

**Question for written answer E-001889/2016
to the Commission**
Rule 130
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Subject: Clause on the fair use of roaming

In October 2015, Parliament gave the green light to the Regulation on the European single market for electronic communications, a Regulation which established that roaming charges will end on 15 June 2017. However, this agreement prevents abusive use, and for that reason the Commission has been asked to set out the details of the fair use limit.

In its proposal for a regulation on ensuring the cross-border portability of online content services, the Commission recognises that the combined effect of the two measures will cause a sharp increase in the consumption of content, given the exponential rise in the consumption of audiovisual content on mobile devices.

In light of this situation, can the Commission state which lines of work it is pursuing? What safeguards does it plan to adopt to ensure compatibility between the expected increase in data consumption and the introduction of the fair use clause?