

**Question for written answer E-015289/2015
to the Commission**

Rule 130

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Subject: Training funds fraud

The Mayor of Dozón (Pontevedra) was arrested on 27 November 2015 in connection with an investigation into alleged irregularities concerning training courses that received subsidies from the Regional Government of Galicia but did not take place. In total 15 people have been arrested in 'Operation Qatedra' and charged with offences involving swindling, forging of public records and subsidy fraud.

As these courses were financed with EU funds managed by the Regional Government of Galicia, I would like to know what Commission knows about the offences being investigated by the justice system in Galicia and whether it has been in contact with the Galician authorities in connection with this in order to shed light on the circumstances and extent of the alleged fraud.