



The News

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The left has united for the legislative elections. The PS has finally joined the alliance formed by *La France Insoumise*, *les verts* and the communists. However, the agreement was not easy to reach, with only 70 constituencies, many socialists who saw themselves as candidates are in the end rejected. But for some it is out of the question to give up. This is the case of the socialist Fatima Bellaredj, who is a candidate in the second constituency of Hérault. She refuses to withdraw but says she disagrees with the agreement passed with the *Insoumis*.

The New Anti-Capitalist Party, the NPA, also disagrees with the new popular Ecological and Social union. The party deplores the presence of the PS and regrets in this new alliance a lack of break with liberal policies.

As for the majority, the objectives are being set. Stanislas Guerini, who is at the head of *La République en Marche* - which will soon be renamed Renaissance - wants to 340 MPs, knowing that it takes 289 to reach an absolute majority in the Assembly.

Tensions are rising among the 27. The Hungarian Prime Minister Viktor Orban considers that Brussels has crossed "a red line" by wanting to ban imports of Russian oil. For him, this decision "undermines" European unity. For Viktor Orban, an embargo on Russian oil would be equivalent to a nuclear bomb dropped on his country's economy.

And then soccer to finish, with the start this evening of the 36th day of Premier League. Lille receives Monaco at 9 p.m.