

FASHION AND TEXTILE – News for Project GIF

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On 5 July 2023, the European Commission proposed a set of rules to make manufacturers responsible for the entire life cycle of textile products and to support the sustainable management of textile waste across the EU. This initiative will accelerate the development of the separate collection, sorting, reuse and recycling of textile products in the EU, in line with the European strategy for sustainable and circular textiles.

- **Call for commitments - Textiles Ecosystem Transition Pathway**

The purpose of this call is to gather the commitments of stakeholders on concrete initiatives to be taken to implement the actions identified by the Transition Pathway. It is an important way to show how stakeholders support the objectives of the Transition pathway and their commitment to work together to support the dual transition of the ecosystem and strengthen its resilience and competitiveness. The commitments will help fill gaps, pool resources to achieve common goals and mobilise support for the co-implementation of the Transition Pathway.

The Commission will support this process by facilitating the exchange of knowledge and good practices. The initial deadline for submission of commitments is 30 September 2023. The invitation will remain open on a rotating basis.

<https://ec.europa.eu/eusurvey/runner/TextileTransitionPathwayCommitments>

- **Euronews "The Road To Green", Episode 3: Textiles**

In the third episode of The Road to Green, Euronews focuses on the transformation of the textile sector and the consequences for businesses, consumers and the planet.

In this episode of The Road to Green, we meet manufacturers, retailers, influencers and consumers who are already taking steps to transform the industry and show the opportunities of this transition for companies, consumers and the planet. Their personal stories and experiences provide an overview of some of the solutions already available today.

The Road to Green first leads to Prato, Italy, an important European textile hub that is undergoing a transformation towards circular fashion. The episode continues in Vilnius, Lithuania, where Euronews meets a fashion journalist engaged in the sustainable fashion sector.

You can see the episode [here](#).