



## The News April 17<sup>th</sup> 1pm© by Noele Bouazouni-Prier

The objective of Emmanuel Macron is to set a new course. The Head of State will speak tonight at 8 from the Elysée. A speech that comes after the promulgation of the pension reform on Saturday. According to government spokesman Olivier Véran, the President should speak in a logic of appeasement. But for political scientist Bruno Cautrès, the pension reform will follow the President and his government.

The socialist party will submit a bill to revoke the text. This will be discussed tomorrow during a meeting of the Nupes groups.

In the rest of the news. The fire is now under control but not yet fixed. The fire broke out in the Pyrénées-Orientales and ravaged nearly 1000 hectares of vegetation between Cerbère and Banyuls-sur- Mère. A real ecological, touristic and economic disaster according to Gérald Darmanin. the Minister of the Interior has been on site since this morning.

The crash of the Rio-Paris flight killed 228 people in 2009. 14 years after the tragedy / the Paris court renders its judgment this afternoon. Airbus and Air France are prosecuted for manslaughter. The two companies risk a fine of up to 225,000 euros. At the end of the proceedings, the prosecution had requested the dismissal of the case, considering that guilt was impossible to demonstrate.

And then the countdown approaches. Starship, the largest and most powerful rocket in the world, is due to take off this afternoon from Texas for a first test flight. Built by SpaceX and owned by Elon Musk, Starship is intended for trips to the Moon and Mars.