Concerns for season workers to find housing for upcoming winter

**PEOPLE HAVE STARTED TO SEARCH FOR FLATS ONE MONTH EARLIER THAN USUAL**

**FOREIGN WORKERS HAVE ALREADY STARTED LOOKING FOR AN APARTMENT AFTER LAST YEAR’S DIFFICULTIES**

Season workers who come to work in the Principality for the winter have already begun to look for a flat although there are still more than two months left before the start of the season. Many who repeat the experience, however, are already aware of the difficulty of finding housing and therefore this year they want to try to solve the problem as soon as possible. Argentinian Soledad Ojeda, 29, landed in the Principality a few days ago with a friend and are currently living at the home of acquaintances. «This is my second season, but I have to start again with the search for a flat and this year it is more difficult and they are putting more obstacles» lamented Ojeda.

In fact, many real estates are asking for all the money of the season in advance, which can represent between 5,000 and 7,000 euros at once. «The prices are a little high and the requirements are many, from having a work contract to paying months in advance, in one place they even asked me for the six months of the season» said Julieta Soto, who will come at the beginning of November to make her first season in the hotel and catering sector. Like her, many others were warned on the subject of housing and before arriving in the Principality, Guadalupe González admitted that «from what I have heard, it is the most complicated thing to get and I know that real estate ask for surreal prices. «This is my second season, but the real estate has not kept the flat for me, perhaps because they have rented it for a year» González remarked. Workers who are coming again tried to solve the problem as soon as possible. «I tried to leave the flat and they have not kept it for me, perhaps because they have rented it for a year» detailed Eloy. Other workers, such as 23-year-old Argentine Mauro Geras, on the other hand, prefer to leave the housing search until they are in the Principality. «It is difficult to know if the companies that rent through the Internet are fake; when in doubt many of us start once we arrive» explained Eloy. 

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Ways of collaborating: Season workers are organizing themselves from a distance and in fact, one of the resources they use the most is social media. From Facebook and Instagram pages to WhatsApp groups. «We all have the same questions and the same goal, so we help each other» González remarked. Workers who come from closer countries try to do the management before arriving. This is the case of Eloy and Vanessa from Murcia, who in the middle of their project to lead a nomadic life, explain their stories in their Instagram account “mochilerosrastroños. And have been decided to live in Andorra for some time and have come four days ago to start the search for housing. «Until we did not arrive here we did not realize how complicated the issue of housing is, 90% of the agencies are agencies, which take advantage of the price and do not think of giving the residence» explained Eloy.

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«In Whatsapp groups we all have the same questions and concerns, and the same goal, we help each other»

ELIO GAMBIN
WORKER FROM MURCIA
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RAMI PÉREZ
ARGENTINE WORKER
«I tried to leave the flat issue closed for this season, but the real estate has not kept it for me, they already rented it»
**FOREIGN AFFAIRS**

Government considers PS and terceravia for EU common front

López has made it a condition to be able to express disagreements on points of negotiation

This is the previous step to seal the configuration of one of the three pacts proposed by the orange party—which would be added to the future agreement for the sustainability of pensions and for a health reform—and to which both PS and Josep Pintat’s party have set conditions. In the case of the Social Democrats, Pere López, who came out of the meeting with a good feeling because of the «predisposition» of both Espot and the Secretary of State for European Affairs, Landry Riba, for the intention of wanting to share information on the negotiating process, one of the points is to establish that one of the clauses should allow the centre-left party to «disagree» in the event that there are issues raised, especially regarding social benefits, that create disagreements with the Government. Meanwhile, on the part of the conservative group, as already announced in July, it is defended that the presidents of each parliamentary group should be part of the negotiating position.

