

Question for written answer E-002633/2016
to the Commission
Rule 130
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Subject: New food scandal in Europe

There have been reports in several magazines recently about a new food scandal occurring on an unprecedented scale¹.

The detailed accounts refer to ape meat possibly intended for human consumption and fertiliser residue found in sugar.

What does the Commission know about this scandal at the present time?

Have measures already been taken to curb criminal activities involving food fraud in the future?

¹ http://www.focus.de/finanzen/news/lebensmittelskandal-in-europa-affenfleisch-und-duenger-im-zucker_id_5395537.html