

Voice of the People

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1.00.

If you were in the position to ask questions from politicians regarding the European Parliamentary elections what would you ask and who would you ask it from?

1.16.

Can Roma or minority Members of Parliament be elected, if so, how they are elected?

1.20.

Election to the European Parliament is a party principled election, so political parties set up lists of candidates in accordance with the requirements of the Electoral Law. Tolerance level of Hungarian political parties and how much the Hungarian political institutional system intends to tackle integration is shown by the fact that they take minorities to Europe.

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In all likelihood I will be the only candidate of Roma origin who will be successful at the election and will get into the European Parliament. I undertook the nomination to be a candidate in the hope that my work will be successful and I will be able to generate major changes in Roma people's life.

2.07.What will be done in order to provide more opportunities for young people?

2.16. I can only answer to this question what I learnt in Brussels during one day, that we did not wake up to a new world from May 1st by May 2nd, but experience shows that 6-8-10 years are realistic perspective to reach the average level of the EU. This average is well above our current level. Young people still have 6-8-10 years ahead, so they have very good opportunities.

2.47. Will the sum of my pension be higher within a few years' time?

2.50. The sum of Pensions can only be increased along with the salary of the active workers, as in case the economic efficiency of our country is growing then resources from which elderly people's provision is financed will also be increased, strengthening elderly people's safety this way .

3.13. Will the EU be brought here or Hungary will be taken the EU?

3.16. Europe will come to us, bringing us the European approach and view that we have lacked unfortunately so far, owing to the history of the past 40 years. This will have to create if I may say, a freer, more equal and more tolerant social atmosphere and in my view we would highly need this in Hungary.

3.43. We have always belonged to Europe and we have always been European. Of course "Europe is coming to us" too and I 'd put this between quotation marks as investors come to Hungary and also different European citizens come to visit our country and I hope that the interest in Hungary is actually so big and intensive that it even can become a market stimulating force in our country.4.07.