**SUPPORTING THE GLOBAL IDEA** López admitted that the Government, which chose not to make statements, is the one at the helm of the negotiations and that, although there are disagreements and not all positions will be shared, the party will not leave the ship to reach an agreement with the EU. «We will continue to support the global idea but knowing that between democrats and social democrats there are ideological differences that will transferred into the association agreement», said López, who gave as an example the disagreements between the two parties regarding fees or unemployment benefits. «I think and intuit that there will be common positions and that this in reference to the disagreements will be restricted to aspects that are not quantitatively high, but which can be important», said López, who in any case remarked that regarding the differences, the Government’s position will prevail. «Consensus will not be possible on 100% of the points, but there is a willingness to work on it and achieve it», said the leader of the Social Democrats at the General Council, which at the same time was also responsible for diluting one of his rival’s proposals in the previous elections held in April.

In this sense, López avoiding describing it as a State Treaty, but referred to it as a «collaboration agreement». «I don’t know if it will be exactly a State Treaty because we are talking about a procedural or a memorandum agreement of collaboration», said the politician, who valued the intention shown by the Head of Government for wanting to share information on the negotiations with the EU, after last term the Executive headed by Toni Martí ended up practically alone in the face of strong criticism from the opposition for the lack of transparency. López explained that the intention is to seal the clauses prior to the configuration of the treaty with the different forces in the next two weeks. «For the moment it is up to us to believe in the good predisposition shown by the Head of Government and the Secretary of State in relation to sharing information and that there will be mechanisms for it to be effective», López concluded.

**A CONSENSUS FORMULA** As for terceravia’s proposal, which in July also presented its clauses for the future of the negotiations, such as being observer members and that the presidents of each parliamentary group can contribute with proposals and make amendments to the Government’s negotiating line, López said that this aspect has not been resolved and therefore remains pending for future meetings with the conservative party. «I suppose that we will have to find a consensus formula between what the Government proposes, terceravia and the additional proposals by PS that we will make in the coming weeks», said López. Asked about the Government’s expectations of completing the negotiations in two years, as Landry Riba and the European Parliament before him—said almost two months ago, López did not want to set a date to close the roadmap— «it is difficult for us to say without having seen [more information] beyond Riba’s explanations», he said.

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Despite the good numbers, the sector recalls that sales have been decreasing for the past few years. The downward trend of recent years continues. "The sea-son has gone very well because we have made many offers and discounts, but sales have been decreasing for some time," said Cristina Vilaplana, head of the Swarovski store in Carlemany avenue. The manager of Tezenis, however, noted that the half-hour over mandatory summer opening is useless because there are times when the store is empty and we have no work to do.

Regarding Pas de la Casa, the president of Iniciativa Publicitaria (Advertising Initiative), Jean-Jacques Carrié, described the season as "normal" and for small businesses "more or less the same as last summer" also being better the month of July than August. Despite the overall positive assessment, Carrié noted that supermarkets have gone down in recent months because "there are fewer people" than other years. Although, the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April. The local economy is "good", the town has still not recovered from the cut of RN22 road last April.
**FOOTBALL • SECOND DIVISION B**

**FC Andorra strengthens national league with its former players**

Inter d’Escaldes is the most benefited team from the promotion, signing a total of five extriculres.

Joan Vinyes and Jaume Font, at the last minute could not make it and I was proposed to drive a Ferrari of the GT Open. I didn’t hesitate, he explained. He was right, I had announced that for some time now things had not been working out- and that we had an extraordinary meeting to see if we could continue or if there were people who wanted to get involved. In this context, he assured that the club had received an offer from the Comú of Andorra la Vella. «We have decided to continue until the end of the year to raise the club,» he said and recalled that it will require the comú’s subsidy and the money they are owed by the Andorran Athletic Federation (FAA). He also commented that «we have the school which has been working with the fees paid by members» but that «the club depends on the FAA and the comú, and, therefore, of the number of members that we have». For this reason, they expect about 4,000 euros. In addition, he indicated that they could not register athletes to the Iliga Catalana because «we are currently staying in FC Andorra», and the fact that athletes of a certain level are subsidised by the federation, as is the case of Pol Moya. «Now we have to manage the money better and see where we get to, we will fight,» he said and promised to continue celebrating the cross and the meeting.

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