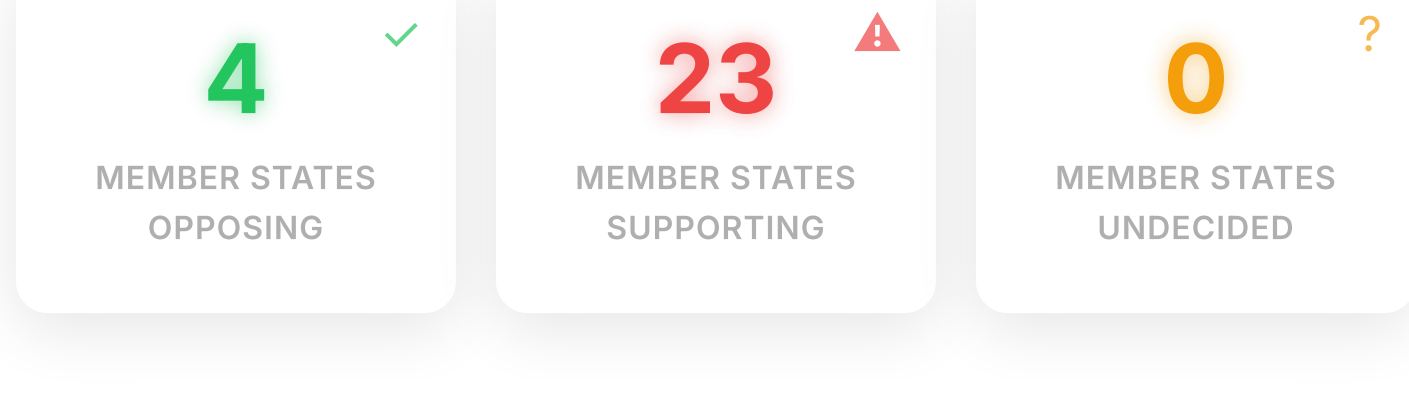


A shocking backroom deal is underway to revive Chat Control 1.0 this Friday — and on Monday 29 June, the final trilogue for permanent mass scanning takes place. We face a double-attack on private communication. Take two minutes now: e-mail your MEPs and Permanent Representation to stop this!

The EU (still) wants to scan your private messages and photos

The "Chat Control" proposal would legalise scanning of **all** private digital communications, including encrypted messages and photos. This threatens **fundamental privacy rights** and digital security for all EU citizens.



MEP STANCES ON CHAT CONTROL 1.0 EXTENSION

213 Opposing

10 Unknown

497 Supporting

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These MEPs are the key negotiators shaping the final Chat Control text. Contact them now!

You Will Be Impacted

Every photo, every message, every file you send may be automatically scanned—without your consent or suspicion. This is not about catching criminals. It is mass surveillance imposed on all 450 million citizens of the European Union.

Mass Surveillance

Every private message, photo, and file scanned automatically: no suspicion required, no exceptions.

Fundamental Rights

Undermines your fundamental rights to privacy and data protection, as guaranteed by Articles 7 and 8 of the EU Charter—rights considered core to European democratic values.

False Positives

Automated scanners routinely misidentify innocent content, such as vacation photos or private jokes, as illegal, putting ordinary people at risk of false accusations and damaging investigations.

Ineffective Child Protection

Child protection experts and organisations, including the UN, warn that mass surveillance fails to prevent abuse and actually makes children less safe—by weakening security for everyone and diverting resources from proven protective measures.

Global Precedent

Creates a dangerous global precedent enabling authoritarian governments, citing EU policy, to roll out intrusive surveillance at home, undermining privacy and free expression worldwide.

[See sources and more information](#)

Member State Positions

- All
- Opposing
- Supporting
- Undecided

SUPPORTS

Austria

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.

20 MEPs

SUPPORTS

Belgium

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.

22 MEPs

SUPPORTS

Bulgaria

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.

17 MEPs

SUPPORTS

Croatia

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.

12 MEPs

SUPPORTS

Cyprus

Current Council Presidency, pushing for agreement.

