. trade negotiations

The DMA became fully applicable in March 2024 and constitutes a cornerstone of the EU's digital regulatory framework, ensuring fair competition and contestability in digital markets.

However, recent media reports suggest that the EU and the US. are discussing exempting US. companies from DMA enforcement during discussions on tariffs and reciprocal trade agreement. While Commission President von der Leyen has stated that "the sovereignty of our decision-making process is untouchable", the Commission's spokesperson has not clearly ruled out temporary enforcement concessions. DG Trade senior officials suggested that while "regulatory autonomy" remains a red line, flexibility in application could still be explored.

Such a move raises serious concerns about the integrity of the EU's regulatory framework and the equal treatment of companies subject to the DMA. It would set a dangerous precedent for external interference in EU legislation.

- 1 Can the Commission clearly unequivocally and publicly confirm that it will neither delay nor suspend the enforcement of the DMA for U.S. companies and not use it as a trade instrument?
- 2 How will the Commission ensure the uniform and timely application of the DMA, regardless of trade talks?
- How will the EU Parliament be fully informed directly by the Commission of any such discussions with third countries, rather than learning about them through media?