

The News

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Prices keep increasing. The prices of fuel, energy and now food are soaring and a further increase of around 10% is expected in stores.

The price increase is particularly significant for fresh vegetables with a 17% inflation over one year.

In the rest of the news, the pension reform enters the heart of the matter in the Senate. After a passage in committee on Tuesday and some changes, the text arrives this afternoon in the senate with a majority on the right. The debates begin at 2:30 p.m. The senators have until March 12 to vote on the reform.

The investigation on a bus accident that caused 43 deaths in 2015 is being reopened. The tragedy occurred in Puisseguin in Gironde will have a legal follow-up. The Bordeaux Court of Appeal will reopen the instruction. Three judges have been appointed to lead the investigation after a dismissal of the case in October of 2021.

In Greece, several thousands of people demonstrated yesterday throughout the country after a tragic train accident which killed 38 people overnight from Tuesday to Wednesday. These rallies intend to denounce the privatization of the rail operator responsible for the maintenance of the Greek railways.

And then energy-related CO2 emissions increased again in 2022 worldwide. An increase of nearly 1% according to the International Energy Agency. A smaller increase than expected thanks to the rise of green energies and technologies, which, last year, accounted for 90% of the growth in electricity production.