

**Question for written answer E-006254/2017  
to the Commission**

Rule 130

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Subject: Provisions concerning the carriage of food in hand luggage within the EU

We are being informed by the public that inconsistent rules are being applied at airports in the Member States concerning the transportation in hand luggage of food other than liquids, which are regulated by EU regulations.

1. Are there any EU laws in place that harmonise the rules on the contents of hand luggage?
2. Are there EU laws in place that allow a baggage checker to decide what can and cannot be taken on board?
3. If there are no provisions to harmonise rules on the transportation of food in hand luggage within the EU, does the Commission intend to take steps towards establishing such common rules?