Question for written answer E-002523/2015 to the Commission Rule 130 Sorin Moisă (S&D)

Subject: EU apples and pears for the US market

Can the Commission please describe the existing import regime to the United States for fruit such as apples and pears, and say whether the significant difficulties encountered during past years by European exporters with regard to SPS measures and import formalities have been overcome?

What is the current inspection regime?

What are the export statistics for EU apples and pears to the US market during the current marketing year?

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