Question for written answer E-004434/2015 to the Commission Rule 130 José Blanco López (S&D)

Subject: The Erasmus programme in Galicia

The Galician regional government has a total budget of EUR 1.3 million at its disposal for over 1 000 students in receipt of grants under the Erasmus programme each year out of a current total of more than 60 000 students in Galician universities. Just 15 years ago there were almost 100 000 students in the system.

The amount budgeted by the regional government for Erasmus students represents a grant of between EUR 80 and 150 per month, depending on which country they go to. This figure contrasts with the EU average monthly grant for student mobility of EUR 272, which represents a 9 % increase on the EUR 250 of the previous year, as stated by the Commission in its answer to my written question E-000339/2015.

Can the Commission specify what is the average public funding received by Erasmus students for each Member State?

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