

**Question for written answer E-006317/2015
to the Commission**
Rule 130
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Subject: Protection of the brown bear

The brown bear is a species protected by the European Union.

1. Does the European Commission have a record of brown bears?
2. How many brown bears are there today in Spain?
3. What is the exact amount that the European Union (and Spain) have contributed to the conservation of the brown bear?