

**Question for written answer E-008100/2014
to the Commission**
Rule 130
Bill Etheridge (NI)

Subject: EU funding transparency

In its answer to Written Question E-006457/2014, the Commission states that the University of Birmingham Royal Charter received EU funding. Can the Commission provide more details on this funding, including how much was provided and for what purpose?

The Commission also states that Rule of Application 21.4 of the Financial Regulation stipulates that 'the publication shall be waived if such disclosure risks threatening the rights and freedoms of individuals concerned as protected by the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union or harm the commercial interests of the recipients'.

Can the Commission provide details of how many payments have been subject to this exemption from publication, for both the UK and the West Midlands?