Question for written answer E-007006/2017 to the Commission Rule 130 Barbara Kappel (ENF)

Subject: Blockchains for Social Good prize

The Commission is seeking submissions for a new blockchain development contest with a EUR 5 million top prize. Any legal person or entity can submit entries to the contest, regardless of whether they are based in the EU or not.

- 1. Will Parliament be able to scrutinise the contest, both during and after?
- 2. Why is the competition not limited to European legal persons or entities?
- 3. Will use of the prize money be subject to conditions and scrutiny?