

**Question for written answer E-016049/2015  
to the Commission  
Rule 130  
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Subject: ISIS oil illegally channelled through occupied Cyprus

According to official Russian sources, press reports and expert opinion, large quantities of oil illegally controlled by ISIS are ending up in Turkey.

It has also been revealed that the sons of the Turkish Prime Minister, Recep Tayyip Erdogan, are involved.

It appears that BMZ Group Denizcilik ve Insaat, a shipping company owned by Bilal and Mustapha Erdogan, is transporting ISIS oil, some of it through occupied Cyprus.

In view of this:

1. What information does the Commission have in its possession regarding the involvement of Turkey in ISIS oil smuggling operations?
2. Given the overwhelming weight of evidence to suggest that Turkey is supporting ISIS terrorists, will the EU call on it to refrain from such illegal activity?
3. Would refusal by Turkey to comply affect its accession prospects or the funding it receives from the EU?