Question for written answer E-004885/2015 to the Council Rule 130 Siôn Simon (S&D)

Subject: Foreign study trips for members of the Palestinian Civil Police

The European Union Co-ordinating Office for Palestinian Police Support (EUPOL COPPS) instigates, facilitates and funds many foreign study trips for members of the Palestinian Civil Police (PCP). It also funds a large number of educational and developmental policing courses.

What benefits, outcomes and changes have occurred within the PCP as a direct result of these trips and courses?

How is success measured, and what is the pass rate if it is measured through examination?

If no such post-training assessment takes place, how do EUPOL COPPS and the PCP assess the success and benefits of each course, and how do they accurately assess the learning outcomes, which should lead to improved operational functionality, capability and performance?

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