6 MEPs

OPPOSES

Czech Republic

Prime Minister explicitly rejects proposals that would allow widespread monitoring of citizens' private digital communications.

21 MEPs

SUPPORTS

Denmark

Former Council Presidency, pushing for agreement.

15 MEPs
179 MPs

SUPPORTS

Estonia

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.

7 MEPs

SUPPORTS

Finland

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.

15 MEPs

SUPPORTS

France

Government welcomes both mandatory Chat Control and client-side scanning.

81 MEPs

SUPPORTS

Germany

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.


96 MEPs
624 MPs

SUPPORTS

Greece

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.


21 MEPs

 **SUPPORTS**

Hungary

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.

21 MEPs

 **SUPPORTS**

Ireland

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.

14 MEPs

 **OPPOSES**

Italy

Italy does not support the revised Danish Chat Control proposal.


76 MEPs
605 MPs

 **SUPPORTS**

Latvia

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.

9 MEPs

 **SUPPORTS**

Lithuania

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.


11 MEPs

 **SUPPORTS**

Luxembourg

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.


6 MEPs

 **SUPPORTS**

Malta

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.


6 MEPs

 **OPPOSES**

Netherlands

Strong privacy protection stance.


31 MEPs

 **OPPOSES**

Poland

Opposition to mass surveillance measures.

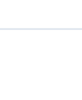
53 MEPs

 **SUPPORTS**

Portugal

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.

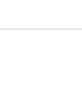
21 MEPs

 **SUPPORTS**

Romania

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
33 MEPs

 **SUPPORTS**

Slovakia

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.


15 MEPs

 **SUPPORTS**

Slovenia

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
9 MEPs

 **SUPPORTS**

Spain

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.

61 MEPs

 **SUPPORTS**

Sweden

Approved revised Danish Chat Control on November 26th 2025.

21 MEPs

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Take Action!

Your privacy and freedoms are at risk. These policies will impact every European—your messages, photos, and private conversations may be scanned without your consent and will no longer be anonymous. But we have the power to stop this. Contact your MEPs now with a clear message: NO to mass surveillance, YES to digital privacy.

Your voice matters. Make it heard today.

Customise

Send

Customise your message

Dear Representative,

I am writing to you urgently ahead of the potentially final trilogue on the proposed Chat Control legislation (CSA-Regulation 2022/0155) on 29 June.

The latest text proposals are alarming. Neither the unwarranted mass scanning of private messages of citizens nor mandatory age verification are appropriate or proportionate means to achieve the stated goal of child protection.

I am particularly concerned about the following:

- Allowing tech giants of their "own initiative" to search the private messages of 450 million innocent Europeans en masse without reasonable suspicion produces countless false positives, potentially criminalizing innocent family photos and conversations. The technical implementation of mass scanning technologies remains highly error-prone, unreliable and criticised by independent experts.

- As the Council's own Legal Service reiterated on 10 June, the latest proposal for "own-initiative" searches still constitutes generalized scanning of interpersonal communication. Access to private communications without reasonable grounds of suspicion and prior judicial authorisation is incompatible with Article 7 of the EU Charter of Fundamental

Review and send

Timeline

Jun 29, 2026 (scheduled)

5th and final trilogue negotiations

The final round of trilogue negotiations on the Chat Control 2.0.

May 11, 2026

4th trilogue negotiations

The negotiations on the Chat Control 2.0 proposal continues.

Apr 16, 2026

3rd trilogue negotiations

The negotiations on the Chat Control 2.0 proposal continues.

Mar 26, 2026

Chat Control 1.0 Extension Rejected!

On March 26th, the critical amendment 34 (rejecting automated assessment of unknown photos and texts) passed by a single vote, paving the way for the extension of Chat Control 1.0 to be overwhelmingly rejected. Accordingly, the derogation expires for good April 3rd. See Patrick Breyer's analysis [here](#) for more information.

Mar 25, 2026

Repeat Vote Confirmed

The Greens/European Free Alliance (Greens/EFA) attempted to remove the repeat vote from the agenda, but failed to do so. The vote will now proceed on Thursday, March 26th (source [here](#)).

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