

**Question for written answer E-008099/2014  
to the Commission**  
Rule 130  
**Bill Etheridge (NI)**

Subject: Denial of state aid

Can the Commission provide details on how many UK companies have been denied state aid by the UK government in deference to European Union rules on such aid? Also, can it express this figure as a percentage of all applications for state aid?

How does this percentage for UK companies compare with the percentages of denied applications in other Member States?

Can the Commission provide details on which companies were denied state aid and on the reasons their applications were denied?