
GERMANY 'NEEDS BETTER RULES' FOR CITIZENSHIP, SCHOLZ SAYS

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German Chancellor Olaf Scholz on Saturday called for reforms to the countrys citizenship regulations, a day after the Interior Ministry said draft legislation on the citizenship process was as good as ready.

Naturalization needs better rules, Scholz said in a tweet Saturday. Its about respect and, of course, about our prosperity. Because all these women and men contribute to a strong economy. It is good if they also opt for German citizenship.he said.

In his weekly video message, Scholz emphasized the integral role that immigrants have played in rebuilding and strengthening Germany, according to media reports. Germany has become a country of hope for many, the chancellor said. The women and men and sometimes children who came to Germany have contributed greatly to making our economy as strong as it is today.

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