

**Question for written answer E-002804/2015  
to the Commission**

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Subject: Safe purchase of medicines via the Internet

Members of the EU public are increasingly purchasing goods, including medicines, via the Internet.

The EU brought in measures in 2014 to protect consumers and thus ensure that they do not purchase counterfeit medicines, which may prove useless or, which is worse, may be harmful or even deadly.

How is the Commission helping Member States to implement information and awareness raising measures enabling members of the public to purchase medicines via the Internet in total safety?