

**Question for written answer E-006382/2014
to the Commission**

Rule 130

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Subject: Turkish vessel 'Barbaros Hayrettin Pasa' dispatched to carry out research in Cyprus Exclusive Economic Zone

Turkey has issued a NAVTEX notifying mariners that the Turkish vessel 'Barbaros Hayrettin Pasa' has been dispatched to carry out research in the waters of the Cyprus Exclusive Economic Zone off Rizokarpaso (Dipkarpaz) in the occupied part of Cyprus and north towards Mersin, until 2 October 2014.

Does the Commission consider this activity to be unlawful?