

**Question for written answer E-009404/2015
to the Commission**
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Subject: Availability of internet on Croatian islands

In accordance with EU policies, one key prerequisite for developing islands and preventing emigration is to ensure that they have high-quality infrastructure. Access to the internet and the installation of broadband networks are basic infrastructure needs. Ensuring access to the internet in all parts of the EU is also an EU priority.

In this regard, what measures can the Commission take in order to ensure wider access to the internet and swifter installation of broadband networks on Croatia's islands?