Question for written answer E-005220/2015/rev.1 to the Commission
Rule 130
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Subject: EUR 2 billion financing for Greece on 19 March 2015

This is a follow-up to a question by ECR staff from 25 March 2015 to the Commission and to the Commission's reply of 30 March 2015 regarding the approximately EUR 2 billion pledged to Greece on 19 March 2015.

- 1. Please clarify, does the amount of around EUR 2 billion just come from the expected entitlements for 2015 or does it include expected entitlements for 2016-2020 as well?
- 2. How do Greece and the Commission plan to finance the upcoming projects from the structural funds for the relevant period if the money is already spent on state deficits?
- 3. Greece is bankrupt, according to the Greek Government, and is expected to have a financing deficit of perhaps EUR 20 billion in 2015. If Greece cannot finance its own share of upcoming projects, is EUR 2 billion a realistic value for the money it can expect from regular programmes? How does this amount compare to that of other years, for example 2014?

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