

**Question for written answer E-002193/2015
to the Commission**

Rule 130

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Subject: Support to the beekeeping sector

Under the Common Agricultural Policy (CAP), Member States may provide support to the beekeeping sector. The Union can co-finance actions with Member States or regions through national apiculture programmes and/or through rural development measures such as risk prevention, risk management as insurance, mutual funds for pest infestations or income stabilisation tools.

1. Can the Commission indicate what co-financed support has been given to the Maltese apiculture sector, with specific reference to risk prevention?
2. Can the Commission provide information on any co-financed support currently being given to the Maltese apiculture sector?