

**Question for written answer E-004743/2015
to the Commission**
Rule 130
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Subject: Illegal logging

Illegal logging contributes to deforestation and, by extension, global warming and a loss of biodiversity, while undermining the rule of law. Furthermore, the illegal trade of forest resources undermines international security and is frequently associated with corruption, money laundering, organised crime, human rights abuses and, in some cases, violent conflict.

What is the Commission doing to address the issue of illegal logging?