**The EU is just a tool to control our country and dictate our policies, undermining our true independence and sovereignty.**

**Being an EU member means losing our unique culture, traditions, and national identity, which have been preserved for centuries.**

**The EU demands too many reforms that are impossible for our economy and lead to job losses, not prosperity, making life harder for ordinary people.**

**Being an EU member means that hard working people and countries have to give away their money to failed economies.**

**Open borders within the EU lead to uncontrolled migration, putting a strain on our social services and national identity.**

**The EU is run by unelected bureaucrats in Brussels who are out of touch with the common person and make decisions without real democratic accountability.**

**While the EU talks about democracy, they often turn a blind eye to corruption or human rights issues in their own member states, or even in our region.**

**Being in the EU leads to further isolation from Russia and China, which is economically devastating and dangerous for our security.**

**Brussels is trying to dictate a way of living and working that is contrary to the traditions within my country.**

**The EU's so-called 'unity' is just a facade; really, it's about powerful countries dominating smaller ones.**

**We don't need the EU's environmental rules; our country can protect its own nature perfectly well without outside interference.**

**The EU is too slow and inefficient to deal with real crises. We'd be better off tackling global challenges on our own.**

**Since there are no tariffs or trade barriers between EU countries, businesses can sell their products and services across borders without extra costs, leading to more competitive pricing.**

**The EUs collaborative efforts to help the refugees coming from war zones leads to a diverse and integrative society.**

**EU citizens enjoy many freedoms and protections, including personal, civil, political, economic and social rights, personal data protection, anti-discrimination laws, and borderless travel through most EU countries.**

**Taken together, the EU institutions and national governments are the world's leading donor of development assistance and work collectively to promote good governance, fight hunger and preserve natural resources.**

**Financial accession assistance provided by the European Union helps vitalise economies in Central and Eastern Europe. Demand for imports rises, especially demand for imports of capital goods from neighbouring states in the west.**

**Asylum and refugee policies are standardised. Alongside equal reception conditions, common standards apply to asylum procedures and refugee status.**