



Non-partisan committee of the canton of Graubünden to protect the self-determination and sovereignty of Switzerland.

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The current negotiations with the WHO endanger the sovereignty of Switzerland, as well as of all 194 WHO member states.

Dear Mr./Mrs.

The WHO has been negotiating in Geneva for some time now about a new, globally binding regulation of “health and climate measures”. The Swiss negotiating delegation is led by Federal Councilor Alain Berset and the director of the BAG, Anne Lévi.

In the future, the WHO could issue binding measures on health and climate matters on its own. During the Corona crisis, the Swiss people already experienced that the so-called “recommendations” of the WHO were uncritically adopted. People who publicly questioned WHO recommendations were turned into dangerous enemies of the state. To date, all Swiss courts and the Swiss Parliament have consistently rejected an independent and effective review of these WHO recommendations.

Will the WHO decide in the future?

In the future, the WHO, which is around 70% privately financed, is to be given even more power and its requirements are to become even more binding. Under the WHO regime, in the event of a pandemic defined by the WHO, all Swiss state authorities should only have executive powers for an indefinite period of time. The WHO’s universal authority to interpret all health issues could then no longer be questioned. There is no mechanism for controlling the WHO or restoring national sovereignty.

Dangerous shift in authority – away from democracy

This process results in a transfer of authority from the Confederation to an unelected international body that has never been seen before in Switzerland. In contrast to the Federal Council, Parliament and the courts, this body is not subject to any control or responsibility. In the future, a committee of unknown technocrats would define Switzerland's government tasks and spending and issue far-reaching regulations for all areas of the economy, public and private life.

Permanent shift in power

Unfortunately, this shift in competence will be permanent and institutional in nature. Therefore, such a shift in competence can only be qualified as a total material revision of the Federal Constitution, if not even as a latent repeal of the Federal Constitution. Nevertheless, the Federal Council is trying to do this to hide the far-reaching consequences for Switzerland and the entire population. Instead of including us – the sovereign – in the political discourse at an early stage.

Act now and preserve fundamental rights for our descendants

We see an urgent need for action from politicians, as the final vote of the WHO World Health Assembly on the revolutionary changes is scheduled for May 2024. We therefore ask you to give the WHO project presented here your full and critical attention in the coming weeks and months, **because not acting would be fatal. Silence is considered consent.** Our recommendations and what measures should be taken can be found in the enclosed leaflet.

Best regards

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