

**Question for written answer E-008488/2011  
to the Commission**  
Rule 117  
**Morten Løkkegaard (ALDE)**

Subject: Danish expatriates unable to vote in Danish Parliament elections

Danish nationals resident abroad for more than two years lose their right to vote in Danish Parliament elections without becoming entitled to vote in their country of residence, including where that country is also an EU Member State.

In the Commission's view, is the fact that Danish nationals become ineligible to vote in national elections in this way in breach of the Treaty?