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Orban's peace mission

First resolution of the European Parliament: Condemns Orban's peace attempt

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The EU. On Wednesday, the newly-appointed European Parliament passed a resolution condemning, among other things, Viktor Orban's trip to Moscow to talk peace with Putin.

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Members consider that the visit did not represent the EU and that it constituted an obvious violation of the EU treaties and common foreign policy.

Politicians also want this violation to be met with sanctions for Hungary.

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In addition, an attack on a children's hospital in Ukraine recently highlights " the relevance " of Viktor Orbán's peace efforts, according to the resolution.

In addition to condemning Orban, the resolution calls for the EU to work actively to maintain international support for Ukraine. The Union shall provide military support to Ukraine for as long as necessary and in the form required. Also calls on the EU to maintain and extend its sanctions policy against Russia and Belarus and at the same time to monitor, review and improve its effectiveness and impact. Members also want the Council to systematically address the problem of circumventing sanctions by EU-based companies, third parties and third countries.

Members also welcome the recent EU decision to use Russian assets stolen by the Western world in support of Ukraine's war operations. They also demand a " sound legal system for confiscation of Russian state-owned assets frozen by the EU ".

Also reiterates the outcome of NATO's recent summit and reiterates its conviction that Ukraine is on an irrevocable path towards membership in the military alliance. Members call on the EU and its member states to increase their military support to Ukraine as long as necessary and in the form required. They also want the European Commission to propose long-term financial support for the reconstruction of Ukraine.

The resolution was adopted with 495 yes votes, 137 no votes and 47 abstentions.