

**Question for written answer E-009203/2015
to the Commission**

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Subject: Endocrine disruptors

Two NGOs, Corporate Europe Observatory (CEO) and Pesticide Action Network (PAN), have revealed the scandal of connivance by the European Commission in the national interest of the USA. This involves shelving stricter legislation on endocrine disruptors, under the influence of the European executive in liaison with the European and American industrial lobbies. To smooth out European healthcare requirements, which create difficulties for the signing of the TTIP transatlantic partnership, the Commission's departments have deliberately impeded and by-passed the work of the DG Environment.

Based on the published reports, does the Commission consider it necessary to conduct a general audit of the departments concerned, to establish personal responsibilities for this betrayal of the European public interest, and the penalties it deserves?