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This video outlines key points regarding the German election of 2025, focusing on campaign pledges related to taxes, benefits, immigration, and defense.

- **Taxes and Benefits**:

- Mertz (CDU) advocates for tax cuts and welfare reform.
- Schultz (SPD) supports low-income households, while the Greens propose a billionaire tax targeting fiscal policies and industries.
- The CDU upholds the "debt break," whereas the SPD and Greens call for its relaxation.
- All parties plan to reduce electricity costs for industries.

- **Immigration and Defense**:

- Mertz seeks stricter immigration laws.
- The SPD and Greens have differing views on immigration but agree on NATO commitments and support for Ukraine.