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Subject: Ca' Antonioli waste disposal site

The waste disposal site at Ca' Antonioli, in the Municipal District of Savignano sul Rubicone (Forlì-Cesena), was active between 1972 and 1992.

From February 1990 onwards, 560 containers of soil contaminated with toxic or hazardous substances (as declared by the committee of enquiry in 1998) originating from the Nigerian waste disposal site at Port Koko were buried at the site.

Following its closure, in breach of Directive 1999/31/EC (Article 13 and Annex III), no checks were made of the nearby water table from 2003, which would have been the responsibility of the local Council.

Wells which draw from the water table are used for the irrigation of orchards, gardens and agricultural fields.

Following Municipal Council Decision 18/2014, a check on the water was ordered on two occasions (December 2014 and spring/summer 2015); the results of these are not yet available.

This Decision also means that the Council should have submitted a proposal for redevelopment of the waste disposal site in order to attract European funds (M2RES and similar).

The Commission is asked:

- why the Council did not carry out any checks between 2003 and 2014, in breach of Directive 1999/31/EC as amended;
- whether any application for EU funding has been made in relation to the site at Ca' Antonioli, and with what results.