Question for written answer E-008249/2014 to the Commission Rule 130 Jutta Steinruck (S&D)

Subject: German Anti-Discrimination Act

In Kaiserslautern (Germany), a property advertisement expressly barred Romanian and Bulgarian tenants from renting the available dwellings. When this was queried with the anti-discrimination office in the Federal State concerned, the answer given was that this is permitted under the German Anti-Discrimination Act if the landlord resides on the property.

Can the Commission state whether the German Anti-Discrimination Act, interpreted as above, breaches the Directive implementing the principle of equal treatment?

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