

**Opinion**  
**of the Foreign and European Union Affairs Committee**  
**of the Senate of the Republic of Poland**  
**on the proposal for a Decision of the European Parliament and of the Council**  
**amending Decision (EU) 2015/1814 as regards the amount of allowances to be placed in**  
**the market stability reserve for the Union greenhouse gas emission trading scheme until**  
**2030**  
**COM(2021)571**  
**adopted at the sitting held on 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2021**

Taking into account the opinion of the Special Committee on Climate adopted at the sitting held on 3-4 November 2021, the Foreign and European Union Affairs Committee delivers the following opinion:

1. The Foreign and European Union Affairs Committee and the Special Committee on Climate (the Committees) support, in principle, a reduction in the number of emission allowances to be placed in the market.
2. At the same time, the Committees agree with the Government that withdrawing allowances from the market too quickly may have a negative impact on energy prices for private entities, for which reason the Committees are cautious about modifying the current rules.
3. In the opinion of the Committees, it is necessary for the European Commission to present a more detailed analysis of the impact of this proposal on the market of CO<sub>2</sub> emission allowances in the Member States.