
EU COUNTRIES TO CALL FOR FASTER GREEN TRANSITION OVER IRAN FUEL CRISIS

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European governments are poised to call for swifter deployment of clean energy to combat fossil fuel shocks as the Iran crisis drives up oil and gas prices, according to a draft agreement seen by POLITICO.

Next Tuesday, the blocs 27 foreign affairs ministers are expected to sign off on a set of conclusions sketching out an updated direction for the EUs collective energy and climate diplomacy.

Against the backdrop of soaring fossil fuel prices due to the war in Iran, the draft text is steeped in concerns over the EUs autonomy and security. The main solution, countries will agree, is to accelerate the transition to clean energy.

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