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on behalf of the European Commission
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The Commission intends to follow the timetable in the Strategy for the Rights of Persons with Disabilities 2021-2030 and adopt a proposal on the new European Disability Card by the end of 2023.

The proposal will be accompanied by an impact assessment. To support the preparation of the impact assessment, it has been envisaged to launch a background analytical study in 2022. The form of the initiative will be decided based on the results and information provided by the impact assessment.