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to the Commission
Rule 130
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Subject: Blocking of EU funds

It has recently been revealed that the Commission may be blocking EUR 1.122 billion in EU assistance to Spain, after identifying shortcomings or irregularities with the checks carried out by the managing authorities for those funds.

Given the amount of funding involved, and the importance of the programmes being blocked and of the managing authorities affected, can the Commission say whether projects financed with this funding in the Autonomous Community of Galicia have been hit in this way? If so, how much funding will they lose and have the necessary steps been taken to release the funds?