Question for written answer E-014584/2015 to the Commission Rule 130 Marine Le Pen (ENF)

Subject: Sharia-based communicative approach

In response to written question E-011770/2015, Mr Avramopoulos, on behalf of the Commission, wrote:

'The project indicated on the website of EURAD is called "Sharia-based communicative approach to prevent and fight contemporary forms of radicalisation leading to home-grown terrorism in the EU". It was awarded under the call for proposal ISEC 2011 and lasted from December 2012 to December 2014. The final report is still under evaluation by Commission services. Hence the final amount of the grant is not known yet, but the maximum grant awarded to the project was EUR 449 816.'

The Commission has therefore subsidised a sharia-based programme, even though the European Court of Human Rights in its decree of 13 February 2003 in the Refah Partisi case ruled that sharia is contrary to democratic society.

- 1. When will evaluation of the final report be completed?
- 2. Are there currently other requests for subsidies for sharia-based communicative approaches?
- 3. If so, what decisions has the Commission taken following these requests?

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