Question for written answer E-014563/2015 to the Commission Rule 130 João Ferreira (GUE/NGL)

Subject: CAP support for eucalyptus plantations

In its answer to written question E-009341/2014 on support for eucalyptus plantations under the common agricultural policy (CAP), the Commission acknowledged that eucalyptus can be considered eligible for direct payments under the first pillar of the CAP as well as support under the second pillar (rural development), in particular the afforestation measure for both agricultural and non-agricultural land.

Can the Commission provide any information it has on the appropriations allocated to eucalyptus plantations under the CAP to date (covering both pillars, if possible with a breakdown of the figures)? Can it provide specific information on Portugal in particular (although not exclusively)?

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