

**Question for written answer E-003144/2017  
to the Commission**  
Rule 130  
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Subject: Radical Islam in Europe

Hardly a day goes by in Europe without a new report of a planned attack. Austrians consider 'radical Islam' the greatest threat to the country. 73% of the population named it as their biggest concern, ahead of social security issues<sup>1</sup>. The spread of radical political Islam is largely attributed to the activities of Islamist groups of Salafists, the Muslim Brotherhood and the Millî Görüş movement. The next few years will see the development of an explosive social mix as a result of the enormous integration challenges (which 73% also named as their biggest concern).

What steps is the Commission taking to prevent the spread of radical Islam?

What budget funds will be made available through the ENAR programme?

How can the Commission ensure that prevention work will not involve cooperation with Islamist groups?

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<sup>1</sup> <https://m.kurier.at/politik/inland/radikaler-islam-ist-groesste-sorge-der-oesterreicher/260.394.157>