

**Question for written answer E-005411/2018
to the Commission**

Rule 130

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Subject: Wife of Commissioner Arias Cañete - Account with Rinconada Investments Group S.A.

In its response to written question number E-003434/2018, the Commission states that the account with the offshore company Rinconada Investments Group S.A. held by Micaela Domecq Solís, wife of Commissioner Arias Cañete, 'was closed in January 2013'. The Commission also states that: 'since March 2011, his wife is not authorised [...] on an account associated with Rinconada Investments Group S.A. [...]'.

Despite the criteria on transparency to which commissioners and those around them are subject, this information has never been published, or disclosed through the newspaper El Confidencial who, in an article on 20 June 2018, leaked that Commissioner Arias Cañete's relation attempted to distance herself from the so-called Panama Papers.

1) Can the Commission make available documents that attest the veracity of this information?

Below, the Commission declares that: 'In 2010, Rinconada Investments Group S.A. had already ceased all of its financial activities, and since then has not performed any commercial operations'.

2) Can the Commission provide evidence that Rinconada Investments Group S.A. ceased activities in 2010 and has not just simply ceased to undertake any commercial operations?